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To: True Source Members

As required by the June motion*, the True Source Honey Board of Directors met to review submitted data. It was determined that none of the data submitted warranted an amendment to the motion, and the only further action was to clarify the implementation date.

Due to delays in ocean freight bookings, it was established that any load with a House BOL date of January 1, 2026 or later would be subject to the new testing. See below or [click here](#) to view the sample document showing that date.

PARTICULARS FURNISHED BY SHIPPER				
MARKS & NOS / CONTAINER(S) NOS.	NO OF PKGS.	DESCRIPTION OF PACKAGES AND GOODS	GROSS WEIGHT	MEASUREMENT
PURCHASE CONTRACT NO BN39P1 TO BN39P128 300.000 KGS, NATURAL HONEY PURE INDIAN HONEY LIGHT AMBER COLOUR MAX 85 MM PRODUCT OF INDIA LOT NO.KBF-56071,KBF- 56072	2	X 20GP CONTAINER STC 128 Drum(s) 2x20' STC 128 DRUMS (ONE HUNDRED TWENTY EIGHT DRUMS ONLY) CONTAINING NATURAL HONEY 100% PRODUCT OF INDIAN ORIGIN CONVENTIONAL LIGHT AMBER HONEY HTS# 0409.00.0056 PURE UNADULTERATED BEES HONEY PACKED IN FOOD GRADE EPOXY COATED M.S. DRUMS.	40640.000 KG	50.000 M3
		LOT NO. DRUM NOS. KBF-56071 BN39P1 TO BN39M64 KBF-56072 BN39P65 TO BN39P128		
		ORDER NO. INTERTEK SEAL 126592/19 030665 126592/20 030664		
		SB. NO. -5734558 DT. 29-09-2025 CUSTOM CLEARANCE DT. 30-09-2025		

- Shipper Lot Number/s
- True Source/Intertek Seal Number
- Customs Clearance Date

Where a load has an Ocean BOL date after January 1, but a House BOL date prior to January 1, the load will not be subject to the required HRMS targeted marker detection. This should represent a narrow window of time in late December where loads are in transit from inland port to ocean terminal.

The TSH Board has additionally identified and approved four qualifying methods that are compliant with the testing requirement:

- Intertek 101811
- FoodQS 380
- Eurofins PTHP1
- QSI 40802 (HRMS) + 40850 (HILIC Honey Sugar Profiling)

Please contact True Source Honey at info@truesourcehoney.com if you have any questions.

*MOTION: TSH adopts HRMS Targeted Marker detection, newly accredited testing for all origins on Bill of Ladings ship dates of January 1, 2026. This adoption can be amended by the TS board by November 1, 2025 if data is provided to the board that would cause this adoption to be suspended or amended. Seconded. Vote: 1 opposed. Motion passed.