

CALIFORNIA LEAGUE OF FOOD PROCESSORS'
2006 CALIFORNIA TOMATO PASTE SUPPLIES & DECEMBER 1 INVENTORY

December 27, 2006

TO U.S. TOMATO PROCESSORS AND INTERESTED PARTIES:

Listed below are the 2006 Tomato "Paste for Sale" pack and inventory as of December 1, for California Tomato Processors.

Tomato "Paste for Sale" in Drums, Bins & Bulk

	<u>2005-2006</u>	<u>2006-2007</u>
Paste for Sale Pack	5,109,760	5,952,697
Inventory as of December 1	2,699,617	2,798,704

Total Paste Pack and Inventory

Total Tomato Paste Pack (including "paste for sale" and paste held for companies' own remanufacture operations)	7,884,834
Total Tomato Paste Stocks as of December 1	5,694,907

Paste for Sale - Paste, converted to a raw product "paid for tons" equivalent, being held in drums, bins, and bulk, that has been packed to be sold. Does not include paste being held for companies' own remanufacture.

2005-2006 Pack year statistics based on reports from processors handling 97% of California tonnage.
2006-2007 Pack year statistics based on reports from processors handling 98% of California tonnage.