

MARKET ENFORCEMENT BRANCH

ENFORCEMENT ACTIONS

October 2025

LICENSE DENIALS

Serratos Produce
222 E Hatch Road
Modesto, CA 95351

License Denied September 17, 2025

Elizabeth Sapientia Wine Inc
PO Box 2431
Beverly Hills, CA 90213

License Denied October 7, 2025

Danielle L Avila
3140 E. Monte Vista Road
Ceres, CA 95307

License Denied October 14, 2025

Tin Barn Vineyards LLC
21692 Eighth Street East Suite 340
Sonoma, CA 95476

License Denied October 14, 2025

Ghost Oaks Winery Inc
608 Hazel Dell Road
Watsonville, CA 95076

License Denied October 7, 2025

Merano LLC
2563 Santa Ana Avenue
Costa Mesa, CA 92627

License Denied October 7, 2025

Royal Flavor Inc
PO Box 2020
Nogales, AZ 85628

License Denied October 14, 2025

JD 8A's Supply & Produce
1225 E Olympic Blvd
Los Angeles, CA 90022

License Denied October 15, 2025

COMPLAINT INVESTIGATIONS – Respondent's

Arcomex Labor Contractor, Inc.
42149 Road 68
Dinuba, CA 93618

Findings – Non-Jurisdictional

United Plant Growers
2035 Marilyn Ln.
San Marcos, CA 92069

Findings – PENDING

Halton Produce, LLC
3759 Red Hawk Ct.
Simi Valley, CA 93063
Findings – PENDING

RPAC, LLC

PO Box 2138
Los Banos, CA 93635

Findings – Non-Jurisdictional

Fresh Life Co.
530 S. Lake Ave #1026
Pasadena, CA 91101

Findings – PENDING

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDINGS / LICENSE REVOCATIONS

NONE

PROSECUTION UPDATES

Tolliver Ranch Brands, LLC – Paso Robles, CA

As of 2/28/2025, pending review by SLO County DDA Jorgensen. Violation of alleging failure to pay under the Food and Agricultural Code; Misdemeanor. It appears that Tolliver Ranch Brands, LLC, has closed and ceased operations. DA's Office to conduct inquiry into current operations of Tolliver. As of October 2025, no updates are available at this time.

Case pending as of October 2025.

Best Nut Company, LLC – Ripon, CA

03/05/2025, pending review by Sutter County DA's Office. Violation alleging failure to pay under the Food and Agricultural Code; Misdemeanor.

As of October 2025, no contact from DA's office.

Case pending as of October 2025

Fairwinds Estate, LLC

03/14/2025, pending review by Napa County DA's Office. Violation alleging failure to pay and operating without a license under the Food and Agricultural Code; Misdemeanors.

As of October 2025, Napa DDA advised no formal charges will be filed against Fairwinds Estate for operating as a Processor without a Processor license. The denial notice for the renewal of the Processor license was dated in January 2025, prior to this date, Fairwinds Estate, LLC was attempting to secure the documentation requested by MEB in order to renew this license. Given the dates, it is reasonable to conclude they believed they could purchase wine grapes during this pending renewal. No formal charges will be filed for outstanding wine grape payables. However, their office will continue to monitor, on a quarterly basis, payments made to these outstanding grower payables. Fairwinds Estate, LLC, stated, under penalty of perjury, they did not purchase CA farm products, namely wine grapes, in 2025. Therefore, not requiring a license under the Processors Law. Should they purchase CA farm products for processing or resale, they will submit a license application. Case closed.