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RE: NOTICE OF FINAL RULEMAKING

Department of Agriculture 7 Pa. Code Chapter 28a.

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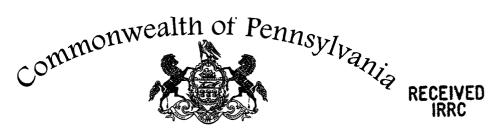
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