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of the Secretary to disapprove of the same at any time. Upon such disapproval, the disapproved action of the said committee shall be deemed null and void, except as to acts done in reliance thereon or in compliance therewith prior to such disapproval by the Secretary.

§ 947.83 Duration of immunities.

The benefits, privileges, and immunities conferred upon any persons by virtue of this subpart shall cease upon the termination of this subpart, except with respect to acts done under and during the existence of this subpart.

§ 947.84 Agents.

The Secretary may, by designation in writing, name any person, including any officer or employee of the Government, or name any agency in the United States Department of Agriculture, to act as his agent or representative in connection with any of the provisions of this subpart.

§ 947.85 Derogation.

Nothing contained in this subpart is, or shall be construed to be, in derogation or in modification of the rights of the Secretary or of the United States to exercise any powers granted by the act or otherwise, or, in accordance with such powers, to act in the premises whenever such action is deemed advisable.

§ 947.86 Personal liability.

No member or alternate of the committee, nor any employee or agent thereof, shall be held personally responsible, either individually or jointly with others, in any way whatsoever to any handler or any person for errors in judgment, mistakes, or other acts, either of commission or omission, as such member, alternate, or employee, except for acts of dishonesty.

§ 947.87 Separability.

If any provision of this subpart is declared invalid, or the applicability thereof to any person, circumstance, or thing is held invalid, the validity of the remainder of this subpart, or the applicability thereof to any other person, circumstance, or thing, shall not be affected thereby.

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§ 947.88 Amendments.

Amendments to this subpart may be proposed from time to time, by the committee or by the Secretary.

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GENERAL

§ 947.100 Communications.

Unless otherwise provided in the marketing agreement and order (§§ 947.1 to 947.88), or by specific direction of the committee, all reports, applications, submittals, requests, and communications in connection therewith shall be addressed to the committee at its principal office.

DEFINITIONS

§ 947.110 Order.

Order means Order No. 947, as amended (§§ 947.1 to 947.88), regulating the handling of Irish potatoes grown in Modoc and Siskiyou Counties in California and in all Counties in Oregon, except Malheur County.

§ 947.111 Marketing agreement.

Marketing agreement means Marketing Agreement No. 114, as amended.

§ 947.112 Terms.

Terms used in this subpart shall have the same meaning as when used in said marketing agreement and order.

§ 947.113 Area determinations.

Immediate production area, and *immediate shipping area*, respectively, are each synonymous with *district*.

§ 947.114 Fiscal period.

The fiscal period shall begin July 1 of each year and end June 30 of the following year, both dates inclusive.

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EXEMPTIONS

§ 947.120 Hardship exemption.

Handlers seeking an exemption pursuant to the provisions of §§ 947.65-