NATIONAL FOOD SECURITY ACT MANUAL
180-V NFSAM
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Recently, new updated portions of the National Food Security Act Manual (NFSAM) related to wetlands, (including Part 514, 515 and 516) were distributed.

Several wetland labels used in prior manuals will not be used in the future. Wetland labels for Commenced Conversion (CC), Converted Wetland Non-agricultural Use (CWNA) and Not Inventoried (NI) will not be used on any new certified wetland determinations.

Old determinations with these symbols will be maintained and Farm Service Agency (FSA) will transfer them using the new symbology on their wetland points Geographic Information System (GIS) layer.

The new parts can be accessed under the Management section of my.NRCS through the link provided below or by using eDirectives/Manuals/180/National Food Security Act Manual.

http://directives.sc.egov.usda.gov/viewerFS.aspx?id=3780

For further information/clarification, contact the appropriate Area or State Office specialist concerning the wetland provisions of the NFSAM.

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