Fiscal Year 2011 Report Trade Adjustment Assistance (TAA) for Farmers Program

Section 293 of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2401b), as amended by Section 1884 of the ARRA, requires USDA to provide a report annually containing the following information: a list of the agricultural commodities covered by a certification under the law; the states or regions in which such commodities are produced and the aggregate amount of such commodities produced in each state or region; the total number of agricultural commodity producers, by congressional district, receiving benefits under the law; and the total number of agricultural commodity producers, by congressional district, receiving technical assistance under the law. The following tables present the required information.

Certified Agricultural Commodities and Eligible States

American Lobster (Homarus americanus)—Eligible States: Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, and Rhode Island

Blueberries (wild)—Eligible States: Maine

Shrimp—Eligible States: Alabama, Alaska, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, and Texas

Aggregate Commodity Amount Produced in Each State/Region

American Lobster (Homarus americanu	(S)
Major Producing States/Regions	U.S. Landings, 2010 (Metric Tons)
Maine	43,321
Massachusetts	5,791
New Hampshire	1,659
Rhode Island	1,325
Total of Four-State Area	52,096

Source: NOAA, National Marine Fisheries Service, Annual Commercial Landing Statistics

Blueberries (wild)	
Major Producing States/Regions	Production, 2010 (1,000 Pounds Weight)
Maine*	82,500
Total of State Area	82,500

Source: USDA, National Agricultural Statistics Service

^{*}Maine produces 98 percent of all wild blueberries in the United States; other states, cultivated blueberries

Shrimp	
Major Producing States/Regions	U.S. Landings, 2010 (Metric Tons)
New England	6,057
South Atlantic	10,315
Gulf	80,379
Pacific	21,242
Total of Regional Areas	117,993

Source: NOAA, National Marine Fisheries Service, Annual Commercial Landing Statistics

Approved Agricultural Commodity Producers By Congressional District To Receive Program Assistance

State	Congressional District	Total Number of Applicants Approved for Assistance	American Lobster	Blueberries	Shrimp
Alabama	AL-1	122	2		120
Alaska	AK-1 AK-2 AK-31	94 7 1		1	94 7
Arkansas	AR-2	2			2
California	CA-1	2	2		
Connecticut	CT-2 CT-3 CT-4	45 11 17	45 11 17		
Florida	FL-1 FL-2 FL-3 FL-4 FL-5 FL-7 FL-9 FL-14 FL-18	10 4 4 11 4 1 1 6	1	1	9 4 4 11 4 1 1 6
Georgia	GA-1 GA-5 GA-12	5 9 1			5 9 1
Kentucky	KY-3 KY-7	3 1			3

Note: Some applicants reside in a state that is not covered by a petition, but conduct business in one that is eligible.

State	Congressional District	Total Number of Applicants Approved for Assistance	American Lobster	Blueberries	Shrimp
Louisiana	LA-1	86	4		82
	LA-2	190	2		188
	LA-3	579			579
	LA-6	12			12
	LA-7	24			24
	LA-8	4			4
Maine	ME-1	1521	1473	48	
	ME-2	1418	1203	215	
	ME-3	13	'		13
	ME-10	1	1		
Maryland	MD-10	2	2		
Massachusetts	MA-1	1		1	
	MA-3	3	3		
	MA-4	88	88		
	MA-5	7	7		
	MA-6	411	411		
	MA-7	11	11		
	MA-8	7	7		
	MA-9	13	13		
	MA-10	452	452		
Michigan	MI-4	1	1		
	MI-10	5	5		
Minnesota	MN-4	1			1
Mississippi	MS-1	1	1		
	MS-4	56			56
Missouri	MO-2	1	1		
Nebraska	NE-1	1	1		

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State	Congressional District	Total Number of Applicants Approved for Assistance	American Lobster	Blueberries	Shrimp
New	NH-1	137	137		
Hampshire	NH-2	3	3		
New York	NY-1 NY-2	1 1	1 1		
North Carolina	NC-1	2			2
	NC-3	9			9
	NC-7	5			5
Ohio	OH-12	1	1		
Oregon	OR-3	1			1
Pennsylvania	PA-9	2			2
Rhode Island	RI-1	55	55		
	RI-2	70	70		
South Carolina	SC-1	16			16
	SC-6	2			2
Tennessee	TN-9	2			2
	TN-50	1			1
Texas	TX-2	5			5
	TX-7	18			18
	TX-9	19			19
	TX-13	1			1
	TX-14 TX-15	21			21
	1	6			6
	TX-22 TX-25	$\frac{1}{3}$			3
	TX-23	55			55
	TX-29	2			2
Washington	WA-3	3			3
	WA-6	1			1
Totals		5,714	4,032	266	1,416

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