

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE
SPECIALTY CROPS PROGRAM

COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION BALLOT
CONTINUANCE/AMENDMENT OF MARKETING ORDER NO. 989, REGULATING
THE HANDLING OF RAISINS PRODUCED FROM GRAPES GROWN IN CALIFORNIA

I certify that I am an officer or employee of, and have been authorized by, _____
Cooperative to furnish the following information and cast this Ballot on behalf of
_____ Cooperative.1 There are _____ producers who: (a) are members of,
stockholders in, and producers under contract with _____ Cooperative; (b)
are now engaged in the State of California in the growing of raisins produced from grapes grown in
California for market, and also were so engaged during the period of August 1, 20__ through July 31,
20__; and (c) during this same period so produced for market the following quantity of raisins2: _____
tons.

DOES _____ COOPERATIVE FAVOR CONTINUANCE
OR APPROVAL OF THE PROPOSED AMENDMENT BY THE SECRETARY OF
AGRICULTURE OF THE ORDER REGULATING THE HANDLING OF RAISINS PRODUCED
FROM GRAPES GROWN IN CALIFORNIA? (Please indicate your vote by placing an "X" in one of
the boxes below.)

[] YES [] NO

_____ Cooperative

Signature of Authorized Agent

Title/Official Capacity

1 Include the Cooperative Association's resolution, which was adopted by the Board of Directors authorizing the casting of this Ballot.

2 A list, in alphabetical order, containing the names and addresses, and the weight of raisins delivered, from August 1, 20__ through July 31, 20__, to the Cooperative Association by each such producer has been forwarded to the USDA's Specialty Crops Programs, California Marketing Field Office, under separate cover.

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