

STATEMENT OF PROPOSED DISPOSITION OF SUBSTANDARD PRUNES

Date _____

TO: Prune Marketing Committee
3841 No. Freeway Blvd., Suite 120
Sacramento, CA. 95834

PMC Approval Number:

The undersigned hereby certifies to the United State Department of Agriculture and to the Prune Marketing Committee for himself/herself and for and on behalf of _____ (Handler) that the undersigned has purchased _____ pounds of substandard prunes on or about _____, and that said prunes, subject to approval by the Committee, will be shipped to and converted by _____ (Name and Address of Converter) into _____ (Usage)

Firm or Individual _____

Address _____

By _____

Title _____

IMPORTANT NOTICE

The issuing of a false certificate, knowing it to be false, is a violation of Title 18, Section 1001 of the United States Code, which provides a penalty of a fine of not more than \$10,000 or imprisonment of not more than 5 years or both.

This report is required by law (7 U.S.C. 608(d), 7CFR \$993.50(e) and 7CFR \$993.150(e)(1)(ii)).

FAILURE TO REPORT can result in a fine of not less than \$50.00 or more than \$5,000 for each such violation and each day during which such violation continues shall be deemed a separate violation.

This information is required to obtain authority from the Committee to dispose of substandard prunes and it will be used for that purpose.

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