

PART 402—RAISIN CROP INSURANCE

Subpart—Regulations for the 1966 and Succeeding Crop Years

APPENDIX; COUNTIES DESIGNATED FOR RAISIN CROP INSURANCE

Pursuant to authority contained in § 402.1 of the above-identified regulations, the following counties have been designated for raisin crop insurance for the 1973 crop year.

CALIFORNIA

Fresno.	Merced.
Kern.	Stanislaus.
Kings.	Tulare.
Madera.	

(Secs. 506, 516, 52 Stat. 73, as amended, 77, as amended; 7 U.S.C. 1506, 1516)

[SEAL] D. W. McELWRATH,
Acting Manager, Federal Crop Insurance Corporation.

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PART 403—PEACH CROP INSURANCE

Subpart—Regulations for the 1965 and Succeeding Crop Years

APPENDIX; COUNTIES DESIGNATED FOR PEACH CROP INSURANCE

Pursuant to authority contained in § 403.40 of the above-identified regulations, as amended, the following counties have been designated for peach crop insurance for the 1973 crop year.

ALABAMA

Chilton.

ARKANSAS

Cross.	Lee.
Johnson.	St. Francis.

GEORGIA

Peach.	Upson.
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NORTH CAROLINA

Cleveland.	Richmond.
Montgomery.	Rutherford.
Moore.	

SOUTH CAROLINA

Aiken.	Laurens.
Allendale.	Lexington.
Barnwell.	Saluda.
Chesterfield.	Spartanburg.
Edgefield.	York.
Greenville.	

(Secs. 506, 516, 52 Stat. 73, as amended, 77, as amended; 7 U.S.C. 1506, 1516)

[SEAL] D. W. McELWRATH,
Acting Manager, Federal Crop Insurance Corporation.

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PART 404—APPLE CROP INSURANCE

Subpart—Regulations for the 1967 and Succeeding Crop Years

APPENDIX; COUNTIES DESIGNATED FOR APPLE CROP INSURANCE

Pursuant to authority contained in § 404.20 of the above-identified regulations, the following counties have been

designated for apple crop insurance for the 1973 crop year.

OREGON

Umatilla.

WASHINGTON

Chelan.	Douglas.
Columbia.	Okanogan.

(Secs. 506, 516, 52 Stat. 73, as amended, 77, as amended; 7 U.S.C. 1506, 1516)

[SEAL] D. W. McELWRATH,
Acting Manager, Federal Crop Insurance Corporation.

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PART 406—CALIFORNIA ORANGE CROP INSURANCE

Subpart—Regulations for the 1963 and Succeeding Crop Years

APPENDIX; COUNTIES DESIGNATED FOR ORANGE CROP INSURANCE

Pursuant to authority contained in § 406.1 of the above-identified regulations, as amended, the following counties have been designated for orange crop insurance for the 1973 crop year.

CALIFORNIA

Fresno.	Tulare.
Kern.	

(Secs. 506, 516, 52 Stat. 73, as amended, 77, as amended; 7 U.S.C. 1506, 1516)

[SEAL] D. W. McELWRATH,
Acting Manager, Federal Crop Insurance Corporation.

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PART 408—NORTH CAROLINA APPLE CROP INSURANCE

Subpart—Regulations for the 1965 and Succeeding Crop Years

APPENDIX; COUNTIES DESIGNATED FOR APPLE CROP INSURANCE

Pursuant to authority contained in § 408.1 of the above-identified regulations, as amended, the following counties have been designated for apple crop insurance for the 1973 crop year.

NORTH CAROLINA

Alexander.	Wilkes.
Henderson.	

(Secs. 506, 516, 52 Stat. 73, as amended, 77, as amended; 7 U.S.C. 1506, 1516)

[SEAL] D. W. McELWRATH,
Acting Manager, Federal Crop Insurance Corporation.

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PART 409—ARIZONA-DESERT VALLEY CITRUS CROP INSURANCE

Subpart—Regulations for the 1967 and Succeeding Crop Years

APPENDIX; COUNTIES DESIGNATED FOR CITRUS CROP INSURANCE

Pursuant to authority contained in § 409.20 of the above-identified regula-

tions, the following counties have been designated for citrus crop insurance for the 1973 crop year.

ARIZONA

Maricopa.	Yuma.
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CALIFORNIA

Imperial.	Riverside.
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(Secs. 506, 516, 52 Stat. 73, as amended, 77, as amended; 7 U.S.C. 1506, 1516)

[SEAL] D. W. McELWRATH,
Acting Manager, Federal Crop Insurance Corporation.

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PART 410—FLORIDA CITRUS CROP INSURANCE

Subpart—Regulations for the 1970 and Succeeding Crop Years

APPENDIX; COUNTIES DESIGNATED FOR CITRUS CROP INSURANCE

Pursuant to authority contained in § 410.1 of the above-identified regulations, the following counties have been designated for citrus crop insurance for the 1973 crop year.

FLORIDA

Brevard.	Marion.
De Soto.	Martin.
Hardee.	Orange.
Hernando.	Osceola.
Highlands.	Pasco.
Hillsborough.	Polk.
Indian River.	St. Lucie.
Lake.	Seminole.
Manatee.	

(Secs. 506, 516, 52 Stat. 73, as amended, 77, as amended; 7 U.S.C. 1506, 1516)

[SEAL] D. W. McELWRATH,
Acting Manager, Federal Crop Insurance Corporation.

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PART 413—TEXAS CITRUS CROP INSURANCE

Subpart—Regulations for the 1969 and Succeeding Crop Years

APPENDIX; COUNTIES DESIGNATED FOR CITRUS CROP INSURANCE

Pursuant to authority contained in § 413.20 of the above-identified regulations, the following counties have been designated for citrus crop insurance for the 1973 crop year.

TEXAS

Cameron.	Willacy.
Hidalgo.	

(Secs. 506, 516, 52 Stat. 73, as amended, 77, as amended; 7 U.S.C. 1506, 1516)

[SEAL] D. W. McELWRATH,
Acting Manager, Federal Crop Insurance Corporation.

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Chapter VII—Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (Agricultural Adjustment), Department of Agriculture

SUBCHAPTER B—FARM MARKETING QUOTAS AND ACREAGE ALLOTMENTS

PART 722—COTTON

1973 Crop of Extra-Long Staple Cotton; Acreage Allotments and Marketing Quotas

Correction

In F.R. Doc. 72-17691 appearing on page 21988 of the issue for Wednesday, October 18, 1972, the file line at the end of the document should appear as follows: [FR Doc.72-17691 Filed 10-13-72; 9:32 am].

Chapter IX—Agricultural Marketing Service (Marketing Agreements and Orders; Fruits, Vegetables, Nuts), Department of Agriculture

[Navel Orange Reg. 274]

PART 907—NAVEL ORANGES GROWN IN ARIZONA AND DESIGNATED PART OF CALIFORNIA

Limitation of Handling

§ 907.574 Navel Orange Regulation 274.

(a) *Findings.* (1) Pursuant to the marketing agreement, as amended, and Order No. 907, as amended (7 CFR Part 907), regulating the handling of Navel oranges grown in Arizona and designated part of California, effective under the applicable provisions of the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, as amended (7 U.S.C. 601-674), and upon the basis of the recommendations and information submitted by the Navel Orange Administrative Committee, established under the said amended marketing agreement and order, and upon other available information, it is hereby found that the limitation of handling of such Navel oranges, as hereinafter provided, will tend to effectuate the declared policy of the act.

(2) It is hereby further found that it is impracticable and contrary to the public interest to give preliminary notice, engage in public rule making procedure, and postpone the effective date of this section until 30 days after publication hereof in the FEDERAL REGISTER (5 U.S.C. 553) because the time intervening between the date when information upon which this section is based became available and the time when this section must become effective in order to effectuate the declared policy of the act is insufficient, and a reasonable time is permitted, under the circumstances, for preparation for such effective time; and good cause exists for making the provisions hereof effective as hereinafter set forth. The committee held an open meeting during the current week, after giving due notice thereof, to consider supply and mar-

ket conditions for Navel oranges and the need for regulation; interested persons were afforded an opportunity to submit information and views at this meeting; the recommendation and supporting information for regulation during the period specified herein were promptly submitted to the Department after such meeting was held; the provisions of this section, including its effective time, are identical with the aforesaid recommendation of the committee, and information concerning such provisions and effective time has been disseminated among handlers of such Navel oranges; it is necessary, in order to effectuate the declared policy of the act, to make this section effective during the period herein specified; and compliance with this section will not require any special preparation on the part of persons subject hereto which cannot be completed on or before the effective date hereof. Such committee meeting was held on November 7, 1972.

(b) *Order.* (1) The respective quantities of Navel oranges grown in Arizona and designated part of California which may be handled during the period November 10, through November 16, 1972, are hereby fixed as follows:

- (i) District 1: 893,000 cartons;
- (ii) District 2: Unlimited;
- (iii) District 3: 57,000 cartons.

(2) As used in this section, "handled," "District 1," "District 2," "District 3," and "carton" have the same meaning as when used in said amended marketing agreement and order.

(Secs. 1-19, 48 Stat. 31, as amended; 7 U.S.C. 601-674)

Dated: November 8, 1972.

PAUL A. NICHOLSON,
Deputy Director, Fruit and
Vegetable Division, Agricultural
Marketing Service.

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PART 909—GRAPEFRUIT GROWN IN ARIZONA; IN IMPERIAL COUNTY, CALIF.; AND IN THAT PART OF RIVERSIDE COUNTY, CALIF., SITUATED SOUTH AND EAST OF WHITE WATER, CALIF.

Expenses, Rate of Assessment, and Carryover of Unexpended Funds

On October 25, 1972, notice of proposed rulemaking was published in the FEDERAL REGISTER (37 F.R. 22798) regarding proposed expenses, the proposed rate of assessment, and the proposed carryover of unexpended assessment funds, for the fiscal period September 1, 1972, through August 31, 1973, pursuant to marketing Order No. 909, as amended (7 CFR Part 909), regulating the handling of grapefruit grown in Arizona and designated

part of California. This regulatory program is effective under the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, as amended (7 U.S.C. 601-674). After consideration of all relevant matters presented, including the proposals set forth in such notice which were submitted by the Administrative Committee (established pursuant to the said amended marketing order), it is hereby found and determined that:

§ 909.211 Expenses, rate of assessment, and carryover of unexpended funds.

(a) *Expenses.* The expenses that are reasonable and likely to be incurred by the Administrative Committee during the period September 1, 1972, through August 31, 1973, will amount to \$37,875.

(b) *Rate of assessment.* The rate of assessment for such period, payable by each handler in accordance with § 909.41, is hereby fixed at three-fourths of a cent (\$0.0075) per carton, or equivalent quantity of grapefruit.

(c) *Operating reserve.* Unexpended assessment funds, in excess of expenses incurred during such period, shall be carried over as a reserve in accordance with the applicable provisions of § 909.42.

It is hereby further found that good cause exists for not postponing the effective date hereof until 30 days after publication in the FEDERAL REGISTER (5 U.S.C. 553) in that (1) shipments of the current crop of grapefruit grown in the designated production area are now being made; (2) the relevant provisions of said marketing order require that the rate of assessment herein fixed shall be applicable to all assessable grapefruit handled during the aforesaid period; and (3) such period began on September 1, 1972, and said rate of assessment will automatically apply to all such grapefruit beginning with such date.

(Secs. 1-19, 48 Stat. 31, as amended; 7 U.S.C. 601-674)

Dated: November 6, 1972.

CHARLES R. BRADER,
Acting Deputy Director, Fruit
and Vegetable Division, Agricultural
Marketing Service.

[FR Doc.72-19294 Filed 11-8-72; 8:54 am]

PART 999—SPECIALTY CROPS; IMPORT REGULATIONS

Importation and Reporting Requirements

Notice was published in the October 12, 1972, issue of the FEDERAL REGISTER (37 F.R. 21538) regarding a proposal to: (1) Amend paragraph (e) of § 999.300 (7 CFR 999.300; 37 F.R. 5282; 13634) governing the importation of raisins, to permit importation of raisins, which do not meet the requirements pursuant to paragraph (b) of § 999.300 with respect to mechanical damage and sugaring, for use in the production of raisin paste; and (2) delete the phrase, "at the port of arrival" from § 999.300(a)(7); § 999.300

(b); and § 999.300(d). In conjunction with importation for such usage, certain reporting requirements were included in the proposal. This action is pursuant to section 8e (7 U.S.C. 608e-1) of the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, as amended (7 U.S.C. 601-674), hereinafter referred to as the "act".

The notice afforded interested persons an opportunity to submit written data, views, or arguments with respect to the proposal. Written comments were received from three persons within the period prescribed therefor.

Section 8e of the act provides, in part, that whenever a marketing order issued by the Secretary of Agriculture pursuant to section 8c of the act (7 U.S.C. 608c) contains any terms or conditions regulating the grade, size, quality, or maturity of raisins produced in the United States, the importation of raisins into the United States during the period of time such order is in effect shall be prohibited unless such commodity complies with the grade, size, quality, and maturity provisions of such order or comparable restrictions promulgated under said section 8e.

Order No. 989, as amended (7 CFR Part 989; 37 F.R. 19621; 20022), regulating the handling of raisins produced from grapes grown in California (hereinafter referred to as the "order"), is effective under the act. The order prescribes terms and conditions regulating the grade and size of such raisins. Under a recent amendment of the order, raisins which do not meet the applicable grade and size requirements with respect to mechanical damage and sugaring may be used in the production of raisin paste. Therefore, raisins for importation which do not meet the applicable grade and size requirements of § 999.300 with respect to mechanical damage and sugaring should similarly be permitted to be used in the production of raisin paste.

With regard to deletion of the phrase "at the port of arrival," the current regulation defines importation, in paragraph (a) (7), as release of raisins from custody of the Bureau of Customs at the port of arrival; prohibits, in paragraph (b), importation of raisins unless they are inspected at the port of arrival; and, in paragraph (d), permits reconditioning of raisins only at the port of arrival. Since all raisins for importation are under Customs' custody until released, the current regulation could be unnecessarily restrictive and impose financial hardships and delays on importers because all ports of arrival do not have inspection and reconditioning facilities readily available. Therefore such requirement should be deleted.

Written comments submitted pursuant to the notice by three persons all recommended the proposal be adopted. In the written comments submitted, two persons further recommended that raisins which do not meet the tolerance for capstems should also be permitted to be imported for use in production of raisin paste, or a tolerance for capstems should be established for raisins to be imported for use in the production of raisin paste at

a level of 70 to 80 capstems per 500 grams of raisins. This proposal is not adopted because the domestic marketing order contains no comparable provision with respect to domestically produced raisins and section 8e requires the same or comparable restrictions be placed on imported raisins as are placed upon domestically produced raisins under the marketing order.

The amended regulation will continue to require that all raisins be inspected by USDA inspectors. Importers of raisins which do not meet the applicable grade and size requirements with respect to mechanical damage and sugaring and which are to be imported for use in the production of raisin paste will be required to file certain forms with the Bureau of Customs and the Department for administrative and compliance purposes.

After consideration of all relevant information, including that in the notice, the written comments received pursuant to the notice, and other available information, it is hereby ordered that § 999.300 is amended as follows:

1. In paragraphs (a) (7), (b), and (d), of § 999.300, the phrase "at the port of arrival" is deleted.

2. Subparagraph (2) of § 999.300(e) is revised to read as follows:

(2) Any person may import any lot of raisins which does not meet the applicable grade and size requirements of paragraph (b) of this section for use in the production of alcohol, syrup for industrial use, or which does not meet such requirements with respect to mechanical damage or sugaring for use in the production of raisin paste. Prior to such importation, such person shall file with the Bureau of Customs' Regional Commissioner or District Director, as applicable, at the port at which the customs entry is filed an executed "Raisins—Section 8e Entry Declaration" prescribed in subdivision (i) of this subparagraph as "Raisin Form No. 1". Promptly after such filing, such person shall transmit a copy of this form to the Fruit and Vegetable Division. No person may import, sell, or use any raisins which do not meet the applicable grade and size requirements of paragraph (b) of this section other than for use as set forth in this subparagraph. Each person importing raisins, which do not meet the applicable grade and size requirements of paragraph (b) of this section, for use in the production of alcohol, syrup for industrial use, or raisin paste shall obtain from each purchaser, not later than the time of delivery to such purchaser, and file with the Fruit and Vegetable Division not later than the fifth day of the month following the month in which the raisins were delivered, an executed "Raisins—Section 8e Certification of Processor or Reseller," prescribed in subdivision (ii) of this subparagraph as "Raisin Form No. 2." One copy of this executed form shall be retained by the importer and one copy shall be retained by the purchaser. Each reseller of raisins imported pursuant to this subparagraph should, for his protection, obtain from each purchaser and

hold in his files an executed Raisin Form No. 2, covering such sales of such raisins during the calendar year. One copy of this executed form shall be retained by the reseller and one copy shall be retained by the purchaser.

(i) Raisin Form No. 1. The following is prescribed as Raisin Form No. 1.

RAISIN FORM NO. 1

RAISINS—SECTION 8e ENTRY DECLARATION

I certify to the U.S. Department of Agriculture and the Bureau of Customs that none of the raisins being imported and which are identified below will be used other than in the production of alcohol, syrup for industrial use, or raisin paste.

1. Name of vessel: _____
2. Country of origin of raisins: _____
3. Date of arrival: _____
4. City of arrival: _____
5. Unloading pier: _____
6. USDA Certificate of Quality and Condition Number: _____
7. Raisins entered: _____

Lot or chop mark	Number of containers	Total net weight (pounds)
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

I agree to obtain from each person to whom any of the raisins listed above are delivered, an executed Raisin Form No. 2 "Raisins—Section 8e Certification of Processor or Reseller" and to file the same with the Fruit and Vegetable Division, Agricultural Marketing Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20250, not later than the fifth day of the month following the month in which the raisins were delivered.

Dated: _____
 Name of firm: _____
 Address: _____
 Signature: _____
 Title: _____

(ii) Raisin Form No. 2. The following is prescribed as Raisin Form No. 2.

RAISIN FORM NO. 2

RAISINS—SECTION 8e CERTIFICATION OF PROCESSOR OR RESELLER

I hereby certify to the U.S. Department of Agriculture that I have acquired the raisins covered by this certification; that I will use or sell them for use only in production of alcohol, syrup for industrial use, or raisin paste, as permitted by the Regulation Governing the Importation of Raisins (7 CFR 999.300; 37 F.R. 5282; 13634) and I am: (Check one or more if applicable)

____ Producer of alcohol ____ Producer of
 ____ syrup for industrial use ____ Producer of
 ____ raisin paste ____ Reseller

1. Date of purchase: _____
2. Place of purchase: _____
3. Name and address of importer or seller: _____
4. USDA Certificate of Quality and Condition Number: _____
5. Raisins acquired: _____

Number of containers	Total net weight (lbs.)
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
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_____	_____
_____	_____

Dated: _____
Name of firm: _____
Address: _____
Signature: _____
Title: _____

It is hereby found that good cause exists for not postponing the effective time of this action until 30 days after publication in the **FEDERAL REGISTER** (5 U.S.C. 553), and for making it effective on the date hereinafter stated, in that: (1) This action permits importation of raisins, which do not meet the applicable grade and size requirements of this part with respect to mechanical damage and sugaring, for use in the production of raisin paste; (2) heretofore, the importation of such raisins for use in such outlets was prohibited, and thus this action relieves restriction on importation of raisins; (3) importers of such raisins require no advance preparation to comply with this action; and (4) no useful purpose would be served by postponing the effective time of this amendatory action.

(Secs. 1-19, 48 Stat. 31, as amended; 7 U.S.C. 601-674)

Dated: November 6, 1972, to become effective November 10, 1972.

CHARLES R. BRADER,
*Acting Deputy Director, Fruit
and Vegetable Division, Agri-
cultural Marketing Service.*

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Title 9—ANIMALS AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS

Chapter I—Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, Department of Agriculture

SUBCHAPTER C—INTERSTATE TRANSPORTATION OF ANIMALS (INCLUDING POULTRY) AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS

[Docket No. 72-575]

PART 76—HOG CHOLERA AND OTHER COMMUNICABLE SWINE DISEASES

Areas Quarantined and Released

Pursuant to provisions of the Act of May 29, 1884, as amended, the Act of February 2, 1903, as amended, the Act of March 3, 1905, as amended, the Act of September 6, 1961, and the Act of July 2, 1962 (21 U.S.C. 111-113, 114g, 115, 117, 120, 121, 123-126, 134b, 134f), Part 76, Title 9, Code of Federal Regulations, restricting the interstate movement of swine and certain products because of hog cholera and other communicable swine diseases, is hereby amended in the following respects:

1. In § 76.2, in paragraph (e) (2) relating to the State of Indiana, a new subdivision (iv) relating to Madison, Henry, and Hancock Counties is added to read:

(e) * * *

(2) *Indiana.* * * *

(iv) The adjacent portions of Madison, Henry, and Hancock Counties

bounded by a line beginning at the junction of U.S. Highway 36 and the Fall Creek-Adams Township line in Madison County; thence, following U.S. Highway 36 in an easterly direction to the Fall Creek-Jefferson Township line in Henry County; thence, following the Fall Creek-Jefferson Township line in a southerly direction to the junction of the Fall Creek-Jefferson-Harrison Township lines; thence, following the Jefferson-Harrison Township line in an easterly direction to County Road 400 W; thence, following County Road 400 W in a southerly direction to Greensboro Road; thence, following Greensboro Road in an easterly direction to the junction of the Greensboro-Henry-Spicefield Township lines; thence, following the Greensboro-Spicefield Township line in a southerly, then westerly direction to Interstate Highway 70; thence, following Interstate Highway 70 in a southwesterly direction to State Highway 209 in Hancock County; thence, following State Highway 209 in a northerly direction to the Hancock-Madison County line; thence, following the Hancock-Madison County line in an easterly direction to the Fall Creek-Adams Township line in Madison County; thence, following the Fall Creek-Adams Township line in a northerly direction to its junction with U.S. Highway 36 in Madison County.

2. In § 76.2, paragraph (e) (5) relating to the State of Mississippi is deleted.

(Secs. 4-7, 23 Stat. 32, as amended; secs. 1 and 2, 32 Stat. 791-792, as amended; secs. 1-4, 33 Stat. 1264-1265, as amended; sec. 1, 75 Stat. 481; secs. 3 and 11, 76 Stat. 130, 132; 21 U.S.C. 111-113, 114g, 115, 117, 120, 121, 123-126, 134b, 134f; 29 F.R. 16210, as amended, 36 F.R. 20707, 21529, 21530, 37 F.R. 6327, 6505)

Effective date. The foregoing amendments shall become effective upon issuance.

The amendments quarantine portions of Madison, Henry, and Hancock Counties in Indiana because of the existence of hog cholera. This action is deemed necessary to prevent further spread of the disease. The restrictions pertaining to the interstate movement of swine and swine products from or through quarantined areas as contained in 9 CFR Part 76, as amended, will apply to the quarantined areas.

The amendments exclude portions of Kemper and Lauderdale Counties in Mississippi from the areas quarantined because of hog cholera. Therefore, the restrictions pertaining to the interstate movement of swine and swine products from or through quarantined areas contained in 9 CFR Part 76, as amended, do not apply to the excluded areas, but will continue to apply to the quarantined areas described in § 76.2(e). Further, the restrictions pertaining to the interstate movement of swine and swine products from nonquarantined areas contained in said Part 76 apply to the excluded areas. No areas in Mississippi remain under quarantine.

Insofar as the amendments impose certain further restrictions necessary to prevent the interstate spread of hog

cholera, they must be made effective immediately to accomplish their purpose in the public interest. Insofar as the amendments relieve restrictions presently imposed, they are no longer deemed necessary to prevent the spread of hog cholera, and they should be made effective promptly in order to be of maximum benefit to affected persons. It does not appear that public participation in this rulemaking proceeding would make additional relevant information available to the Department.

Accordingly, under the administrative procedure provisions in 5 U.S.C. 553, it is found upon good cause that notice and other public procedure with respect to the amendments are impracticable, unnecessary and contrary to the public interest, and good cause is found for making them effective less than 30 days after publication in the **FEDERAL REGISTER**.

Done at Washington, D.C., this 3d day of November 1972.

G. H. WISE,
*Acting Administrator, Animal
and Plant Health Inspection
Service.*

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[Docket No. 72-576]

PART 76—HOG CHOLERA AND OTHER COMMUNICABLE SWINE DISEASES

Areas Quarantined

Pursuant to provisions of the Act of May 29, 1884, as amended, the Act of February 2, 1903, as amended, the Act of March 3, 1905, as amended, the Act of September 6, 1961, and the Act of July 2, 1962 (21 U.S.C. 111-113, 114g, 115, 117, 120, 121, 123-126, 134b, 134f), Part 76, Title 9, Code of Federal Regulations, restricting the interstate movement of swine and certain products because of hog cholera and other communicable swine diseases, is hereby amended in the following respects:

1. In § 76.2, in paragraph (e) (2) relating to the State of Indiana, subdivision (ii) relating to Randolph County is amended to read:

(e) * * *

(2) *Indiana.* * * *

(ii) That portion of Randolph County bounded by a line beginning at the junction of State Highway 32 and Greenville Pike; thence, following Greenville Pike in a southeasterly direction to County Road 400E; thence, following County Road 400E in a northerly direction to County Road 700N; thence, following County Road 700N in an easterly direction to the Indiana-Ohio State line; thence, following the Indiana-Ohio State line in a southerly direction to the Randolph-Wayne County line (in Indiana); thence, following the Randolph-Wayne County line (in Indiana) in a westerly direction to the West River-Washington Township line; thence, following the West River-Washington Township line in a northerly direction to the junction of