This document provides a sample template for documentation of methodologies influencing validation decisions. This documentation must be provided to support validation decisions and inputs into CNMS. . Information provided in these fields will document the location, source, and methodologies used in order to determine various validation decisions. The organization of fields, and the examples of text to be stored to justify evaluation of criteria, are only provided for direction and need not be used verbatim.

The values in these cells would match those seen in the CNMS S_Studies_Ar Feature class					VALIDATION_DATE field in S_Studies_Ln	POC in this document may be tracked for internal purposes and need not be provided to FEMA					
CNMS_ID	**WTR_NM**	**VALID_CAT**	**CE_TOTAL**	**SE_TOTAL**	**Date of Validation**	**POC** (may be different from POC provided via POC_ID)	**Criteria/Element**	**Value** (0 = No; 1 = Yes for Criteria C1-C7 & S1-S10; value for others)	**Comment** (Record any specific information necessary to clarify the determination of the existence of a deficiency or the lack thereof.)	**Source(s)** (List Source type and names, calculation equations name etc.)	**URLs (local/web)**
987650100001	Example Creek	**UNMET NEED**	1	5	2/8/2010	John Doe, SABRE Inc.	C1	0	No gage record change including major flood event	USGS NWIS Website, USGS Flood Events Fact Sheet	http://waterdata.usgs.gov/usa/nwis/nwis; http://www.usgs.gov/newsroom
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							C7	1	Community POC filled out survey to indicate Channel Fill	Jane Doe, Example County, State. 1234 Sample Lane 45678, EX	P:\CNMS\State\ExampleCounty_98765C\SURVEY\EX_JaneDoe.doc
							S1	1	Model used LU/LC from 1987 to use rural equations; comparison between 1992 and 2001 LU/LC dataset revealed that rural area became urban	USA 1992 & 2001 LU/LC dataset; USGS SOAP Imagery	P:\CNMS\State\ExampleCounty_98765C\DATA\LULC92.shp P:\CNMS\State\ExampleCounty_98765C\DATA\LULC01.shp
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							Hydra Model	HEC-2	Used Effective FIS; model is digital and can be run	Effective FIS	P:\CNMS\State\ExampleCounty_98765C\FIS\1234567.PDF
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