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Docket No. 22-J-0011; AMS-SC-22-0010; SC22-981-1 Marketing Order for Walnuts Grown and Handled in California (M.O. No. 984); Hearing

I, Carl E. Purvis, hereby certify that on the 1st day of April 2022, by authority vested in me by the Administrator and in accordance with 900.4(b)(1)(iii) (23 F.R. 4027), of the applicable rules of practice and procedure (7 CFR Part 900), as amended, I made available a news release to the general public, which includes newspapers and television and radio stations in the area, a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part hereof, subject to regulation as reasonably will tend to bring to the attention of interested persons of the notice of USDA setting a hearing on proposed amendments to the marketing order regulating the handling of walnuts grown in California.

Date:

Carl E. Purvis

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