

For: Peanut State and County Offices

Timely Issuing FSA-1007's for Inspected Peanuts

Approved by: Deputy Administrator, Farm Programs



1 Overview

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Background

The peanut poundage quota regulations in 7 CFR 729.303 state that if a lot of peanuts is inspected by FSIS, the producer shall designate to the handler the category of marketings within the time allowed by the handler but **not** later than COB on the third workday after the peanuts are inspected.

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Purpose

This notice reminds State and County Offices, FSIS, peanut handlers, and peanut producers of requirements for **timely** issuing FSA-1007's for inspected peanuts.

2 Action

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State and County Office Action

State and County Offices shall take the necessary actions to inform FSIS personnel, peanut producers, handlers, and available media of the contents of this notice.

B

Handler Action

All peanut buying points must timely issue FSA-1007's for each load of peanuts that have been inspected by FSIS within 3 calendar days of the inspection. On the fourth calendar day after inspection, if the producer has **not** designated a category of marketing, the handler may contact the producer for further instructions.

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2 Action (Continued)

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FSIS Action

If **no** action has been taken according to subparagraph B, the FSIS inspector **may** “No Sale” the subject load of peanuts on the fifth calendar day after the peanuts have been inspected according to 1-PN, subparagraph 764 E.
