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Report Highlights:

The Thai Food and Drug Administration updated its approved list of good handling practice standards for exports of U.S. fresh fruits and vegetables to Thailand.

The Thai Food and Drug Administration (TFDA) requires that imported fresh produce must be accompanied with a production standard certificate from an approved good handling practice standard (Ministry of Public Health Notification No.386 B.E. 2560 (2017) Re: Prescription of production process, equipment and utensil for production and storage of some fresh fruits or vegetables and labeling). The TFDA recently updated the approved list of good handling practice standards to include the GLOBAL GAP – Produce Handling Assurance version 1.2.

The below list is TFDA's current approved list of good handling practice standards for future exports of U.S. fresh fruits and vegetables to Thailand:

1. USDA Agricultural Practices and Good Handling Practices Audit Verification Program for Fruit and Vegetables;
2. GLOBALGAP Institute Farm Assurance Programs for fruits and vegetables;
3. Primus GFS Version 2.1 to 2c or Version 3;
4. The Safe Quality Food (SQF) institute's HACCP-Based Supplier Assurance Code for the food industry;
5. BRCG local Standard for Food Safety (Issue7); and
6. GLOBAL GAP - Produce Handling Assurance version 1.2.

End of Report.

Attachments:

No Attachments.