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SUBJECT: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Food and Nutrition Service (FNS)
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
Retailer Policy and Management Division
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Response to Comments:

60-Day Federal Register Notice SNAP Store Application Forms (FNS-252)

Docket: FNS-2020-00014

Comment Period End Date September 4, 2020

Dear Mr. Mahony:

Thank you for your comments submitted via email to RPMDHQ-Web on August 25, 2020, regarding the Federal Register Notice requesting comments on the proposed information collection for the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), Store Applications, Forms FNS-252, FNS-252-C, FNS-252-E, FNS-252-FE, FNS-252-R and FNS-252-2, published July 6, 2020. The Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) is committed to increasing integrity in the SNAP.

FNS appreciates your comments about the proposed information collection regarding changes to clarify questions, instructions, and examples concerning stocking units. FNS appreciates your comments in support of the proposed revision of the retail store application.

FNS shares your concern regarding SNAP integrity. Thank you for your support of policy revisions that increase program integrity and your affirmation that the proposed revisions will help thwart unscrupulous retailers who intend to defraud the Program.

Thank you again for your comments.

Regards,

Shelly Pierce, Acting Division Director
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