

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

**COOPERATIVE[S] OFFICIAL BALLOT  
ON PROPOSED AMENDMENT OF MARKETING ORDER NO. 981,  
AS AMENDED, REGULATING THE HANDLING OF ALMONDS  
GROWN IN CALIFORNIA**

I hereby certify that I am an officer or employee of, and have been authorized by:

\_\_\_\_\_ (Name and Address of Cooperative Association)

\_\_\_\_\_ (Name and Address of Cooperative Association cont'd) Enter your E-Mail Address here

to furnish the following information and cast this ballot on behalf of such cooperative association. There are producers who: (a) are members of, stockholders in, or under contract with this cooperative association; (b) are now engaged in the growing of almonds, and also were so engaged during the period of July 1, 20\_\_\_\_\_ through March 31, 20\_\_\_\_\_; and (c) during the same period so produced for market \_\_\_\_\_ pounds (kernel weight basis) of almonds.

DOES THE COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION FAVOR ISSUANCE, BY THE SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE, OF THE PROPOSED AMENDMENT OF THE MARKETING ORDER REGULATING THE HANDLING OF ALMONDS GROWN IN CALIFORNIA?

INDICATE THE VOTE OF THE ASSOCIATION BY PLACING AN "X" IN THE APPROPRIATE SPACE BELOW:

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ (Name of Cooperative Association)

AFFIX CORPORATE SEAL:  
(If none, so state)

\_\_\_\_\_ (Signature of Authorized Official)

\_\_\_\_\_ (Title)

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