

**Agricultural Marketing Service, USDA**

**§ 989.25**

**§ 989.16 Blend.**

*Blend* means to mix or commingle raisins.

**§ 989.17 Acquire.**

*Acquire* means to have or obtain physical possession of raisins by a handler at his packing or processing plant or at any other established receiving station operated by him: *Provided*, That a handler shall not be deemed to acquire any raisins (including raisins produced or dehydrated by him) while:

(a) He stores them for another person or as handler-produced tonnage in compliance with the provisions of §§ 989.58 and 989.70;

(b) He reconditions them, or;

(c) He has them in his possession for the purpose of inspection; and *Provided further*, That the term shall apply only to the handler who first acquires the raisins.

**§ 989.18 Committee.**

*Committee* means the Raisin Administrative Committee established under § 989.26.

[41 FR 32412, Aug. 3, 1976]

**§ 989.20 Ton.**

*Ton* means a short ton of 2,000 pounds.

**§ 989.21 Crop year.**

*Crop year* means the 12-month period beginning with August 1 of any year and ending with July 31 of the following year.

[41 FR 32412, Aug. 3, 1976]

**§ 989.22 District.**

*District* means any one of the geographical areas referred to in § 989.26, and designated in the rules and regulations.

[48 FR 32974, July 20, 1983]

**§ 989.23 File.**

*File* means transmit or deliver to the Secretary or committee, as the case may be, and such act shall be deemed to have been accomplished at the time:

(a) Of actual receipt by the Secretary or committee in the event of personal delivery;

(b) Of receipt at the office of the telegraph company, in case submission is by telegram; or

(c) Shown by the postmark, in case submission is by mail.

**§ 989.24 Standard raisins, off-grade raisins, other failing raisins, and raisin residual material.**

(a) *Standard raisins* means raisins which meet the then effective minimum grade and condition standards for natural condition raisins.

(b) *Offgrade raisins* means raisins which do not meet the then effective minimum grade and condition standards for natural condition raisins: *Provided*, That raisins which are certified as off-grade raisins shall continue to be such until successfully reconditioned or become "other failing raisins."

(c) *Other failing raisins* means any raisins received or acquired by a handler, either as standard raisins or off-grade raisins, which are processed to a point where they qualify as packed raisins but fail to meet the applicable minimum grade standards for packed raisins.

(d) *Raisin residual material* means defective raisins, stemmer waste, sweepings, and other residue accumulated by a handler from reconditioning raisins or from processing standard raisins and other failing raisins.

[25 FR 12813, Dec. 14, 1960, as amended at 42 FR 37201, July 20, 1977]

**§ 989.24a Non-normal outlets.**

*Non-normal outlets* means outlets other than those customarily used for commercial disposition of raisins meeting the then applicable minimum standards for natural condition raisins or packed raisins.

[29 FR 9483, July 11, 1964]

**§ 989.25 Part and subpart.**

*Part* means the order regulating the handling of raisins produced from grapes grown in California, and all rules, regulations, and supplementary orders issued thereunder. This order regulating the handling of raisins produced from grapes grown in California shall be a *subpart* of such part.