

ALMOND BOARD OF CALIFORNIA
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**APPLICATION TO BE APPROVED AS AN ACCEPTED USER OF
 INEDIBLE ALMONDS AND ALMOND WASTE**

Application is made herewith to be listed by the Almond Board of California (ABC) as an Accepted User of inedible almonds and almond waste, and for approval of the use of such material in the outlet(s) checked below:

- crushing for almond oil
- mixing into feed
- feeding directly to livestock or poultry

This will occur at (*Street and City*): _____

In consideration of the approval of this application, the undersigned agrees that all almond material acquired from almond handlers or growers will be used only for the purposes indicated, that none will be disposed of for human consumption, and that ABC employees may enter the applicant's premises at any reasonable time to observe the storage or disposition of the almond material and to examine and audit all books and records necessary to substantiate compliance with quality control provisions governing inedible dispositions. The undersigned also agrees to obtain from each almond handler an executed ABC Form 8 on each lot of material received, and upon crushing, mixing or feeding the almonds, to execute part (b) of the form, and to mail it promptly to the ABC. The undersigned also agrees to furnish to the ABC with a public weight master certificate substantiating the weight of the inedible material received applicable to each Form 8. The weight tag will be issued at the time of receipt in the name of the undersigned. The undersigned also agrees to complete and submit an accepted user data sheet as part of the ABC's annual process of granting accepted user status. **The undersigned also acknowledges that accepted user status is subject to revocation at any time by the ABC for cause.**

The undersigned hereby certifies to the U.S. Department of Agriculture and to the ABC that the information supplied herein is complete and correct, and that the above agreement as to usage and reporting is accepted.

The making of any false statement or representation on this form, knowing it to be false, is a violation of title 18, section 1001, of the United States Code, which provides for the penalty of a fine or imprisonment of not more than five years, or both.

User Firm _____ Date _____
 Address _____
 Telephone _____ Fax _____
 By _____ Title _____

Application is hereby approved, for the **20__ - 20__ crop year**, _____, **20__ through** _____, **20__**, subject to revocation for cause.

Date _____, 20__

By _____ Title _____
 Almond Board of California

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