# **National Association of State Departments of Agriculture**



#### **Subject of Policy Amendment 6:**

Specialty Crop Block Grant Program - Process for the designation of unspecified or ineligible commodities.

### **Section Number or Title to be Amended:**

11.11 Specialty Crops

## **Submitted by:**

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## **Text of Policy Amendment:**

- NASDA supports a defined process through USDA for presently unspecified or ineligible commodities to receive consideration for specialty crop designation as part of the SCBGP.
  - NASDA recognizes that the addition of new SCBGP designation commodities impacts available federal funding and advocates that the addition of new commodities be accompanied by an appropriate increase in federal funding.

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