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DEFINITIONS
§ 953.1 Secretary.
Secretary means the Secretary of Ag-
culture of the United States, or any
other officer or member of the United
States Department of Agriculture who
is or may hereafter be authorized to ex-
ercise the powers and to perform the
duties of the Secretary of Agriculture.

§ 953.2 Act.
Act means Public Act No. 10, 73d Con-
gress, as amended and as re-enacted
and amended by the Agricultural Mar-
keting Agreement Act of 1937, as
amended (7 U.S.C. 601 et seq.).

§ 953.3 Person.
Person means an individual, part-
nership, corporation, association, legal
representative, or any organized group
or business unit of individuals.

§ 953.4 Production area.
Production area means and includes
the counties of Accomack, North-
ampton, Nansemond, James City, the
cities of Chesapeake and Virginia
Beach in the State of Virginia and the
counties of Northampton, Halifax,
Nash, Edgecombe, Pitt, Lenoir, Jones,
and Onslow and all counties east there-
of in the State of North Carolina.

§ 953.5 Potatoes.
Potatoes means all varieties of Irish
potatoes grown in the production area.

§ 953.6 Handler.
Handler is synonymous with shipper
and means any person (except a com-
mon or contract carrier of potatoes
owned by another person) who ships po-
tatoes in fresh form, whether or not of
his own production.

§ 953.7 Ship.
Ship is synonymous with handle and
means to transport, sell, or in any
manner place potatoes in the current
of interstate commerce or so as di-
rectly to burden, obstruct, or affect
such commerce.

§ 953.8 Producer.
Producer means any person engaged
in the production of potatoes for mar-
tet.

§ 953.9 Fiscal period.
Fiscal period means the period begin-
ning and ending on the dates approved
by the Secretary pursuant to re-
commendations by the committee.

§ 953.10 Committee.
Committee means the Administrative
Committee, called the Southeastern
Potato Committee, established pursu-
ant to §953.15.

§ 953.11 District.
District means, describes, and refers
to each of the geographic divisions of