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UNITED STATES							
Alaska			<i>(updated Dec 2016)</i>		http://dnr.alaska.gov/ag/		
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California			<i>(approved Dec 2017)</i>		http://ccia.ucdavis.edu/		
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Colorado			<i>(updated 1-11-2018)</i>		http://potatoes.colostate.edu/potato-certification-service/		
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Maine			<i>(updated Feb 2018)</i>		http://www.state.me.us/agriculture/pi/mspb/#Sliverskip		
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Minnesota			<i>(updated 11-16-16)</i>		http://www.mda.state.mn.us/potato inspection		
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Montana			<i>(approved Dec 2014)</i>		http://www.montanaspud.org/		
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Nebraska			<i>(revised 4-01-16)</i>		http://www.nebraskapotatoes.com/		
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New York			<i>(updated 10/25/13)</i>		http://cyp.cce.cornell.edu/submission.php?id=103		
Perry	Keith	NY Foundation Seed Potato Program / Director	334 Plant Science Bldg., Cornell University	Ithaca, NY	14853	(607) 254-8243; fax (607) 255-4471	KLP3@cornell.edu
Atkins	Phil	New York Seed Improvement	103C Leland Lab	Ithaca NY	14851	(607) 255-9869; fax (607) 255-6683	pma3@cornell.edu
Nevada			<i>(updated 11-02-15)</i>		http://agri.nv.gov/Plant/Seed_Certification/Seed_Certification		
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North Dakota			<i>(updated 3-30-16)</i>		http://www.nd.gov/seed/potato/potatoseedcertification.aspx		
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Oregon			<i>(approved 2018)</i>			http://seedcert.oregonstate.edu/potatoes	
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Utah						http://www.utahcrop.org/	
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Washington			<i>(approved 2016)</i>			http://agr.wa.gov/PlantsInsects/PlantCertification/PlantCertification	
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Wyoming			<i>(updated 10/25/13)</i>			http://www.nebraskapotatoes.com/	
Contracted through Nebraska (see Steve Marquardt)							
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CANADA

CFIA Operational Guidance and Expertise (Operation Branch) *(updated Jan 2018)* <http://www.inspection.gc.ca/english/plaveg/potpom/potpome.sh>

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CFIA Headquarters *(updated Jan 2018)* <http://www.inspection.gc.ca/english/plaveg/potpom/potpome.sh>

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Technical Experts *(revised Nov 2017)* <http://www.ars.usda.gov/pandp/people.htm>

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