

**§ 946.1**

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**Subpart—Handling Regulations**

946.336 Handling regulation.

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**Subpart—Order Regulating Handling**

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DEFINITIONS

**§ 946.1 Secretary.**

*Secretary* means the Secretary of Agriculture 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 exercise the powers and to perform the duties of the Secretary of Agriculture.

**§ 946.2 Act.**

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

**§ 946.3 Person.**

*Person* means an individual, partnership, corporation, association, legal representative, or any organized group or business unit.

**§ 946.4 Production area.**

*Production area* means all territory included within the boundaries of the State of Washington.

**§ 946.5 Potatoes.**

*Potatoes* means all varieties of Irish potatoes grown within the State of Washington.

**§ 946.6 Handler.**

*Handler* is synonymous with *shipper* and means any person (except a common or contract carrier of potatoes owned by another person) who handles

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potatoes or causes potatoes to be handled.

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**§ 946.7 Handle.**

*Handle* is synonymous with *ship* and means to transport, sell, or in any other way to place potatoes grown in the State of Washington, or cause such potatoes to be placed, in the current of commerce within the production area or between the production area and any point outside thereof, or from any point in the adjoining States of Oregon and Idaho to any other point: *Provided*, That, the definition of “handle” shall not include the transportation of ungraded potatoes within the production area for the purpose of having such potatoes prepared for market, or stored, except that the committee may impose safeguards pursuant to § 946.55 with respect to such potatoes.

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**§ 946.8 Producer.**

*Producer* means any person engaged in the production of potatoes for market.

**§ 946.9 Fiscal period.**

*Fiscal period* means the period beginning on July 1 of each year and ending June 30 of the following year, or such other period as the Secretary may establish pursuant to recommendation of the committee.

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**§ 946.10 Committee.**

*Committee* means the administrative committee, called the State of Washington Potato Committee, established pursuant to § 946.22.

**§ 946.11 Varieties.**

*Varieties* means and includes all classifications or subdivisions of Irish potatoes according to those definitive characteristics now or hereafter recognized by the United States Department of Agriculture.

**§ 946.12 Seed potatoes.**

*Seed potatoes* means and includes all potatoes officially certified and tagged, marked or otherwise appropriately