



PLEASE RETURN COMPLETED AND SIGNED FORM TO:
 Washington State Department of Agriculture
 Commodity Inspection Division
 21 North First Avenue, Suite 226
 Yakima, WA 98902 or Fax to (509) 575-2537

Shipper Number
 (Refer to this on all correspondence)

The Director of the Washington State Department of Agriculture issues **THIS AGREEMENT** as a privilege. The benefit to an applicant is the facilitation of an orderly, efficient and timely movement of regulated products. Absent this agreement, an applicant would be required by statute to obtain WSDA inspection service for approval of individual shipping permits on regulated products. Such service is dependent on availability of WSDA personnel.

THIS AGREEMENT will authorize the issuance of Certificates of Compliance for apples, pears, cherries, apricots, peaches, prunes and asparagus being shipped or transported for the growing and shipping season beginning in August of year 2_____ to August of the following year.

Regulated fruits and vegetables in storage or loading areas will be made accessible for inspection by inspectors of the Commodity Inspection Division.

Certificates of Compliance issued on C.A. fruit must show State (or) Federal Lot Inspection Numbers and carry a statement that C.A. fruit meets two-week shipping requirements. Apples of the Red Delicious or Delicious variety must meet the 21-day shipping requirement.

Certificates of Compliance shall be issued only on fruits and/or vegetables known to be in full compliance with provisions of Chapter 15.17 RCW and rules and administrative directives of the Director adopted thereunder.

Any lot of fruits or vegetables found during the course of inspection to be in non-compliance, shall be corrected prior to shipment of the lot. The applicant for inspection or responsible representative shall acknowledge notification of non-compliance of the lot by signature as requested on form **AGR 6072 Off Grade/Condition Report**. It is the responsibility of the applicant to make available sufficient on-site representatives for acknowledgement of notification of non-compliance.

Fruits and vegetables shall meet the applicable federal marketing order that requires a quality and condition certificate. Containers shall be stamped with State (or) Federal Lot Identification.

Violation of the authority granted hereunder could result in a suspension of this agreement or civil penalty under the provisions of Chapter 15.17 RCW and rules adopted there under. This agreement is subject to revocation for cause as described in WAC 16-461-010 (2) (C).

The Washington State Department of Agriculture will respond to request for inspection service in the following sequence: 1) Export certification -- Export Apple Act 2) Marketing order, Controlled Atmosphere certification (Federal-State (or) State certification) 3) Mandatory Inspection for Red variety of apples, soluble solids and starch-iodine 4) Voluntary certification Federal-State (or) State certification 5) Quality control inspection -- at time of packing, loading or from storage (State inspection).

By issuing the certificate of compliance, the Washington State Department of Agriculture does not guarantee the quality and/or quantity of fruits and vegetables certified. The Firm has the sole responsibility to fairly and accurately represent the quality and quantity of fruits and vegetables to prospective buyers.

The Firm agrees to defend, indemnify and hold the Washington State Department of Agriculture harmless against any damage claims, lawsuits, economic and/or personal injury claims relating to the quality and/or quantity of fruits and/or vegetables which are the subject of this agreement. This indemnification clause includes but is not limited to claims of sole and/or concurrent negligent inspection and/or certification by the Washington State Department of Agriculture.

IMPORTANT: Within 24 hours after completion, two copies (white and green) of the certificate of compliance must be sent to the local F&V Inspection office.

Check One: New Agreement Renewal Add/Remove Signatures

District: Yakima Wenatchee

Firm Name:		Email Address:	
Mailing Address:		Phone Number:	
City, State, Zip:		Fax Number:	

For renewals and new agreements, please list all names of all personnel authorized to issue Certificates Of Compliance. After that, only add new names. All signatures on file will remain effective until the expiration date or until you notify WSDA that they should be removed.

*The person assigned the role of Shipper Master User should be someone with a vested interest in protecting the quality of operations at their business and in a position that has little turnover. **Only a Shipper Master User can add and removed employees authorized to issue COC's.** If the person who is the Shipper Master User will also be creating COC's, please remember to include that name below in the list of Personnel Authorized to Issue Certificates of Compliance.*

PRINT NAME & TITLE OF SHIPPER MASTER USER (Authorized Officer)

SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER MASTER USER (Authorized Officer)

ADD PERSONNEL AUTHORIZED TO ISSUE CERTIFICATES OF COMPLIANCE:

NAME (s) Please Type or print clearly	SIGNATURE (s)	NAME (s) Please Type or print clearly	SIGNATURE (s)

NAMES TO BE REMOVED:

Please Type or Print Clearly			

NOTE: If you have faxed the form; please mail original with signatures to the address at the top of this form. Keep a copy for your records.