

## § 1446.203

handler who operates a buying point at which peanuts are inspected. The buying point card will show a buying point number that will be used to identify the physical location of such buying point.

### § 1446.203 Marketing card entries and collection of assessments, penalties and debts.

The handler shall make marketing card entries and shall collect assessments, penalties and debts in accordance with the provisions in this part and in part 729 of this title.

(a) *Indebtedness to the United States due to peanut marketing penalties.* As provided in part 729 of this title, if a producer is indebted to the United States for a peanut marketing penalty, such penalty shall result in a lien in favor of the United States on any peanuts in which such producer has an interest and any person who acquires peanuts from such producer shall be considered to have notice of such lien at the time such lien becomes attached. Except with respect to any lien that was perfected before the peanut poundage quota lien became attached in those cases not involving peanuts placed in the price support loan inventory, any person who acquires peanuts from such producer shall deduct the lien amount plus any applicable interest from the proceeds otherwise due to such producer as a result of the acquisition of the peanuts. Any deducted amount shall be paid to CCC in accordance with instructions issued by the Deputy Administrator. In the event a required deduction is not made from the proceeds for such peanuts, the person who acquires such peanuts shall be liable to CCC for the amount of the lien, to the extent of the market value of such peanuts or proceeds of the peanuts whichever is higher.

(b) *Farmers Home Administration or Farm Service Agency lien.* If a Farmers Home Administration or Farm Service Agency lien has been recorded on the marketing card that was issued for the use of a producer when marketing peanuts, the purchaser of such peanuts shall make the check, for the proceeds from such peanuts, payable jointly to the producer and the Farm Service Agency. However, if a peanut poundage

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quota lien was also recorded on the marketing card against such producer, the check shall be made payable jointly to the producer, CCC and the Farm Service Agency.

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### § 1446.204 Transmittal of collections of penalties and claims.

(a) *Commercial purchases.* A handler shall use form FSA-1012, Buyer's Transmittal of Claims and/or Marketing Penalty, to transmit to FSA any marketing penalty or peanut poundage quota lien that is collected directly or indirectly from a producer at the time such producer marketed peanuts as quota commercial or contract additional peanuts. Such collections shall be made in accordance with the requirements of part 729 of this title. A collection is considered to have been made at the time of marketing the peanuts. Each collection shall be sent to the county FSA office which issued the marketing card and, unless otherwise approved by the Executive Vice President, CCC, shall be sent within 15 days after the collection is made.

(b) *Loan peanuts.* Withholdings from the loan value due a producer which represent collections of marketing penalties, peanut poundage quota liens or U.S. claims shall be transmitted or handled in accordance with instructions issued by the marketing association or CCC.

## Subpart C—Warehouse Storage Loans

### § 1446.301 Eligibility of peanuts for price support at the quota loan rate.

For peanuts to be eligible for a price support loan at the quota loan rate such peanuts:

- (a) Must be eligible peanuts that were produced by an eligible producer;
- (b) Must be Segregation 1 peanuts;
- (c) If mechanically dried, must contain at least 6 percent moisture;
- (d) Must not contain more than:
  - (1) 10.49 percent moisture;
  - (2) 10 percent foreign material; or
  - (3) 14.49 percent LSK's;

(e) When added to prior marketing of quota peanuts from the farm, must not exceed the effective quota established for the farm on which such peanuts were produced.

**§ 1446.302 Eligibility of peanuts for price support at the additional loan rate.**

(a) *General.* For peanuts to be eligible for a price support loan at the additional loan rate, such peanuts:

(1) Must be eligible peanuts that were produced by an eligible producer;

(2) must not contain more than:

(i) 10.49 percent moisture;

(ii) 10 percent foreign material; or

(iii) 14.49 percent LSK's.

(b) *Exception to general requirements.* Notwithstanding the provisions in paragraph (a) of this section:

(1) *Seed peanuts.* Peanuts that were produced for seed under the auspices of a State agency that controls the production of seed peanuts may receive a price support loan at the additional loan rate if:

(i) Such peanuts are eligible peanuts that were produced by an eligible producer; and

(ii) In accordance with this part, the handler purchases the peanuts from the loan inventory for domestic seed use in accordance with this part.

(2) *Peanuts with excess moisture, foreign material, or LSK's.* Peanuts that contain excessive moisture, foreign material, and/or LSK's may receive a price support loan at the additional loan rate if the marketing association determines:

(i) That the moisture level is acceptable for storage until such peanuts may be crushed; and

(ii) That the producer made a bona fide effort to clean such peanuts prior to offering such peanuts as collateral for a price support loan.

**§ 1446.303 Delivery of peanuts for price support advance.**

(a) *Warehouse storage loans.* Any warehouse operator who has entered into a contract with the marketing association to receive and store peanuts shall inform producers that price support advances are available and shall make such advances on eligible pe-

nuts tendered for price support as provided in such contract.

(b) *Where available.* Unless otherwise approved by the marketing association or by CCC, producers must deliver farmers stock peanuts to any participating warehouse that is located in the same marketing area in which the peanuts were produced. The names and locations of participating warehouses may be obtained from the office of the appropriate marketing association or from State or county FSA offices.

(c) *Contract requirements.* Any contract for receiving and storing peanuts pledged as collateral for a price support loan shall require the warehouse operator to:

(1) Examine the producer's marketing card to determine price support eligibility;

(2) Make entries on the marketing card as required by § 729.304 of this title and by this part; and

(3) Execute a form FSA-1007 in accordance with this part for each lot of peanuts on which a price support advance is made.

(d) *Time.* Price support advances to eligible producers on peanuts of any crop will be available from the beginning of the marketing year through the following January 31 or such later date as may be established by the Executive Vice President, CCC.

(e) *Inspection.* An inspector shall determine the type and quality of each lot of farmers stock peanuts that is delivered to a participating warehouse for a price support advance from the marketing association.

(f) *Producer agreement.* To obtain a price support advance, the producer shall provide written authorization to the marketing association, and in the form prescribed by the applicable marketing association, to pledge the producer's peanuts to CCC as collateral for a warehouse storage loan and in so doing, the producer shall relinquish any right to redeem or obtain possession of such peanuts.

(g) *Advance to the producer.* For each lot of peanuts delivered by a producer to a participating warehouse for a price support advance, the warehouse operator, acting in behalf of the marketing association: