

STATE OF WASHINGTON  
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
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Olympia, Washington

ORDER NO. 1060

WASHINGTON CONTROLLED ATMOSPHERE STORAGE REQUIREMENTS FOR BARTLETT PEARS  
(Effective August 26, 1967)

I, Donald W. Moos, Director of Agriculture of the State of Washington, by virtue of the authority vested in me under Chapter 15.30 RCW, after due notice and public hearing held at Quincy, Washington, on July 12, 1967, (Pursuant to RCW 42.32 and 34.04), do hereby establish Washington Controlled Atmosphere Storage Requirements for Bartlett Pears.

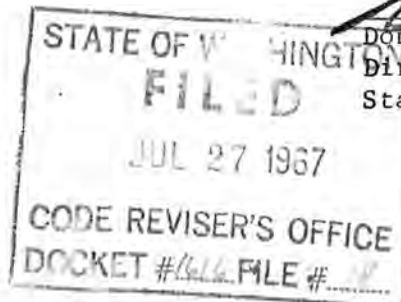
Bartlett Pears to be classified as Controlled Atmosphere Storage Pears, which meet the following requirements, other than those specifically set forth in Chapter 15.30 RCW.

- Section 1. Oxygen content of each room shall be reduced to 5% within 20 days after sealing of room.
- Section 2. Fruit shall be retained in a controlled atmosphere storage, under required degrees of temperature and percentage of air components, for a period of not less than (90) 45 days.--to qualify as having been stored in controlled atmosphere storage.
- Section 3. At the time of shipment all Bartlett Pears shipped and marked with C. A. number shall meet the following maturity and condition standards:
- (a) Mostly hard - some firm.
  - (b) Not to exceed an average of 2% decay and/or breakdown.
- Section 4. Failure to meet any one of the requirements noted above, will prohibit such fruit from being sold as C. A. storage fruit or the containers marked as such.

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

Signed at Olympia, Washington

Date: July 26, 1967



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