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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Agricultural Marketing Service

[Docket No. AMS–SC–26–1290]

Fruit Crops; Notice of Request for Extension and Revision of a Currently Approved Information Collection

AGENCY: Agricultural Marketing Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, this notice announces the Agricultural Marketing Service's (AMS) intention to request an extension for, and revision to, a currently approved information collection for Federal marketing orders covering fruit crops.

DATES: Comments on this notice must be received by November 23, 2026.

ADDRESSES: Interested persons are invited to submit written comments concerning this notice. Comments can be sent to the Docket Clerk, Market Development Division, Specialty Crops Program, AMS, USDA, 1400 Independence Avenue SW, STOP 0237, Washington, DC 20250–0237. Comments can also be submitted to the Docket Clerk electronically by email: *MarketingOrderComment@usda.gov* or via the internet at: *https://www.regulations.gov.* Comments should reference the docket number and the date and page number of this issue of the **Federal Register**. Comments submitted in response to this notice will be included in the record, will be made available to the public, and may be viewed at: *https://www.regulations.gov.* Please be advised that comments are posted to *regulations.gov* without change.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Taylor Johnson, Marketing Specialist, or Matthew Pavone, Chief, Rulemaking Services Branch, Market Development Division, Specialty Crops Program, AMS, USDA, 1400 Independence Avenue SW, Stop 0237, Washington, DC 20250–0237; telephone: (202) 720–8085, or Email: *Taylor.Johnson3@usda.gov* or *Matthew.Pavone@usda.gov.*

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: Fruit Crops.

OMB Number: 0581–0189.

Expiration Date of Approval: January 31, 2027.

Type of Request: Extension and revision of a currently approved information collection.

Abstract: The information collection requirements in this request are essential to carry out the intent of the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, as amended (7 U.S.C. 601–674) (the Act), to provide respondents the type of service they request and to administer several Federal marketing orders. Marketing order regulations help ensure adequate supplies of high-quality product and adequate returns to producers. This notice covers the following marketing order programs: 7 CFR parts 905 (Florida citrus), 906 (Texas citrus), 915 (Florida avocados), 920 (California kiwifruit), 923 (Washington cherries), 925 (California desert grapes), and 927 (Oregon/Washington pears). Marketing Order 929 (Cranberries grown in 10 States) terminated July 31, 2024, and is thus not included in this renewal period of this information collection package. The Secretary of Agriculture is authorized to oversee marketing order operations and issue regulations recommended by a board or committee of representatives from each commodity industry.

The information collection requirements in this request are essential to carry out the intent of the Act, to provide the respondents the type of service they request, and to administer the marketing order programs. Under the Act, marketing orders may authorize: production and marketing research, including paid advertising; volume regulation; reserves, including pools and producer allotments; container requirements; and quality control. Assessments are levied on handlers regulated under the marketing orders.

USDA requires several forms to be filed to enable the administration of each marketing order. These include forms covering the selection process for industry members to serve on marketing order boards or committees and ballots used in referenda to amend or continue a marketing order program. Under Federal marketing orders, producers and handlers are nominated by their peers to serve as representatives on the board or committee which administers each program. Nominees must provide information on their qualifications to serve. Qualified nominees are then appointed by the Secretary. Formal rulemaking amendments must be approved in referenda conducted by USDA and the Secretary. For the purposes of this action, ballots are considered information collections and are subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act. If a marketing order is amended, handlers are asked to sign an agreement indicating their willingness to abide by the provisions of the amended marketing order.

Some forms are required to be filed with the board or committee. The marketing orders authorize the respective commodities' boards or committees, which are responsible for local administration of the marketing orders, to require handlers and producers to submit certain information. Much of the information is compiled in aggregate and provided to the respective industries to assist in marketing decisions. The boards and committees developed forms as a means for persons to file required information relating to supplies, shipments, and dispositions of their respective commodities, as well as other information needed to effectively carry out the purpose of the Act and their respective marketing orders, and these forms are utilized accordingly.

The forms covered under this information collection require respondents to provide the minimum information necessary to effectively carry out the requirements of the marketing orders, and use of these forms is necessary to fulfill the intent of the Act as expressed in the marketing orders' rules and regulations.

The information collected is used only by authorized representatives of the USDA, including the AMS Specialty Crops Program's regional and headquarters' staff, and authorized employees of the boards or committees. Authorized board or committee employees are the primary users of the information and AMS is the secondary user.

Estimate of Burden: Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 0.27 hours per response.

Respondents: Producers, handlers, processors, dehydrators, cooperatives, manufacturers, importers, and public members.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 3,172.

Estimated Total Annual of Responses: 18,033 (rounded).

Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent: 5.69.

Estimated Number of Recordkeeping hours: 476 hours.

Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents: 4,946.04 hours (rounded).

Comments are invited on: (1) Whether this collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information has practical utility; (2) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information collected; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

All responses to this notice will be summarized and included in the request for OMB approval. All comments will also become a matter of public record.

Erin Morris,

Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Bureau of Industry and Security

[Docket No. 260918–0006]

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Guidance and Procedures for Implementing Tariff Adjustments for Specialty Pharmaceuticals and Associated Pharmaceutical Ingredients and Technical Corrections to the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States for Duties Imposed Under Proclamation 11020

AGENCY: Bureau of Industry and Security, Office of Strategic Industries and Economic Security, U.S. Department of Commerce.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice defines the pharmaceutical products and lists the jurisdictions that are eligible to receive an *ad valorem* tariff rate of zero pursuant to Presidential Proclamation 11020 of April 2, 2026, ''Adjusting Imports of Pharmaceuticals and Pharmaceutical Ingredients Into the United States,'' (Proclamation 11020). These pharmaceutical products include drugs and associated ingredients where all approved indications are designated as orphan; nuclear medicines; plasma derived therapies; fertility drugs; cell therapy product; gene therapy product; antibody drug conjugates; medical countermeasures related to chemical, biological, radiological, and nuclear threats; and animal health. Proclamation 11020 states that such products and associated ingredients receive the Section 232 zero tariff rate if they are products of a jurisdiction that has a current or forthcoming trade and security framework agreement or if they meet an urgent U.S. health need. This notice also includes procedures for the public to submit information for the Department of Commerce's (Commerce) approval to determine if imports of the pharmaceutical products and associated ingredients meet an urgent U.S. health need. This notice also issues five technical corrections to Annex I and one technical correction to Annex IV of the Proclamation.

DATES: Submission of information will be received on an ongoing basis starting September 23, 2026.

ADDRESSES: Information requesting Commerce's approval for pharmaceutical products that meet an urgent U.S. health need must be submitted electronically to: *pharma232@bis.doc.gov.*

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Stephen Astle, Director, Defense Industrial Base Division, Office of Strategic Industries and Economic Security, Bureau of Industry and Security, U.S. Department of Commerce (202) 482–2533, *pharma232@bis.doc.gov.*

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

On April 2, 2026 the President issued Proclamation 11020, ''Adjusting Imports of Pharmaceuticals and Pharmaceutical Ingredients Into the United States,'' (91 FR 18183) (Proclamation 11020) concurring with the Secretary of Commerce's (Secretary) finding that pharmaceuticals and associated pharmaceutical ingredients are being imported into the United States in such quantities and under such circumstances that threaten to impair the national security of the United States and imposing tariffs to adjust imports of such products pursuant to section 232 of the Trade Expansion Act of 1962, as amended (19 U.S.C. 1862) (Section 232). Proclamation 11020 imposed a 100 percent *ad valorem* tariff on certain imports of patented pharmaceuticals and associated pharmaceutical ingredients, effective July 31, 2026 for the companies listed in Annex III of Proclamation 11020, and September 29, 2026 for all other companies. Different rates apply to patented pharmaceutical products and associated ingredients from certain jurisdictions and from companies with Commerce-approved onshoring agreements (Bureau of Industry and Security, ''Procedures To Apply for Company-Specific Onshoring Agreements To Obtain Tariff Adjustments for Pharmaceuticals and Pharmaceutical Ingredients Under Proclamation 11020'' (92 FR 26989; May 13, 2026)). At this time, Section 232 Pharmaceutical Tariffs do not apply to generic pharmaceutical products and associated ingredients.

In clause 3(d) of Proclamation 11020, the President directed an *ad valorem* tariff rate of zero to apply for pharmaceuticals and associated ingredients that are designated as orphan pursuant to the Orphan Drug Act (21 U.S.C. 360aa *et seq.*) and its implementing regulations; nuclear medicines; plasma derived therapies; fertility drugs; cell therapy product; gene therapy product; antibody drug conjugates; medical countermeasures related to chemical, biological, radiological, and nuclear threats; or other specialty pharmaceutical products to be identified by the Secretary, as well as pharmaceutical products for animal health, provided that the Secretary, in consultation with the United States Trade Representative (USTR) and the Secretary of Health and Human Services (HHS), determines that: (1) they are products of a jurisdiction that has a current or forthcoming trade and security framework agreement as referenced in Executive Order 14346, ''Modifying the Scope of Reciprocal Tariffs and Establishing Procedures for Implementing Trade and Security Agreements'' of September 5, 2025 (90 FR 43737) (Executive Order 14346), or (2) they meet an urgent U.S. health need.

Proclamation 11020 directs the Secretary, in consultation with the Chair of the United States International Trade Commission and the Commissioner of U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP), to determine whether any modifications to the HTSUS or other