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of the ginned lint. Normal preparation for any color grade of American Upland cotton for which there is a physical color standard shall be that found in the physical color standard. Normal preparation for any color grade of American Upland cotton for which there is a descriptive color standard shall be that found in the physical standards for color used to define the descriptive color grade. Explanatory terms considered necessary to adequately describe the preparation of cotton may be entered on classification memorandums or certificates.

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**§ 28.481 Alternate title for standards.**

Since these standards have been agreed upon and accepted by the leading European cotton associations and exchanges, they may also be termed and referred to as the "Universal Standards for American Cotton."

[24 FR 5171, June 25, 1959]

**§ 28.482 United States Cotton Futures Act.**

The cotton standards contained in § 28.301 through § 28.603 of this part shall be effective for purposes of the United States Cotton Futures Act (7 U.S.C. 15b) and the regulations thereunder (7 CFR part 27).

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OFFICIAL COTTON STANDARDS OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE GRADE OF AMERICAN PIMA COTTON

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**§ 28.501 Grade No. 1.**

Grade No. 1 shall be American Pima cotton which in grade is within the range represented by a set of samples in the custody of the U.S. Department of Agriculture in a container marked "Original Official Cotton Standards of the United States, American Pima, Grade No. 1, effective July 1, 1986."

[34 FR 9847, June 26, 1969, as amended at 48 FR 16874, Apr. 20, 1983; 50 FR 25198, June 18, 1985]

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**§ 28.502 Grade No. 2.**

Grade No. 2 shall be American Pima cotton which in grade is within the range represented by a set of samples in the custody of the U.S. Department of Agriculture in a container marked "Original Official Cotton Standards of the United States, American Pima, Grade No. 2, effective July 1, 1986."

[34 FR 9847, June 26, 1969, as amended at 48 FR 16874, Apr. 20, 1983; 50 FR 25198, June 18, 1985]

**§ 28.503 Grade No. 3.**

Grade No. 3 shall be American Pima cotton which in grade is within the range represented by a set of samples in the custody of the U.S. Department of Agriculture in a container marked "Original Official Cotton Standards of the United States, American Pima, Grade No. 3, effective July 1, 1986."

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**§ 28.504 Grade No. 4.**

Grade No. 4 shall be American Pima cotton which in grade is within the range represented by a set of samples in the custody of the U.S. Department of Agriculture in a container marked "Original Official Cotton Standards of the United States, American Pima, Grade No. 4, effective July 1, 1986."

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**§ 28.505 Grade No. 5.**

Grade No. 5 shall be American Pima cotton which in grade is within the range represented by a set of samples in the custody of the U.S. Department of Agriculture in a container marked "Original Official Cotton Standards of the United States, American Pima, Grade No. 5, effective July 1, 1986."

[34 FR 9847, June 26, 1969, as amended at 48 FR 16874, Apr. 20, 1983; 50 FR 25198, June 18, 1985]

**§ 28.506 Grade No. 6.**

Grade No. 6 shall be American Pima cotton which in grade is within the range represented by a set of samples in the custody of the U.S. Department