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FIRM NAME Snokist Growers	STREET ADDRESS 2506 Terrace Heights Dr
CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE, COUNTRY Yakima, WA 98901	TYPE ESTABLISHMENT INSPECTED Acid Food Cannery

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DURING AN INSPECTION OF YOUR FIRM I OBSERVED:

OBSERVATION 1

Proper precautions to protect food from contamination with filth and extraneous material cannot be taken because of deficiencies in plant construction and design.

Specifically, a blue tarp was observed directly above the south side of cooling unit for the #10 cans. The tarp I observed was holding standing water. The pooling water begins approximately 7-10 feet west of the east end of the cooling unit then extends at least five feet west. The pooled water I observed had a film/residue along the top. Water depth in the tarp was at least five inches deep at the deepest point. The tarp was observed to have condensation/water within 10 inches of the #10 cans with finished product in the open cooling unit below. Also observed on the bottom side of the tarp were numerous black like spots resembling mold like growth. The bottom side of the tarp is a polyweave material that does appear to be easily cleaned.

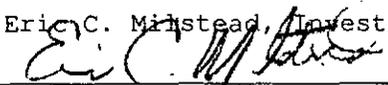
OBSERVATION 2

Failure to provide adequate screening or other protection against pests.

Specifically, the west end of the processing building had a number of gaps greater than 1/4 inch. For example:

1. The bay style door located on the west side of the maintenance room adjacent to the pear processing room was observed to have openings along the base and sides greater than 1/2 inch.
2. A gap greater than 1/2 inch was observed along the north side of the bay style door in the pear receiving room. Insulation appeared to have been removed creating the gap. The rodent trap located near the opening had the number #57 associated with the trap.
3. Bay door #12 appears to have a gap greater than 1/2 inch along the entire length of the base of the door.

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