February 25, 2015

MEMORANDUM

TO: Fertilizer Distributors and Manufacturers

FROM: Jeff Witte, NMDA Director/Secretary

SUBJECT: Fertilizer Values for 2015 (AES15E-1)

This external policy establishes values for fertilizer in accordance with Section 76-11-9 NMSA 1978 to be used in determining and assessing penalties in accordance with Section 76-11-8 NMSA 1978. This policy supersedes AES14E-1.

The New Mexico Department of Agriculture has determined and hereby publishes the following commercial fertilizer values for 2015.

a. Total Nitrogen (N) - $0.95 per pound or $18.99 per unit* of plant food

b. Available Phosphoric Acid (P₂O₅) - $0.56 per pound or $11.11

c. Soluble Potash (K₂O) - $0.85 per pound or $16.92 per unit* of plant food

*A unit of plant food is 20 pounds or 1 percent of a ton.