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## UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE FRUIT AND VEGETABLE PROGRAMS

## COOPERATIVE'S OFFICIAL BALLOT

ON PROPOSED AMENDMENT OF MARKETING ORDER NO. 993, AS AMENDED, REGULATING THE HANDLING OF DRIED PRUNES PRODUCED IN CALIFORNIA

	(Name and Address of Co	operative Association)
o furnish the following information a	nd cast this ballot on behalf of	such cooperative association. There are producers
who: (a) are members of, stockholder	rs in, or under contract with th	is cooperative association; (b) are now engaged in the handlin
of dried prunes, and also were engage	ed during the period August 1,	20 through July 31, 20; and
c) during the same period so handled	tons of dried prunes	
DOES THE COOPERATIVE ASSO	DCIATION FAVOR ISSUAN	ICE, BY THE SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE, OF
		DER REGULATING THE HANDLING OF DRIED
PRUNES PRODUCED IN CALIFO	RNTA?	
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PRUNES PRODUCED IN CALIFO	SSOCIATION BY PLACING	AN "X" IN THE APPROPRIATE SPACE BELOW:  NO
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	SSOCIATION BY PLACING	NO  (Name of Cooperative Association)
INDICATE THE VOTE OF THE AS	SSOCIATION BY PLACING	AN "X" IN THE APPROPRIATE SPACE BELOW:  NO
	SSOCIATION BY PLACING	NO  (Name of Cooperative Association)

The attached summary of the proposed amendment of the order is hereby made a part of this ballot.

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