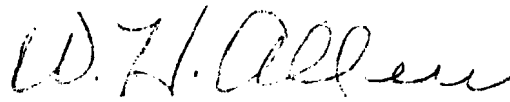


EMERGENCY STANDARD FOR NEW JERSEY APPLES

Severe damage to the apple crop in New Jersey having resulted from high winds due to "Hurricane Hazel" now, therefore, pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary under provisions of Chapter 10, of Title 4, of the revised statutes of the State of New Jersey there is hereby created an emergency standard for apples to be known as "N. J. Hurricane Grade," as follows: viz: N. J. HURRICANE GRADE shall consist of apples meeting all requirements of the U. S. No. 1 Grade with the following exceptions:

1. Apples need not be hand-picked.
2. Bruises, caused by wind, which are not soft and which are of moderate depth (not over 1/4 inch) will be permitted provided the skin is not broken, and the aggregate area affected does not exceed one-tenth of the surface of the apple.
3. Lots of apples showing less than the minimum color requirements specified in the U. S. No. 1 Grade, (15% of surface for Rome and Staymans) but otherwise conforming to the emergency specifications, may be certified as meeting "N. J. Hurricane Grade except for color"; provided that apples composing such lots are segregated from those having a higher percentage of color and packed in separate containers.

The above emergency standard shall exist and be applicable only for the period from 12:01 A. M. October 28, 1954 to 12:01 A. M. March 1, 1955.


Secretary
N. J. Department of Agriculture

Approved, dated and sealed in the
City of Trenton, New Jersey this
27th Day of October, 1954