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AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE
FRUIT AND VEGETABLE PROGRAMS

CONFIDENTIAL CALIFORNIA WALNUT BOARD
TENTH MEMBER/ALTERNATE NOMINEE QUESTIONNAIRE

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Please fill in all spaces

1. Name _____

2. (a) Residence: _____
   (street) (city) (state) (zip)
   (b) Your Mailing Address: (If same, so state)

   _____
   (street) (city) (state) (zip)

3. Telephone No: Home: (_____) _____ Cell: (_____) _____Bus: (_____) _____

4. Occupation – Employer_____

5. Organizations to which you belong_____

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6. Are you a walnut grower? _____ Yes _____ No

7. Are you affiliated with a walnut handler (packer) as an employee, officer, director, or in any other capacity?

   _____ Yes_____ No

8. When acting in my official capacity as a Board representative, I shall engage in only those activities that are authorized under the walnut marketing order. I also understand that the Board cannot become involved in lobbying and political activities.

9. I hereby certify that I am willing to serve as a member or alternate member on the California Walnut Board if selected by the Secretary of Agriculture.

Signature:_____ Date:_____

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