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To: [Laura Johnson](#)
Cc: [Chanel Tewalt](#); [Erica White](#); [Anne Struthers](#); [Dawn Larzelier](#); [Lloyd Knight](#)
Subject: Re: {External}RE: Idaho Preferred Rules Review: Public Input Needed!
Date: Wednesday, March 30, 2022 2:58:40 PM

Great news! I truly value my membership in Idaho Preferred!!
Janine

On Mar 30, 2022, at 2:14 PM, Laura Johnson <Laura.Johnson@isda.idaho.gov> wrote:

Thanks, Janine. Glad to hear this language would work for you. We are proposing quite a few changes to the rules and are excited about making the program even better!

Laura

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Hi Laura,
That is much clearer and yes – would definitely include the majority of producers that chose to relocate production or need out of state co-packing options.
I hope it is accepted!
Thank you for sharing this input!
Janine

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Janine,

Thank you for your comments. We realize this is an issue and had proposed a change to the processed foods and beverages section in the attached strawman. The section on page 4 reads as follows:

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What are your thoughts on the above language? Will it help meet your needs?

Laura

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From: Lloyd Knight <Lloyd.Knight@ISDA.IDAHO.GOV>
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Thanks Janine. We will get them posted to the website and will be sure to discuss at the next

meeting.

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Hello Lloyd,
We will not be able to attend the meeting, but would like the attached rule changed to be considered.
Thank you!
Janine

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Public Input Requested: Zero-Based Rulemaking Sessions

Your input is requested for a complete review of the Idaho Preferred program rules.

Idaho Preferred is a program of the Idaho State Department of Agriculture (ISDA) and is governed by administrative rules. ISDA is currently reviewing existing rules for redundancy and inefficiencies to streamline the Idaho Preferred program eligibility and member requirements, consistent with the Governor's Zero-Based Regulation (ZBR) Executive Order.

Those interested in participating in the negotiated rulemaking process are encouraged to attend the scheduled meeting via telephone and web conferencing. For those who cannot participate by attending the meeting, information for submitting written comments is provided below.

Your input on proposed rule changes is invaluable!

To attend via WebEx Meeting,

The second and final public input session is scheduled for April 4, 2022 from 9am - 11am MST.

Individuals interested in participating by telephone and web conferencing should contact rulesinfo@isda.idaho.gov.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this negotiated rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before April 8, 2022.

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Proposed changes in the straw man draft can be read here:

<https://agri.idaho.gov/main/i-need-to/see-lawsrules/rulemaking/2022-2023-rulemaking/rules-governing-the-idaho-preferred-program-02-01-04/>

Idaho has enacted Zero-Based Rule Making policies. See the Executive Order, signed by Gov. Little:

<https://gov.idaho.gov/wp-content/uploads/sites/74/2020/01/eo-2020-01.pdf>

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