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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Federal Crop Insurance Corporation

7 CFR Part 457

[Docket No. FCIC–17–0004]

RIN 0563–AC56

Catastrophic Risk Protection Endorsement; Area Risk Protection Insurance Regulations; and the Common Crop Insurance Regulations, Basic Provisions

AGENCY: Federal Crop Insurance Corporation, USDA.

ACTION: Correcting amendment.

SUMMARY: This document contains necessary amendments to address corrections in the final rule with request for comments for the Catastrophic Risk Protection Endorsement, the Area Risk Protection Insurance Basic Provisions, and the Common Crop Insurance Policy Basic Provisions which published in the Federal Register on November 24, 2017.

DATES: Effective Date: March 16, 2018.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Francie Tolle, Director, Product Management, Product Administration and Standards Division, Risk Management Agency, United States Department of Agriculture, Beacon Facility, Stop 0812, Room 421, P.O. Box 419205, Kansas City, MO 64141-6205, telephone (816) 926–7730.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

This correction is being published to correct section 18(f)(2)(iv) of the Common Crop Insurance Policy Basic Provisions, published November 24, 2017 (82 FR 55723–55734). The term “and” at the end of the paragraph following the semicolon was inadvertently omitted and is being added in this correction.

List of Subjects in 7 CFR Part 457

Administrative practice and procedure, Crop insurance, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

Need for Correction

Accordingly, 7 CFR part 457 is corrected by making the following amendments:

PART 457—COMMON CROP INSURANCE REGULATIONS

1. The authority citation for part 457 continues to read as follows:
   Authority: 7 U.S.C. 1506(l) and 1506(o).

§ 457.8 [Amended]

2. Amend § 457.8, in the Common Crop Insurance Policy, in section 18(f)(2)(iv), by adding the term “and” at the end of the paragraph following the semicolon.

Signed in Washington, DC, on March 6, 2018.

Heather Manzano,
Acting Manager, Federal Crop Insurance Corporation.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

7 CFR Part 800

Fees for Official Inspection and Official Weighing Services Under the United States Grain Standards Act (USGSA); Correction

AGENCY: Agricultural Marketing Service, USDA.

ACTION: Final rule; correcting amendment.

SUMMARY: This document corrects an error introduced into our regulations by a final rule that was published in the Federal Register on February 14, 2018, Federal Register. The final rule used the Roman numeral (v) consecutively in Table 3 of Schedule A by redesignating entries (vi) through (x) as entries (vii) through (xi) and redesignating the second entry for (v) as entry (vi).

Dated: March 12, 2018.

Greg Ibach,
Under Secretary, Marketing and Regulatory Programs.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Rural Business-Cooperative Service

Rural Utilities Service

7 CFR Part 4279

RIN 0570–AA85

Guaranteed Loanmaking and Servicing Regulations; Corrections

AGENCY: Rural Business-Cooperative Service and Rural Utilities Service; USDA.

ACTION: Final rule; technical correction.

SUMMARY: On June 3, 2016, the Rural Business-Cooperative Service promulgated changes to its Guaranteed Loanmaking and Servicing Regulations. Following final implementation of this final rule, RBS found two technical corrections that are necessary.
DATES: Effective March 16, 2018.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Kelley Oehler, Rural Development, Business Programs, U.S. Department of Agriculture, 1400 Independence Ave. SW, Stop 3224, Washington, DC 20250–3224; email: kelley.oehler@wdc.usda.gov; telephone number: (202) 720–1418.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Need for Corrections
The Agency published a final rule on June 3, 2016 (81 FR 35984–36027) for the purpose of improving program delivery, clarifying the regulations to make them easier to understand, and reducing delinquencies.

This document makes technical corrections to the Business and Industry (B&I) Guaranteed Loan regulations in two areas: Full faith and credit and leasehold improvements.

Full faith and credit. In §4279.72(a), Full faith and credit, the Agency describes the second, third, and fourth sentences circumstances under which the guarantee is unenforceable in whole or in part. In all circumstances, the guarantee is unenforceable by the lender. However, the rule identifies “by the lender” in the third sentence, but not in the second or fourth sentence. To correct this oversight and provide clarity, the Agency is revising the second and fourth sentences to include the phrase “by the lender.”

Leasehold improvements. The B&I Guaranteed Loan Program rule specifically identifies, in §4279.113, certain leasehold improvements as an eligible project purpose for a B&I loan guarantee. However, there are other provisions in the B&I Guaranteed Loan Program rule that are inconsistent with and undermine this intent. Specifically, the rule relies on the definition of “leasehold improvements” as found in General Acceptable Accounting Practices (GAAP) (see §4279.2(c)).

GAAP considers leasehold improvements to be “intangible assets.” Provisions in the B&I rule regarding intangible assets in the calculation of tangible balance sheet equity (see §4279.131(d)(2)) and the prohibition of intangible assets from serving as primary collateral (see §4279.131(b)(3)) make it unintentionally difficult for leasehold improvement projects to meet equity and collateral requirements. Therefore, with this document, the Agency is correcting those provisions of the B&I Guaranteed Loan Program rule that are preventing leasehold improvement projects from meeting equity and collateral requirements for a B&I loan guarantee.

List of Subjects in 7 CFR Part 4279
Loan programs—business and industry, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements, Rural areas.

Accordingly, 7 CFR chapter XLIII is amended by making the following correcting amendments:

PART 4279—GUARANTEED LOAN MAKING

■ 1. The authority citation for part 4279 continues to read as follows:

Subpart A—General
■ 2. Revise the second and fourth sentences of §4279.72(a) introductory text to read as follows:

§4279.72 Conditions of guarantee.
(a) * * * The guarantee will be unenforceable by the lender to the extent that any loss is occasioned by a provision for interest on interest or default or penalty interest. * * Any losses occasioned will be unenforceable by the lender to the extent that loan funds were used for purposes other than those specifically approved by the Agency in its Conditional Commitment or amendment thereof in accordance with §4279.173(b). * * * * * *

Subpart B—Business and Industry Loans
■ 3. Amend §4279.131 as follows:
(a) Add a sentence to the end of paragraph (b)(3); and
(b) Revise the first and fourth sentences in paragraph (d)(2).

The addition and revisions read as follows:

§4279.131 Credit quality.
* * * * * *
(b) * * *
(3) * * * For purposes of determining compliance with this requirement, leasehold improvements are considered tangible assets and can serve as primary collateral.
* * * * * *
(d) * * *
(2) Tangible balance sheet equity will be determined based upon financial statements prepared in accordance with GAAP except that, for the purposes of this subpart, leasehold improvements are to be considered tangible assets when making the tangible balance sheet equity calculation. * * * Tangible equity cannot include appraisal surplus, bargain purchase gains, or intangible assets (except for leasehold improvements).

Dated: March 8, 2018.

Bette B. Brand,
Administrator, Rural Business-Cooperative Service.

Dated: March 8, 2018.

Christopher A. McLean,
Acting Administrator, Rural Utilities Service.

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

14 CFR Part 23

[Docket No. FAA—2018–0200; Special Conditions No. 23–287–SC]

Special Conditions: Honda Aircraft Company, Inc., HA–420 Airplane; Single-Place Side-Facing Lavatory Seat Dynamic Test

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

ACTION: Final special conditions; request for comments.

SUMMARY: These special conditions are issued for the Honda Aircraft Company, Inc., HA–420 airplane. This airplane will have a novel or unusual design feature associated with a single-place side-facing seat in the lavatory that can be used as a passenger seat during taxi, takeoff, and landing. The applicable airworthiness regulations do not contain adequate or appropriate safety standards for this design feature. These special conditions contain the additional safety standards that the Administrator considers necessary to establish a level of safety equivalent to that established by the existing airworthiness standards.

DATES: The special conditions are effective March 16, 2018, and are applicable March 7, 2018.

We must receive your comments by April 16, 2018.

ADDRESSES: Send comments identified by docket number FAA–2018–0200 using any of the following methods:

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