



Notice

This shipment does not meet the requirements of Section 8e of the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act (AMAA) of 1937

In order to comply with the import requirement, **one** of the following actions is necessary:

REQUIRED ACTION	PROPER DOCUMENTATION
<p>1) Recondition the shipment that currently fails 8e import requirements and have it re-inspected, with the destruction of any culls witnessed by a USDA inspector.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Or</p> <p>2) Export the shipment to another country</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Or</p> <p>3) Send the shipment for exempt use, for example, donate the shipment to a food bank or other charitable organization.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Or</p> <p>4) Destroy, dump, dispose of the shipment, witnessed by a USDA inspector</p>	<p>1) USDA, AMS inspection certificate(s) for all units meeting 8e Import Requirements and a certificate for all destroyed units. These items must equal the original quantity of imported shipment</p> <p>2) Customs Form 7512 signed by CBP personnel or with Customs date hole punch stamp, or a Customs Form 7512 stamped "QP In Bond Authorized" with a paid freight bill showing destination and proper quantity of product.</p> <p>3) Electronically completed form SC-6, submitted on-line to USDA, MDD, Compliance and Enforcement Branch; visit our website for a listing of acceptable exempt uses for each commodity; for additional information, please visit, www.ams.usda.gov/rules-regulations/section8e/understanding-sc6</p> <p>4) USDA, AMS certificate documenting all units being disposed, this item must equal the original quantity of imported shipment</p>

Documentation of failed inspection(s) will be forwarded to the **USDA, AMS, Market Development Division (MDD), Compliance and Enforcement Branch**, which will follow-up, to determine the failed product's disposition. If the violation is not handled as listed above, you may be subject to one or more of the following:

- A. U.S. Customs demand for redeliver or liquidated damages for three times the value of imports
- B. U.S. Customs denial of entry for this shipment as well as future shipments.
- C. \$3,147 penalty per violation, each day the violation occurs.
- D. Civil forfeiture of the present market value.

Please forward a copy of the failed inspection certificate along with documentation of the shipments ultimate disposition: ComplianceInfo@ams.usda.gov

Please contact us with any question concerning how to document, and comply with the AMAA appropriately:

<https://www.ams.usda.gov/rules-regulations/section8e>

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Customer Service Line, at 888-551-3523