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2017 CROP YEAR
HANDLER (PACKER/PROCESSOR) ASSESSMENT REPORT - SUMMARY

☑ **Check the appropriate box(es):**
☐ **Confidential** {ORS 192.501 (26)}
(Please check if you prefer this information to remain confidential)
☐ **No Production**
☐ **Organic Exemption***
☐ **Final Report For Season**

COMPANY NAME: _____ **TOTAL NET PAID WEIGHT**:** _____ **TOTAL REMITTED:$** _____

To: First Handlers (OAR 611-010-0005 (6) "Handler" means any producer, processor, distributor or other person engaged in handling or marketing of or dealing in caneberries, whether as owner, agent, employee, broker or otherwise. The assessment rules explain that: assessment reports for purchases by or deliveries to a first purchaser of caneberries during the periods indicated below.

Please furnish this report to the commission office at the above address using the following Due Dates for any Oregon caneberries produced in Oregon and purchased during that Period. Report may be submitted by mail (postmarked by due date), email or fax with the period due dates indicated below. Additional report forms may be found at www.oregon-berries.com.

Check One Box - (If you are reporting for more than one Period, use separate forms for each Period):

☐ Period (1) November 30, 2016 – August 31, 2017 ..... **Due October 15, 2017**
☐ Period (2) September 1 – November 29, 2017 ..... **Due December 15, 2017**

Assessment rate is 1% of the gross value of the raw product

Species of Berry	Total Pounds (Paid Weight**)	Average Price Used	Total Cash Value	1% OF CASH VALUE
Black Raspberry				
Red Raspberry				
Black Diamond				
Boysenberry				
Chester				
Columbia Star				
Evergreen				
Kotata				
Marionberry				
Obsidian				
Silvan				
Other				
GRAND TOTAL				

*An organic producer will be exempt from assessment if the producer presents the following information to the commission by December 15th of each year: (a) either (i) a current certificate from a certifying agent under the Organic Foods Production Act, 7 U.S.C. § 6501-6522 and its implementing regulations; or (ii) a statement of exemption from certification under the Organic Foods Production Act, 7 U.S.C. § 6501-6522 and its implementing regulations; **and** (b) a production report signed by the producer containing the producer's name, mailing address, species of berries, and pounds and price for each species.

**Weight of berries – The actual weight of berries for which payment is made.

ORS Chapter 576.335 (2) "A person responsible for collecting an assessment for a commission who fails to deduct an assessment at the time of sale shall report and pay the assessment to the commission. A producer required to report and pay an assessment is subject to this section." ORS Chapter 576.355 (1) "In addition to the penalties prescribed in ORS 576.991, any person who delays transmittal of funds beyond the time set by the commission shall pay 10 percent of the amount due and shall also pay one and one-half percent interest per month on the unpaid balance of the assessment.

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: ORBC

I hereby certify that this report is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signed: _____
Name: _____
Company: _____
Address: _____
Phone: _____ **Email:** _____

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2017 ASSESSMENT FORM - GROWER DETAIL

NAME OF GROWER	GROWER ADDRESS & PHONE NUMBER	SPECIES OF BERRIES	TOTAL POUNDS	1% OF CASH VALUE

YOUR COMPANY NAME _____