

For: State and County Offices

Procedures for Maturing 2000 Crop Honey Nonrecourse Marketing Assistance Loans

Approved by: Acting Deputy Administrator, Farm Programs



1 Overview

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Background

Several producers have indicated their intent to deliver 2000 crop honey to CCC. Because CCC does not have approved warehouses for honey to be delivered to CCC, all maturing honey loans must be settled as a local sale.

Producers may on or before the maturity date:

- repay their loans at the announced monthly alternative repayment rate
- exchange collateral with purchased commodity certificates.

B

Purpose

This notice provides:

- an updated notification letter
- sampling instructions for moisture, grade, and adulteration
- color discounts
- an updated list of AMS grading laboratories
- local sale settlement procedure for 2000 crop honey nonrecourse loans.

Disposal Date May 1, 2002	Distribution State Offices; State Offices relay to County Offices
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2 General Information

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Alternative Repayment Rate

Producers may repay 2000 Crop Honey Nonrecourse Marketing Assistance Loans at the announced alternative repayment rate **on** or **before** the maturity date.

The alternative repayment rate is announced on the first day of the month.

B

Commodity Certificates

To minimize forfeitures for 2000 Crop Honey Nonrecourse Marketing Assistance Loans, producers may exchange loan collateral with purchased commodity certificates, according to 8-LP, Part 9, Section 8.

C

Maturity Notifications

County Offices shall send the maturity notification letter in Exhibit 1 to producers at least 45 calendar days, but not more than 60 calendar days, before the loan maturity.

D

Discounts

Discounts based on color shall be applied in final settlement with the producer according to paragraph 4.

E

Local Sale Settlements

Any honey loan outstanding after loan maturity shall be settled with CCC as a local sale.

3 Local Sale Procedures

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Authorization

County Offices shall request authorization for a local sale from the State Office:

- **after** a claim has been established according to 58-FI
 - **before** announcing the sale.
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3 Local Sale Procedures (Continued)

**A
Authorization
(Continued)**

State Offices shall:

- authorize all local sales before the County Office announces the sale
- maintain a register of assigned authorization number
- notify the County Office of the authorization number.

County Offices shall enter the authorization number on the following:

- CCC-639
 - CCC-638
 - CCC-691, item 31.
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**B
Sales to
Employees**

FSA employees may purchase honey offered for local sale only when the sale of this honey is based on competitive bids.

No purchase may be made, either directly or indirectly, by:

- the employee who was formerly accountable for the honey or who was in any way connected with its condemnation or sale
 - State Office employees without prior approval of SED
 - County Office employees without prior approval of the State Office representative.
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**C
Announcing the
Sale**

A formal announcement of sale is not required, but an informal announcement should be provided to as many of the known buyers in the area as possible.

For an example of an informal announcement of sale, see Exhibit 2.

Note: Any other format must contain at least the information contained in the applicable example.

Paid advertisements to publicize a sale may be used, if authorized by SED.

Post a copy of the announcement in a prominent place in the County Office.

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3 Local Sale Procedures (Continued)

**D
Receiving,
Opening, and
Accepting Bids**

Bids must be received in writing and signed by the bidder.

County Offices shall:

- time and date-stamp bids upon receipt
- keep bids in a locked file until bids are opened
- allow at least 15 days, but no later than 30 calendar days, after the date the announcement before opening bids, unless the State Office specifically waives this requirement.

Record bids on CCC-639 at the time bids are opened.

Before accepting bids, State Office verbal approval is required.

Note: State Office shall follow up with written approval within 3 calendar days after verbal approval is given.

**E
Completing
CCC-639**

Complete CCC-639 according to the following table and keep in the County Office.

Note: Items not listed are self-explanatory.

Item	Instructions
1	Enter number serially by calendar year.
8	Enter loan number.
11	Enter bid price which will be on an “as is” and “where is” basis as provided for in the informal announcement.
12	Enter Free on Board (F.O.B.) buyer and location of honey.
13-21	Leave blank.
22	Enter local market price.
23	Enter any information pertinent to the sale.

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**F
Example of
CCC-639**

The following is an example of CCC-639.

REPRODUCE LOCALLY. Include form number and date on reproductions.

CCC-639 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE (09-12-90) Commodity Credit Corporation COMPETITIVE BID PRICING WORKSHEET	1. ANNOUNCEMENT NO. 1	2. SALES NO.(S) 3	3. DATE 11/17/01
	4. LOCATION OF COMMODITY Fredericksburg, VA	5. COUNTY Sweet, VA	
	6. COMMODITY Honey	7. TYPE OF SALE ASIS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GRADE BASIS <input type="checkbox"/>	

PART A - BIDS RECEIVED (If additional space is needed, use reverse side.)					
8. LOT NO. <small>(Include Loan No. or Bin No.)</small>	9. NAME AND ADDRESS OF BIDDER <small>(Check successful bidder(s))</small>	✓	10. TIME AND DATE	11. BID PRICE <small>(Per Unit)</small>	12. DELIVERY BASIS <small>(Location of Commodity)</small>
51-177-2	XYZ Warehouse Fredericksburg, VA		9:21	.30	FOB Buyer
51-177-2	BOB Hill	✓	10:00	.45	
51-177-2	Buzzy Bee		10:08	.34	

PART B - ADJUSTED TERMINAL PRICE(S)					
13. Terminal Market					
14. Grade and Quality					
15. Terminal Market Price					
16. Terminal Marketing Charges and Weighing and Inspection					
17. Freight					
18. UGRSA Load Out Charge					
19. Constructed Cost (if applicable)					
20. Other (specify)					
21. Adjusted Terminal Price					
22. LOCAL MARKET INFORMATION Local Market Price for Honey is being offered at about \$.51 per pound					
23. REMARKS					

1/ Do not deduct these charges if not borne by CCC in the commodity office area.
 This program or activity will be conducted on a nondiscriminatory basis without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, age, sex, marital status, or disability.

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3 Local Sale Procedures (Continued)

**G
Notifying
Successful
Bidders**

County Offices shall:

- complete CCC-638 according to the following table
- mail copy of CCC-638, or a similar letter, to the successful bidder on the opening day
- keep original CCC-638 in County Office.

Item	Instructions
1	Enter numbers shown on CCC-639, item 2.
2	ENTER "Informal".
5	All sales will be F.O.B. buyer where stored.
10 C	Enter F.O.B. buyer and location of commodity.
10 F	Enter price shown on applicable CCC-639, item 11.
11	Enter any information pertinent to the delivery of the commodity.
16	CED or designee shall sign.
17-22	Leave blank.

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3 Local Sale Procedures (Continued)

**H
Example of
CCC-638**

The following is an example of CCC-638.

REPRODUCE LOCALLY. Include form number and date on reproductions. Form Approved - OMB No. 0580-0087

CCC-638 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE Commodity Credit Corporation CONFIRMATION OF SALE <small>(See Privacy Act and Public Burden Statements on Reverse)</small>		1. SALES NUMBER 5	2. TYPE OF SALE Informal				
		3. STATE AND COUNTY CODES 51-099		4. DATE ISSUED 2-14-0X			
6. NAME AND ADDRESS OF BUYER Beth Hill 424 High St. Fredericksburg, VA 22405		5. DELIVERY POINT <i>(Include bin site or warehouse number & location or name)</i> Five Hives, Fredericksburg, VA					
		7. WEIGH POINT <i>(If other than delivery point)</i> ZXE Warehouse		8. UNIT OF MEASURE BU. <input type="checkbox"/> CWT. <input type="checkbox"/>			
		9. COMMODITY Honey			Other <i>(Specify)</i> : LBS		
10. CCC agrees to sell the lot(s) described below to the buyer subject to the terms and conditions specified herein and any applicable regulations or announcements governing such sales.							
A. LOT IDENTITY	B. ESTIMATED QUANTITY	C. DELIVERY BASIS	D. QUALITY BASIS	E. DELIVERY DATE	F. CONTRACT PRICE	G. ADVANCE PAYMENT	
51-177-11-4	1,050	FOB	"AS IS"		.48		
H. TOTAL →						504.00	
11. REMARKS Contact this office at your earliest convenience for delivery arrangements.							
12. BUYER TO SIGN ORIGINAL AND RETURN TO COUNTY OFFICE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		13. BUYER SIGNATURE NOT REQUIRED <input type="checkbox"/>		14. NAME AND ADDRESS OF FSA COUNTY OFFICE Sweet County FSA Office 123 Short Street Fredericksburg, VA 22401			
15. SIGNATURE OF BUYER _____ DATE _____				16. FOR THE FSA COUNTY COMMITTEE <i>(Signature)</i> _____ DATE _____			
17. SETTLEMENT INFORMATION							
A. REFERENCE NUMBER	B. NET PREMIUM OR DISCOUNT PER UNIT	C. BIN EMPTYING CREDITS PER UNIT <i>(Bin Sale Only)</i>	D. NET PRICE PER UNIT	E. DOCK-AGE	F. NET QUANTITY <i>(In Units)</i>	G. NET PROCEEDS <i>(In Dollars)</i>	H. FORM CCC-257 <i>(Numbers and Amounts)</i>
I. TOTALS →							
18. FORM 55 NO. <i>(Bin sales only)</i>		19. REFUND CHECK NUMBER		20. AMOUNT OF REFUND \$		21. TOTAL NET PROCEEDS ADJUSTED FOR DAMAGES \$	
22. FOR THE OFFICE MANAGER _____						DATE _____	

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3 Local Sale Procedures (Continued)

**I
Posting Bids**

When a sale is made:

- prepare a list showing the names of the bidders, bid, and successful bidder
- post the list in the County Office on the date that CCC-638 is mailed and leave posted for at least 5 calendar days.

The County Office shall retain CCC -638, CCC-639, and all successful and unsuccessful bids on file in the County Office for 5 years.

**J
Making Payment
for Sales**

Payments for the sale of the honey must be:

- made before or at the time of delivery
 - in cash or other acceptable remittance
 - received in the County Office within 5 calendar days after notification of the successful bid.
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**K
Applicable
Charges**

The producer is responsible for applicable charges incurred as necessary to complete the sale of loan collateral.

Examples: Weighing, sampling, or grading.

Document all charges on CCC-691, Part C, as applicable. These charges shall be recorded as other charges when processing the local sale settlement in APSS.

**L
Applying Sale
Proceeds**

The proceeds from the sale of the honey shall be applied to the CCC account.

Settlement with producers shall be based on the discounts applicable to the honey sold.

The loan principal plus interest shall not be applied to the sale proceeds.

The sale proceeds shall be deposited according to 3-FI, using program code "COMMLOSA".

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**M
Scheduling
Delivery to
Purchaser**

After the sale has been completed, the County Office shall:

- schedule delivery of the honey to the purchaser
 - issue CCC-691 to the borrower, directing delivery to the purchaser F.O.B. purchaser conveyance at the storage location.
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**N
Supervising
Delivery**

The County Office representative shall:

- supervise the delivery, including weight and sampling, when applicable
- draw a representative sample for:
 - color determination
 - adulteration
- issue payment, as applicable.

Note: See paragraph 4 for sampling instructions.

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3 Local Sale Procedures (Continued)

O
Completing
Local Sale
Processing

County Office shall:

- process local sale settlement through APSS according to 12-PS, Part 9
- enter weight, grade, and sale information on CCC-691, Part B according to 8-LP, paragraph 1016
- apply the following discounts based on the color test received from AMS:

Class	Discount Cents/lbs.
Extra Light Amber	0.5
Light Amber	4.0
Amber	9.0
Nontable	9.0

- use a “zero” settlement rate for any honey that has been determined by AMS to have positive adulteration or moisture in excess of 18.5
 - complete the settlement with the producer
 - base the settlement to the producer on color delivered and determined by AMS
 - **not** do either of the following:
 - reduce the settlement rate to less than zero
 - use the sale proceeds as the settlement value of the commodity.
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P
Submitting
Documents to
KCFO

County Offices shall submit local sale and settlement documents to KCFO at the following address:

FSA/KCFO/FOD/COAB
STOP 8578
PO Box 419205
Kansas City, MO 64141-6205.

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4 Sampling and Delivering Honey Samples

A

State Office Action

For all honey loans that will be settled by local sale, State Offices shall:

- instruct County Offices to immediately follow 2-LP Honey, paragraph 183 for drawing samples, producers fees, etc.
 - remind County Offices that producers are responsible for all expenses associated with the local sale, including sampling, weighing, and advertising.
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B

County Office Action

For all honey loans that will be settled by local sale, County Offices shall:

- immediately sample all outstanding 2000 Crop Honey Nonrecourse Marketing Assistance Loans according to 2-LP Honey, paragraph 183
- contact the AMS laboratory according to Exhibit 3, to receive instruction on processing samples
- remind producers that they are responsible for all expenses involved with conducting a local sale
- complete FV-146 for each sample drawn according to Exhibit 4
- send each sample for color and moisture to the designated AMS laboratory according to Exhibit 3
- send sample or samples for adulteration to the following:

Coastal Science Laboratory, Inc.
6000 Mountain Shadows Drive
Austin, TX 78735.

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AMS Action

Upon reviewing the submitted samples, AMS will return FV-146 to the County Offices. FV-146 will display the official results from the laboratory. See Exhibit 4.

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4 Sampling and Delivering Honey Samples (Continued)

**D
Issuing
Remittance for
Laboratory
Expense**

County Offices shall:

- receive NFC-523

Note: NFC-523 is an invoice for services performed by AMS.

- verify all information received on NFC-523, according to Exhibit 5
 - prepare CCC-184 through the accounting software according to 1-FI using the program code "LAB"
 - make copies of NFC-523 and related documents
 - mail CCC-184 and entire NFC-523 to the address that appears on the upper portion of the document.
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Producer Notification Letter

The following is an example of the producer notification letter.

Dear _____:

According to our records, you have a 2000 crop year honey loan. (Month/day/year), is the loan maturity date. If you have not already notified the FSA office of your intentions, please do so at once. If you intend to settle the honey with Commodity Credit Corporation (CCC), the following provisions will apply:

- you will be notified of the local sale and date to deliver the honey to the purchaser
- settlement is limited to the quantity of honey in the number of containers originally certified on the loan less the number of repaid containers
- you or your authorized agents must be at the storage location AT THE TIME OF SAMPLING to designate the lots by color and floral source and to sign the necessary documents
- even though your containers may have been previously inspected, the FSA representative will make the final container eligibility
- your honey will be weighed by an FSA representative to determine the quantity delivered
- title to the container passes to the highest bidder at time of delivery
- you are responsible for inspection and testing fees.

An FSA representative will sample the honey for color, moisture, and adulteration. Determinations will be made by AMS. The value of the settlement of your honey shall be the loan rate for the quality times the quantity to be settled adjusted by the applicable discounts. The following provisions will apply:

- the settlement rate for positive adulteration or moisture content in excess of 18.5 is "zero"
- the color of honey will be determined according to AMS
- the FSA representative will not remove residue or defects on top of the honey before drawing samples
- you will be given 5 workdays after the date of notification to appeal the quality determination made by AMS, and you must pay for any expenses resulting from the appeal
- if the settlement value of the honey is less than the amount due on the loan, the amount of any deficiency and charges plus interest thereon shall be paid to CCC
- if the settlement value of the honey exceeds the amount due, CCC will provide you a check for the excess amount.

If you have any questions about any of the above provisions, please contact this office for more information.

Sincerely,

County Executive Director

Informal Announcement of Sale

The following is an example of an informal announcement of sale.

Reproduce locally.

**Announcement of Sale and Invitation to Bid on
Commodity Credit Corporation Loan Collateral**

*Sweet County FSA Office
P.O. Box 257
Fredricksburg, VA*

Offer No. 1 Kind of Commodity HONEY

The Sweet County FSA Office at Fredricksburg, VA hereby announces the sale of honey and invites bids on the following lots of honey subject to the terms and conditions of this Invitation to Bid. Such disposition will be for domestic unrestricted use unless otherwise indicated below. Bids will be opened on January 27 , 200 X at 2:00 p.m. Bids will be considered only if received before such opening time.

1. Quantity and Location of Honey

<u>Loan No.</u>	<u>Lot No.</u>	<u>Approximate Quantity</u>	<u>Location of Commodity</u>
<i>51-177-12</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1000 pounds</i>	<i>2 miles south of Fredricksburg, VA on Highway 6</i>

2. All bids must be submitted in writing, signed by the bidder, and specify the price per pound and "as is" and "where is" basis.
3. Alternate or tie-in bids will not be accepted.
4. CCC reserves the right to accept or reject, in whole or part of, any or all bids, and in considering bids to take into account the financial responsibility of the bidder.
5. CCC does not warrant the grade/or quality of any honey in this lot(s) or the fitness of this honey for any particular use. The buyers may make arrangements to inspect any lots offered before bidding by making arrangements with the CED at the above named County FSA Office.
6. Quantities in the lots indicated are approximate. Buyer is responsible for all accrued charges not paid or provided for.
7. The sales proceeds due CCC shall be paid based on the **net** weight of the honey received by the buyer. Payment shall be cash, postal money order, certified check, or draft guaranteed by the banking institution on which shown, or if approved by the CED, uncertified personal or firm check.
8. Payment must be made at the time of delivery of the honey and **not** later than 5 business days after the date of the sale.
9. Delivery basis is by buyer's conveyance at the storage site.

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AMS Grading Laboratories

A**Overview**

The following contains a list of laboratory addresses and phone numbers where samples may be either sent to the laboratory, inspection point, or suboffices. These offices are listed by the geographic location in the regions of the United States.

B**Selecting the Appropriate Laboratory**

State and County Offices shall select the laboratory that serves the appropriate State. If there is doubt in the correct laboratory, contact 1 of the laboratories in the appropriate area before submitting samples.

Mail samples to the following address:

Officer in Charge
Processed Product Branch
F&V Division
USDA, AMS Inspection Office.

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Eastern Region

The following is a list of field locations for the eastern region.

Laboratories	
<p>East Point, Georgia</p> <p>John Pollard, Officer in Charge Terry B. Bane, Assistant Officer in Charge 1555 St Joseph Avenue East Point, GA 30344-2591</p> <p>Phone: 404-763-7495 Hours: 8:00 to 4:30 e.t.</p>	<p>South Bend, Indiana</p> <p>Richard L. Reagan, Office in Charge William P. Loftis, Assistant Officer in Charge Walter Brann, Assistant Officer in Charge 4318 Technology Drive South Bend, IN 46628-9752</p> <p>Phone: 218-287-5407 Hours: 8:00 to 4:30 e.t.</p>
<p>Hunt Valley, Maryland</p> <p>Norman Upton, Officer in Charge Hunt Valley Professional Bldg., Suite 204 9 Schilling Road Hunt Valley, MD 21031-1106</p> <p>Phone: 410-527-0400 or 410-527-0401 Hours: 8:00 to 4:30 e.t.</p>	<p>Richmond, Virginia</p> <p>Raymond E. Oliver, Office in Charge No. 1 North 14th Street, Room 332 Richmond, VA 23219-3691</p> <p>Phone: 804-786-2422 Hours: 8:00 to 4:30 e.t.</p>
<p>North Brunswick, New Jersey</p> <p>William Wright, Officer in Charge Thomas Reed, Assistant Officer in Charge Park Plaza Professional Bldg., Suite 304 622 Georges Road North Brunswick, NJ 08902-3313</p> <p>Phone: 732-545-0939 Hours: 8:00 to 4:30 e.t.</p>	<p>Ripon, Wisconsin</p> <p>Milborn R. (Ron) Beaty, Officer in Charge Valerie A. Kuhl, Assistant officer in Charge 742 East Fond du Lac Street Ripon, WI 54971-9555</p> <p>Phone 920-7489-2287 Hours: 8:00 to 4:30 e.t.</p>
<p>Portland, Maine</p> <p>Wallace W. Fengles, Office in Charge 165 Lancaster Street Portland, ME 04101-2499</p> <p>Phone: 207-772-1588 Hours: 8:00 to 4:30 e.t.</p>	<p>Weslaco, Texas</p> <p>Dwain Parrish, Officer in Charge 117 South Westgate Weslaco, TX 78596-2701</p> <p>Phone: 956-968-2126 or 956-968-2772 Hours: 8:00 to 5:00 c.t.</p>

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Eastern Region
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Laboratories	
<p>Winter Haven, Florida</p> <p>Cynthia T. Douglas, Officer in Charge 98 Third St., SW Winter Haven, FL 33880-2909</p> <p>Phone: 863-294-7416 Hours: 8:00 to 4:30 e.t.</p>	
Inspection Points or Suboffices	
<p>Gary Reiji, Inspector c/o Vroon Cold Storage Russell Road Hart, MI 49420-0113</p> <p>Phone: 616-873-5654</p>	<p>R. Ray Miller, Inspector Genesee Valley Regional Market 900 Jefferson Road, Room 110 Rochester, NY 14623-3289</p> <p>Phone: 716-424-2096 or 716-424-2092 Hours: 8:00 to 4:30 e.t.</p>
<p>Jolli McDonald, Inspector Americold P.O. Box 2926 Kansas City, KS 66110-2926</p> <p>Phone: 913-375-1166 Hours: 8:00-4:30 c.t.</p>	<p>William Michener, Inspector Defense Personnel Support Center Bldg 5D South Room 50503 700 Robbins Ave Philadelphia, PA 19111-5099</p> <p>Phone: 215-737-2598 Hours 8:00 to 4:30 e.t.</p>
<p>Thomas Cloninger, Inspector Commerce Building, Suite 3 1942 William Blvd Lenner, LA 700062-6285</p> <p>Phone: 504-466-0343 Hours: 8:00 to 4:30 c.t.</p>	<p>Officer in Charge 102 Maryland Avenue Easton, MD 21601-3409</p> <p>Phone: 410-822-3383 Hours: 8:00 to 4:30 e.t.</p>
<p>Gregory Stevens, Inspector 2126 Hoffman Road Mankato, MN 56001-5863</p> <p>Phone: 507-387-6101 Hours: 8:00 to 4:30 e.t.</p>	<p>Tom Fourkiller, Inspector 716 South 2nd Street, Suite 106 Stillwater, OK 74960-4806</p> <p>Phone: 918-696-6333 Hours: 8:00 to 5:00 c.t.</p>

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Eastern Region
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Inspection Points or Suboffices	
Alfonso T. Briones, Inspector 319 Market Street Laredo, TX 78040-8529 Phone: 210-726-2258 Hours: 8: to 5:00 c.t.	Daniel Frey, Inspector 2320 La Branch Street Federal Building Room 1011 Houston, TX 77004-1036 Phone: 713-659-3836 Hours: 7:00 to 3:30 c.t.
Holland Coffie, Inspector 6966 NW 36 th Avenue Miami, FL 33147-6506 Phone 305-835-7626 Hours: 8:00 to 4:30 e.t.	Lincoln Square Building 18441 NW 2 nd Ave., Suite 103 Miami, FL 33169-4517 Phone 305-999-3350 Hours: 8:00 to 4:30 e.t.

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Western Regions The following is a list of field locations for the western region.

Laboratories	
<p>Covina, California</p> <p>Bruce Copeland, Officer in charge 720 East Arrow Highway, Suite F Covina, CA 91722-2103</p> <p>Phone: 626-732-9178 Hours: 7:20-4:00 p.t</p>	<p>Salem, Oregon</p> <p>Herbert A. Hooper, Officer in Charge 2520 19th Street SE Salem, OR 97301-3631</p> <p>Phone 503-399-5761 Hours: 8:00 to 4:30 p.t.</p>
<p>Denver, Colorado</p> <p>Send to the western Regional Office:</p> <p>Romeo V. Villaluz, Regional Director Processes Product Branch F7V Division USDA AMS Inspection Office 2202 Monterey Street, Suite 102-C Fresno, CA 93721-3175</p> <p>Phone: 557-487-5210 Hours: 8:00 to 4:30 p.t.</p>	<p>Stockton, California</p> <p>William V. Stevenson, Officer in Charge 5635 Stratford Circle , circle 11 Stockton, CA 95207-5055</p> <p>Phone: 209-946-6301 Hours: 8:00 to 4:30 p.t.</p>
<p>Honolulu, Hawaii</p> <p>Shawn Slocum, Manager State of Hawaii Dept. of Agriculture P.O. Box 22159 Honolulu, HI 96823-2159</p> <p>Phone: 808-873-9566 Hours: 7:45 to 4:30 H.t.</p>	<p>Yakima, Washington</p> <p>Frank V. Warren, Officer in Charge Gary Norman, Assistant Officer in Charge 32 North 3rd Street, Room 212 Yakima, WA 98901-2791</p>
Inspection Points and Suboffices	
<p>Jeanie Carson 17850 Moro Road Suite C Salinas, CA 93907-8541</p> <p>Phone: 832-663-6221 Hours: 8:00 to 4:30 p.t.</p>	<p>Gary Shelton , Inspector 111 South Main Street Milton-Freewater, OR 97862-1342</p> <p>Phone: 541-938-3251 Hours: 8:00 to 4:30 p.t.</p>
<p>Dale I. Scarborough, Inspector 45-69 Monroe St. unit 3 Indio, CA 92201-3440</p> <p>Phone 760-347-1057 Hours: 8:30 to 5:00 p.t.</p>	<p>Jack Whitt, Inspector 1184 East Main Street, #2 Burley, ID 83318</p> <p>Phone: 208-677-2216 Hours: 8:00 to 4:30 p.t.</p>

FV-146 Example

The following is an example of FV-146.

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE CERTIFICATE OF QUALITY AND CONDITION (PROCESSED FOODS)		Please refer to this certificate by number and inspection office.																		
This certificate is receivable in all courts of the United States as prima facie evidence of the truth of the statements therein contained. It does not excuse failure to comply with any applicable Federal or State laws. WARNING: Any person who knowingly falsely makes, issues, alters, forges, or counterfeits this certificate, or participates in any such actions, is subject to a fine of not more than \$1,000 or imprisonment for not more than one year, or both (7 U.S.C. 1622 (h)). The conduct of all services and the licensing of all personnel under the regulations governing such services shall be accomplished without discrimination as to race, color, religion, sex, or national origin.		① Y- 774368																		
		DATE February 3, 1989																		
APPLICANT FSA ②	ADDRESS Dawson County FSA Office ③ Box 310																			
RECEIVER OR BUYER -----	ADDRESS Lexington, Nebraska 68850 -----																			
SOURCE OF SAMPLES Submitted by FSA	PRODUCT INSPECTED UNPROCESSED HONEY ④																			
CODE MARKS ON CONTAINERS WAREHOUSE LOT NO. 1988019 ACCOUNTING NO. 31 047 389																				
PRINCIPAL LABEL MARKS Unlabeled																				
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Pursuant to the regulations issued by the Secretary of Agriculture under the Agricultural Marketing Act of 1946, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1621-1627), governing the inspection and certification of the product designated herein. I certify that the quality and condition of the product as shown by samples inspected on the above date were as shown, subject to any restrictions specified above.																				
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NFC-523 Example

The following is an example of NFC-523.

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F & V PROGRAM
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