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send her decision on a producer's appeal to the FSA county office where the producer was initially challenged. The FSA county office shall notify the challenged producer of the Administrator's, AMS, determination on his or her appeal. The Administrator's, AMS, determination on an appeal shall be final.

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DEFINITIONS

Subpart A—Honey Research, Promotion, and Consumer Information Order

§ 1240.1 Act.

Act means the Honey Research, Promotion, and Consumer Information Act (Pub. L. 98-590) and any amendments thereto.

[51 FR 26148, July 21, 1986; 51 FR 29210, Aug. 15, 1986. Redesignated at 66 FR 21829, May 1, 2001]

§ 1240.2 Board.

Board or *National Honey Board* means Honey Board, the administrative body established pursuant to § 1240.30.

[66 FR 21829, May 1, 2001]

§ 1240.3 Committee.

Committee means the National Honey Nominations Committee established pursuant to § 1240.32.

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§ 1240.4 Consumer education.

Consumer education means the act of providing information to the public on the usage and care of honey and honey products.

[51 FR 26148, July 21, 1986; 51 FR 29210, Aug. 15, 1986. Redesignated at 66 FR 21829, May 1, 2001]

§ 1240.5 Department or USDA.

Department or *USDA* means the United States Department of Agriculture.

[66 FR 21829, May 1, 2001]

§ 1240.6 Exporter.

Exporter means any person who exports honey or honey products from the United States.

[51 FR 26148, July 21, 1986; 51 FR 29210, Aug. 15, 1986. Redesignated at 66 FR 21829, May 1, 2001]

§ 1240.7 Fiscal period and marketing year.

Fiscal period and *marketing year* means the 12-month period ending on December 31 or such other consecutive

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12-month period as shall be recommended by the Board and approved by the Secretary.

[51 FR 26148, July 21, 1986; 51 FR 29210, Aug. 15, 1986. Redesignated at 56 FR 37456, Aug. 7, 1991, and further redesignated at 66 FR 21829, May 1, 2001]

§ 1240.8 Handle.

Handle means to process, package, sell, transport, purchase or in any other way place honey or honey products, or cause them to be placed, in the current of commerce. This term shall include selling unprocessed honey that will be consumed without further processing or packaging. This term shall not include the transportation of unprocessed honey by a producer to a handler or transportation by a commercial carrier of honey, whether processed or unprocessed, for the account of the handler or producer. This term shall not include the purchase of honey or a honey product by a consumer or other end-user of the honey or honey product.

[66 FR 21829, May 1, 2001]

§ 1240.9 Handler.

Handler means any person who handles honey or honey products.

[51 FR 26148, July 21, 1986; 51 FR 29210, Aug. 15, 1986. Redesignated at 66 FR 21829, May 1, 2001]

§ 1240.10 Honey.

Honey means the nectar and saccharine exudations of plants which are gathered, modified, and stored in the comb by honey bees, including comb honey.

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§ 1240.11 Honey production.

Honey production means all beekeeping operations related to managing honey bee colonies to produce honey, harvesting honey from the colonies, extracting honey from the honeycombs, and preparing honey for sale and further processing.

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