

**HASS AVOCADO PROMOTION, RESEARCH, AND INFORMATION ORDER  
(7 CFR 1219)**

**Registration Form  
for the  
Hass Avocado Promotion, Research, and Information Order  
Referendum on \_\_\_\_\_**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title (if any): \_\_\_\_\_

Business address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street

\_\_\_\_\_ City and State

\_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code

Business phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ I produced Hass avocados from January 1, 20XX to December 31, 20XX

\_\_\_\_\_ I imported Hass avocados from January 1, 20XX to December 31, 20XX

I certify that I am eligible to register to vote in the referendum.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax to: XXX-XXX-XXXX

Mail to: AMS-USDA Referendum  
Hass Avocado Registration  
Street Address/P.O. Box  
City, State Zip Code

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**OFFICIAL REFERENDUM BALLOT**

**Hass Avocado Promotion, Research, and Information Order**

To be counted, completed ballots must be received by USDA on or after Month xx, 20xx and before xx:xx p.m. Eastern Standard Time on Month xx, 20xx.

*NOTE: Only one vote will be counted for each eligible **producer** and **importer of fresh Hass avocados**. Incomplete and unsigned ballots will be **INVALID** and will not be counted in the referendum.*

**I. CERTIFICATION (Check one)**

\_\_\_\_\_ I am currently a fresh Hass avocado **PRODUCER**.

\_\_\_\_\_ I am currently an **IMPORTER** of fresh Hass avocados

**II. VOTE (Mark one box)**

Do you favor the continuance of the Hass Avocado Promotion, Research,  
and Information Program?

Yes      No

**III. SIGNATURE**

**ALL BALLOTS MUST BE SIGNED AND DATED BELOW IN ORDER TO BE COUNTED.**

I **CERTIFY** that I am the person authorized to cast this ballot and that the information contained on this ballot is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, and is made in good faith. If this ballot is being cast on behalf of any group of individuals, partnership, corporation, or other business entity engaged in the product or importation of Hass avocados, I also **CERTIFY** that I have the authority to cast this ballot.

**X** \_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE

\_\_\_\_\_  
COMPANY NAME

\_\_\_\_\_  
BUSINESS TELEPHONE NUMBER

**IV. MAILING**

**Return ballot in the enclosed, postage-paid envelope.**

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