



## **DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**

### **International Trade Administration**

**[Application No. 99-17A05]**

#### **Export Trade Certificate of Review**

**ACTION:** Notice of issuance of an amended Export Trade Certificate of Review to California Almond Export Association, LLC, Application No. 99-17A05.

**SUMMARY:** The Secretary of Commerce, through the Office of Trade and Economic Analysis (OTEA), issued an amended Export Trade Certificate of Review (Certificate) to California Almond Export Association, LLC on July 22, 2025.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Amanda Reynolds, Acting Director, OTEA, International Trade Administration, (202) 482-5131 (this is not a toll-free number) or email at [etca@trade.gov](mailto:etca@trade.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Title III of the Export Trading Company Act of 1982 (15 U.S.C. 4011-21) (the Act) authorizes the Secretary of Commerce to issue Export Trade Certificates of Review. An Export Trade Certificate of Review protects the holder and the members identified in the Certificate from State and Federal government antitrust actions and from private treble damage antitrust actions for the export conduct specified in the Certificate and carried out in compliance with its terms and conditions. The regulations implementing Title III are found at 15 CFR part 325. OTEA is issuing this notice pursuant to 15 CFR 325.6(b), which requires the Secretary of Commerce to publish a summary of the certification in the Federal Register. Under Section 305(a) of the Act and 15 CFR 325.11(a), any person aggrieved by the Secretary's determination may, within 30 days of the date of this notice, bring an action in any appropriate district court of the United States to set aside the determination on the ground that the determination is erroneous.

#### **Description of Certified Conduct**

California Almond Export Association, LLC amended its Certificate as follows:

1. Added the following entities as Members of the Certificate within the meaning of section 325.2(l) of the Regulations (15 CFR 325.2(l)):
  - Treehouse California Almonds, LLC, Earlimart, CA
  - Cal Coast Almond Processing, Inc, Crows Landing, CA
2. Removed the following company as a Member of the Certificate:
  - Western Nut Company, Chico, CA
3. Changed the names of the following Members of the Certificate:
  - Farmer's International, Inc., Chico, CA changes to Farmers International, Inc., Chico, CA
  - Nutco, LLC d.b.a. Spycher Brothers – Select Harvest, Turlock, CA changes to Nutco, LLC dba Spycher Brothers – Select Harvest, Turlock, CA
  - Wonderful Pistachios & Almonds, LLC, Los Angeles, CA changes to Wonderful Pistachios & Almonds LLC, Los Angeles, CA

*List of Members, as amended:*

- Almonds California Pride, Inc., Caruthers, CA
- Bear Republic Nut, Chico, CA
- Blue Diamond Growers, Sacramento, CA
- Cal Coast Almond Processing, Inc, Crows Landing, CA
- Campos Brothers, Caruthers, CA
- Chico Nut Company, Chico, CA
- Del Rio Nut Company, Livingston, CA
- Farmers International, Inc., Chico, CA
- Fisher Nut Company, Modesto, CA
- Hilltop Ranch, Inc., Ballico, CA
- Hughson Nut, Inc., Hughson, CA

- JSS Almonds, LLC, Bakersfield, CA
- Mariani Nut Company, Winters, CA
- Nutco, LLC dba Spycher Brothers – Select Harvest, Turlock, CA
- Pearl Crop, Inc., Stockton, CA
- P-R Farms, Inc., Clovis, CA
- Roche Brothers International Family Nut Co., Escalon, CA
- RPAC, LLC, Los Banos, CA
- South Valley Almond Company, LLC, Wasco, CA
- Stewart & Jasper Marketing, Inc., Newman, CA
- SunnyGem, LLC, Wasco, CA
- Treehouse California Almonds, LLC, Earlimart, CA
- VF Marketing Corporation DBA Vann Family Orchards, Williams, CA
- Wonderful Pistachios & Almonds LLC, Los Angeles, CA

The effective date of the amended certificate is April 23, 2025, the date on which California Almond Export Association, LLC's application to amend was deemed submitted.

Dated: August 7, 2025.

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