



**FEDERAL CROP INSURANCE CORPORATION**

**GROUP RISK PLAN OF INSURANCE**

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**1. Definitions**

**Harvest** - Removal of the forage from the field, and rotational grazing.

**NASS yield** - The yield calculated by dividing the NASS estimate of the production of the crop practice and type shown on the Actuarial Table for this purpose by the NASS estimate of the acres of such crop harvested that year in the county, for each practice and type contained in the Actuarial Table.

**Planted acreage** - Land seeded to forage, by a planting method appropriate for forage, into a properly prepared seedbed.

**Rotational grazing** - The defoliation of the insured forage by livestock, within a pasturing system where the forage field is subdivided into smaller parcels and livestock are moved from one area to another, allowing a period of grazing followed by a period for forage regrowth.

**2. Crop Insured**

The insured crop will be the forage types shown on the Special Provisions:

- (a) Grown on insurable acreage in the county or counties listed in the accepted application;
- (b) Properly planted and reported by the acreage reporting date;
- (c) Intended for harvest; and
- (d) Not grown with another crop.

**3. Insurable Acreage**

In lieu of section 3. (Insured and Insurable Acreage) of the Basic Provisions of the Group Risk Plan Common Policy, only acreage seeded to forage on or before July 1 of the previous crop year and physically located in the counties listed on your application will be insurable. Acreage physically located in another county not listed on the accepted application is not insured under this policy.

**4. Payment**

- (a) A payment will not be made unless your trigger yield is less than the payment yield for the insured crop year.
- (b) Payment yields will be determined prior to May 1 following the crop year.
- (c) We will issue any payment to you prior to the May 31 immediately following our determination of the payment yield.
- (d) The payment is equal to the payment calculation factor multiplied by your policy protection for each insured crop practice and type specified in the Actuarial Table.
- (e) The payment will not be revised even though the NASS yield may be subsequently revised.

**5. Program Dates**

November 30 is the Cancellation and Termination Date for all States. The Contract Change Date is June 30 for all States.

**6. Annual Premium**

In lieu of Provision 8(e) of the Basic Provisions of the Group Risk Plan Common Policy, the annual premium is earned and payable on the acreage reporting date. You will be billed for premium due on the date shown in the Special Provisions. The premium will be determined based on the rate shown on the Actuarial Table.