North Dakota Dry Bean Stock Report

Stocks on Hand as of

December 31, 2006

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Table 1. Response Rate of the December 31, 2006 Bean Storage Report Survey

Report Category	Category Value
Number of Report Surveys Mailed	41
Number of Report Surveys Received	41
Percent of Report Surveys Returned	100%

Table 1 outlines the number of December 31, 2006 Bean Storage Report Surveys mailed by the Public Service Commission to licensees handling dry edible beans. The Table indicates 41 report surveys were sent to companies and 41 report surveys were returned by February 7, 2007. The response rate shown in the Table is 100%.

Table 2. Bean Storage Report

	Number of Companies	Reported Stocks on Hand
Commodity	Reporting Stocks on Hand	in hundredweight
Navy	14	1,354,585
Pinto	34	3,998,971
Blacks	16	320,549
Pinks	6	123,710
Small Reds	5 or less	32,724

Table 2 details the reported bean stocks on hand December 31, 2006. The category 'Number of Companies Reporting Stocks on Hand' shows the number of companies that reported stocks on hand greater than zero for the related type of commodity. In this category, the '5 or less' phrase indicates a small number of report surveys (for confidentiality purposes, the actual number of companies reporting is not shown). However, in order for a commodity to be reported, at least 3 or more companies must report stocks on hand for that commodity.