PROCEDURE NOTICE

RD MANUAL CHANGES

INSERT RD INS 440.1 (WSAL)
INTEREST RATES, AMORTIZATION, GUARANTEE FEE, ANNUAL CHARGE, AND FIXED PERIOD. This Instruction is partially revised as follows:

Exhibit B is partially revised to update the Treasury Judgement rate and the effective date of June 1, 2021.

REMOVE Exhibit B: Pages 1 & 2 (Rev 18). INSERT Exhibit B: Pages 1 & 2 (Rev 19).

REMOVE RD INS 2045-X (WSAL)
EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY. This Instruction is being made obsolete as the Departmental Regulations 4230-002 "Special Emphasis Programs" DR 4300-007 "Processing EEO Complaints of Discrimination" DR 4300-009 "Equal Employment Opportunity Complaints Where a Departmental Senior Civil Rights Official is the Responsible Management Official" DR 4710-001 "Alternative Dispute Resolution" and DR 4300-001 "EEO Complaint Processing Procedures" are the current guidance all RD employees should be following. Therefore, the RD Instruction 2045-X is no longer necessary.

REMOVE
Table of Contents;
Pages 1 thru 5;
Exhibits A thru C.

FORM
RUS 481 (WSAL)
FINANCIAL REQUIREMENT STATEMENT revised 06-21. This Form is the principal document used by RUS Telecommunications Program awardees to request advances of loan funds under an approved RUS loan. RUS programs have expanded to include grants and loan/grant combination awards which has prompted the revisions of this Form so that one single FRS may be used without modification when funds are requested under any of the sub-programs under the RUS Telecommunications Program. This Form and the Form Instructions are available on the Rural Development Instructions home page (https://www.rd.usda.gov/resources/directives.) No paper copy distribution of this form will be made, and it will not be stocked in the warehouse.

(CON.)
READ PROCEDURE - DISCUSS IN STAFF CONFERENCE - KEEP PROCEDURE MANUAL UP TO DATE
SPECIAL PROCEDURE NOTICE RELEASED:

SPECIAL PN NOTICE dated 05-12-21. DISTRIBUTION: WSAL.
(RD Handbooks HB-1-3550 and HB-1-3555 (Income Limits)).