

**§ 982.1**

- 982.466 Reports of inshell hazelnuts handled, shelled and withheld.
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**Subpart—Order Regulating Handling**

DEFINITIONS

**§ 982.1 Secretary.**

*Secretary* means the Secretary of Agriculture of the United States, or any other officer or employee of the United States Department of Agriculture who is, or who may be, authorized to perform the duties of the Secretary of Agriculture of the United States.

**§ 982.2 Act.**

*Act* means Public Act No. 10, 73d Congress, as amended and as reenacted and amended by the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, as amended (7 U.S.C. 601 et seq.; 48 Stat. 31, as amended).

**§ 982.3 Person.**

*Person* means an individual, partnership, corporation, association, or any other business unit.

**§ 982.4 Hazelnuts.**

*Hazelnuts* means hazelnuts or filberts produced in the States of Oregon and Washington from trees of the genus *Corylus*.

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**§ 982.5 Area of production.**

*Area of production* means the States of Oregon and Washington.

**§ 982.6 Grower.**

*Grower* is synonymous with *producer* and means any person engaged, in a proprietary capacity, in the commercial production of hazelnuts.

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**§ 982.7 To handle.**

*To handle* means to sell, consign, transport or ship (except as a common carrier of hazelnuts owned by another person), or in any other way to put hazelnuts, inshell or shelled, into the channels of trade either within the area of production or from such area to points outside thereof: *Provided*, That sales or deliveries by growers to handlers within the area of production or authorized disposition of restricted hazelnuts and substandard hazelnuts shall not be considered as handling.

**§ 982.8 Handler.**

*Handler* means any person who handles hazelnuts.

**§ 982.11 Pack.**

*Pack* means a specific commercial classification according to size, internal quality, and external appearance and condition of hazelnuts packed in accordance with any of the pack specifications prescribed pursuant to § 982.45.

**§ 982.12 Merchantable hazelnuts.**

*Merchantable hazelnuts* means inshell hazelnuts that meet the grade and size regulations in effect pursuant to § 982.45 and are likely to be available for handling as inshell hazelnuts.

**§ 982.13 Substandard hazelnuts.**

*Substandard hazelnuts* means hazelnuts, inshell or shelled, that do not meet the minimum standards effective pursuant to § 982.45.

**§ 982.14 Restricted hazelnuts.**

*Restricted hazelnuts* means inshell hazelnuts withheld in satisfaction of a restricted obligation.

**§ 982.15 Inshell handler carryover.**

*Inshell handler carryover* as of any given date means all inshell hazelnuts (except restricted hazelnuts) wherever located then held by handlers or for their accounts, whether or not sold, including certified merchantable hazelnuts and the estimated merchantable content of those uncertified hazelnuts then held by handlers which are intended for handling as inshell hazelnuts.