

Attachment E. Summary of Comments from the National
Agricultural Statistics Service's (NASS) Review of the Information
Collection Request

Supporting Statement Part - A

- The NASS reviewer inquired whether the calculation of burden hours stated in the SSA.12 was too optimistic, because the non-respondent time burden was not included in this estimation.
 - o ERS understands the concern raised by the reviewer. The stated estimates for the total burden hours and number of respondents of this ICR include burden hours imposed on non-respondents. This sentence is modified as the following:

The total estimated respondent burden is 1,815 hours and total number of potential respondents is 3,630 for the requested three-year period.

Other relevant texts in this section also were modified to clarify any confusion.

- The NASS reviewer pointed out a couple of typos in this document.
 - o ERS appreciates the comment and revised the document.