

APPLICATION FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF ASSESSMENT

PECAN PROMOTION, RESEARCH AND INFORMATION ORDER (7 CFR PART 1223)

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BEFORE COMPLETION (PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT)**

Name of Producer/Importer Applicant	Title	Business Telephone No. (include Area code)	
Name of Business		Unique Identifier	
Business Address	City	State	Zip

(Importer No. or Broker No.) _____ (Certificate of Exemption No.) _____

Name & Address of First Handler who received Producer's Domestic Pecans OR Port of Entry and Entry No. for Imported Pecans	Date that assessments were paid on Domestic Pecans OR Entry Date of Imported Pecans	Pounds of Domestic or Imported Pecans which assessments were paid	Amount of Assessment Collected

Total amount of assessment collected to be reimbursed: \$ _____

A reimbursement is hereby requested for the assessment collected from producers or importers on pecans that should have been exempted but was paid to the American Pecan Promotion Board on the above-described pecans. I certify that the above information provided in this application for reimbursement is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and I have not previously applied for a reimbursement on the above listed pecans. I further certify that I am authorized to file this application on behalf of the aforementioned business. ^{1/}

Name of Applicant (Print) _____	Title _____
X Signature of Applicant _____	Date _____

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INSTRUCTIONS

RECEIPTS OR COPIES THEREOF MUST BE ATTACHED TO THIS
APPLICATION Return to the American Pecan Promotion Board:

P.O. Box 71
San Angelo, TX 76902
(325) 653-6854
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