

**Agricultural Marketing Service, USDA**

**§ 930.20**

**§ 930.11 Handler.**

*Handler* means any person who first handles cherries or causes cherries to be handled for his or her own account.

**§ 930.12 Person.**

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

**§ 930.13 Primary inventory reserve.**

*Primary inventory reserve* means that portion of handled cherries that are placed into handlers' inventories in accordance with any restricted percentage established pursuant to § 930.50 or § 930.51.

**§ 930.14 Production area.**

*Production area* means the States of Michigan, New York, Pennsylvania, Oregon, Utah, Washington and Wisconsin.

**§ 930.15 Restricted percentage cherries.**

*Restricted percentage cherries* means that proportion of cherries handled in a crop year which must be either placed into handlers' inventories in accordance with § 930.55 or § 930.57 or otherwise diverted in accordance with § 930.59 and thereby withheld from marketing in normal commercial outlets under any volume regulation established pursuant to § 930.50 or § 930.51.

**§ 930.16 Sales constituency.**

Sales constituency means a common marketing organization or brokerage firm or individual representing a group of handlers and growers. An organization which receives consignments of cherries and does not direct where the consigned cherries are sold is not a sales constituency.

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**§ 930.17 Secondary inventory reserve.**

*Secondary inventory reserve* means any portion of handled cherries voluntarily placed into inventory by a handler under § 930.57.

**§ 930.18 Secretary.**

*Secretary* means the Secretary of Agriculture of the United States, or any officer or employee of the U.S. Department of Agriculture to whom authority

has heretofore been delegated, or to whom authority may hereafter be delegated, to act in the Secretary's stead.

ADMINISTRATIVE BODY

**§ 930.20 Establishment and membership.**

(a) There is hereby established a Cherry Industry Administrative Board, the membership of which shall be calculated in accordance with paragraph (b) of this section. The number of Board members may vary, depending upon the production levels of the districts. All but one of these members shall be qualified growers and handlers selected pursuant to this part, each of whom shall have an alternate having the same qualifications as the member for whom the person is an alternate. One member of the Board shall be a public member who, along with his or her alternate, shall be elected by the Board from the general public.

(b) District representation on the Board shall be based upon the previous three-year average production in the district and shall be established as follows:

- (1) Up to and including 10 million pounds shall have 1 member;
- (2) Greater than 10 and up to and including 40 million pounds shall have 2 members;
- (3) Greater than 40 and up to and including 80 million pounds shall have 3 members; and
- (4) Greater than 80 million pounds shall have 4 members; and
- (5) Allocation of the seats in each district shall be as follows but subject to the provisions of paragraphs (d), (e) and (f) of this section:

District type	Grower members	or	Handler members
Up to and including 10 million pounds .....	1		1
More than 10 and up to 40 million pounds .....	1		1
More than 40 and up to 80 million pounds .....	1		2
More than 80 million pounds .....	2		2

(c) Upon the adoption of this part, the production area shall be divided into the following described subdivisions for purposes of this section:

*District 1*—Northern Michigan: that portion of the State of Michigan which is north of