

State of Washington
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
Olympia

EMERGENCY ORDER NO. 921
(Amending Order No. 783)

SCHEDULE OF HORTICULTURAL INSPECTION SERVICE FEES

I, Joe Dwyer, Director of Agriculture of the State of Washington, by virtue of the authority vested in me under Chapter 15.16, Revised Code of Washington, after due notice and public hearings held at Yakima on March 26, 1963, Wenatchee on March 27, 1963, and Okanogan on March 28, 1963, (pursuant to RCW 43.32.010 and 34.04.020), do hereby establish the following amendments to Sections 3, 4, 5, 16, 18, and 19 of the Schedule of Horticultural Inspection Service Fees:

The adoption of this Emergency Order No. 921 establishing horticultural inspection service fees is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, safety, and general welfare. It is necessary that this Order become effective immediately in order that the Director provide adequate fees for inspection of such fruits.

Regulation 1. GRADE AND CONDITION CERTIFICATES - ALL DISTRICTS

Section 1. SOFT FRUITS (Carlots and Trucklots)
(Apricots, Cherries, Peaches, Plums, Prunes, etc.)

A. Under 12 lbs. net -----	3/4¢ each
12 to 19 lbs. net -----	1¢ each
20 to 29 lbs. net -----	1 1/4¢ each
30 lbs. and over -----	1 1/2¢ each

(includes 1/2 bushel baskets)

The minimum charge for a certificate shall be \$3.00.

B. On certificates of mixed shipments of soft fruits and apples and/or pears, the charge will be based on the charge schedule for apples and pears for that portion plus the unit charge for the soft fruit (minimum fee for apples and pears \$3.00).

Section 2. VEGETABLES

A. Asparagus in 12 lb. cartons -----	1¢ each
Asparagus in 26 - 35 lb. crates -----	1 1/2¢ each
Cantaloupe (60 lbs. crate-unit) -----	2 3/4¢ each
Cabbage, celery & lettuce, crates or cartons --	2 3/4¢ each, up to 65 lbs.
	or -- 3 1/2¢ each, over 65 lbs.
Corn (5 doz. crate-unit) -----	2¢ each
Tomatoes - L. A. Lugs -----	1 3/4¢ each
Tomatoes - in flats -----	1¢ each
Tomatoes - loose in apple boxes, field lugs ---	1 1/2¢ each
Potatoes -----	3¢ cwt.
Potatoes where percentage grade needed -----	25¢ per ton or major fraction thereof (diversion program or similar program)
Onions -----	3 1/2¢ cwt.
Rutabagas, watermelons, squash, etc. -----	3 1/2¢ cwt.
Seed potatoes, same as potatoes above -----	

The minimum charge for a certificate shall be \$3.00.

B. A mixed shipment of any fruits and vegetables shall be computed on the respective schedules of the commodity with a minimum fee of \$3.00.

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Section 3. MILITARY SUBSISTENCE MARKET CENTER OR OTHER FEDERAL AGENCIES

Inspection work (fee established by U.S.D.A.) -- \$6.00 per hour

Canadian Inspections--Terminal Wholesale Markets--\$6.00 per hour
(Tacoma, Seattle) Spokane--\$6.00 per hour or on a
per package basis for mixed trucklots as follows:

1 - 25 packages -----	\$3.25
26 - 50 packages -----	\$4.25
51 - 150 packages -----	\$6.00
151 - 1/2 customary carlot -----	\$8.00

State Institutions--Inspections--\$4.00 per hour
(The minimum fee shall be for 1/2 hour)

Regulation 2. SHIPPING PERMITS

Section 1. SOFT FRUITS

40 boxes or less, 5¢ per box. 41 boxes and over, the shipping
permit shall be 2/3 the fee for grade and condition certificate
with a minimum fee of \$2.00.

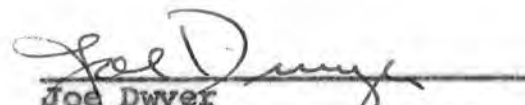
Section 2. VEGETABLES

	<u>Minimum package</u>	<u>Unit rate</u>
A. Cantaloupes - minimum charge -----	\$1.00	2¢
(60 lb. crate-unit)		
Tomatoes - minimum charge -----	\$1.00	
In L. A. Lugs ----- 100		1¢
In flats----- 200		1 1/2¢
Loose in apple boxes -- 100		1¢
Potatoes - minimum charge		
per permit -----	3/4 of cert. charge or \$2.00 minimum	
Processing plant or livestock feed shipments, for transportation only, in accordance with State law -----		50¢ per load or
where point of origin inspection required -----		25¢ per ton
B. On releases for mixed shipments of cantaloupes and tomatoes if either lot exceeds the minimum charge for that lot, the unit charge for each lot will be used. If each lot is less than the minimum number of packages to equal or exceed the minimum charge, the minimum charge will be made on the smallest amount plus the unit charge on the other commodity.		
C. On releases for mixed shipments of soft fruits, the charge will be based on the \$2.00 minimum fee for the lesser number of containers of the soft fruit.		

Regulation 3. EXTRA CHARGES

All permits or certificates or services secured after 5:00 p.m.
or on Saturdays, Sundays, or legal holidays, shall be one and one-half
times the normal unit rate.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of
the regulation promulgated by the Department of Agriculture.


Joe Dwyer
Director of Agriculture
State of Washington

Signed at Olympia, Washington

Date: June 7, 1963