United States Department of Agriculture Agricultural Marketing Service

OFFICIAL REFERENDUM BALLOT

Hass Avocado Promotion, Research, and Information Order

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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.
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SIGNATURE DATE
COMPANY NAME BUSINESS TELEPHONE NUMBER
IV. MAILING
Return ballot in the enclosed, postage-paid envelope.
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