

# WASHINGTON, D.C. UPDATE

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#### 2018 Farm Bill

- Market Access Program
- Specialty Crop Block Grants
- Specialty Crop Research Initiative
- 8(e) FMO Language

# 2018 AG Disaster Legislation

WHIP Factor Floor and Cap

Block Grant Program to State DOA's

Tree Loss Crop Insurance Program Review

- Tree Assistance Program (TAP)
  - ➤ Mortality Rate
  - ➤ National FSA Review Team

# **AG Labor Policy**

- Legislative
  - ➤ Goodlatte Bill (115<sup>th</sup> Congress)
  - ➤ Lofgren Bill
  - > Feinstein Bill

- Regulatory
  - > House and Administration H2A Reform Effort

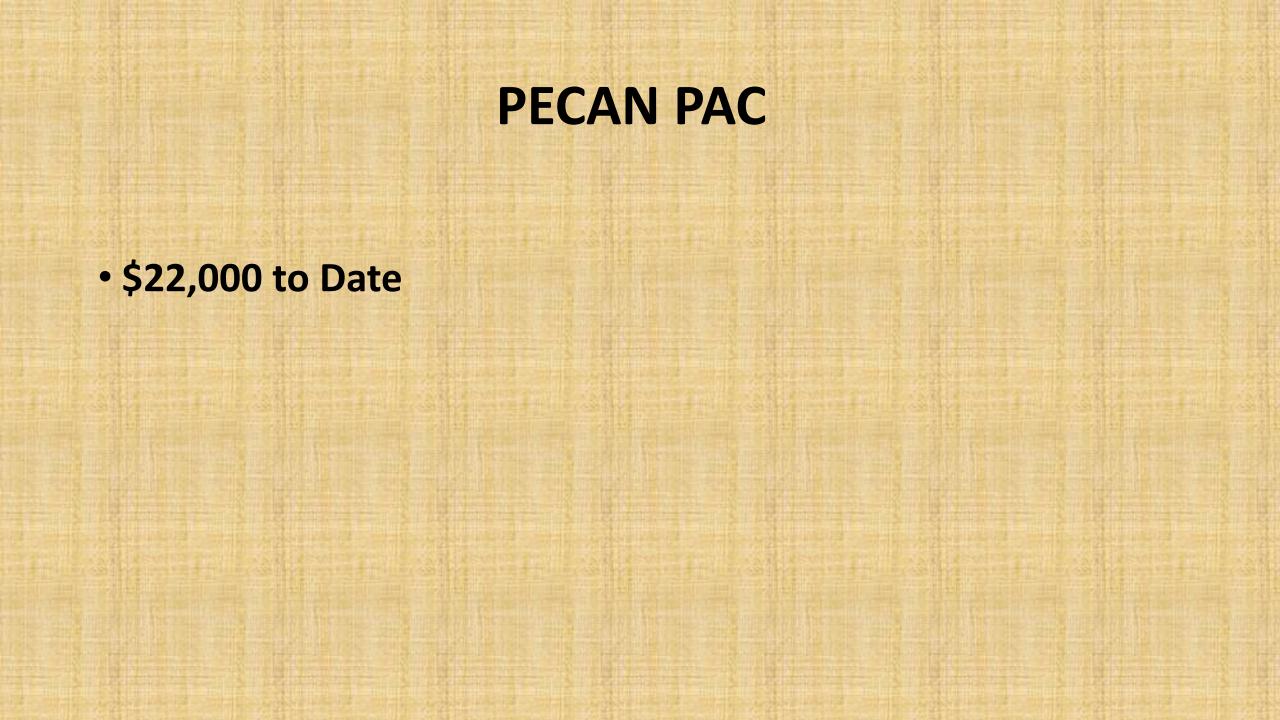


## TRADE

Trade Mitigation

China Update

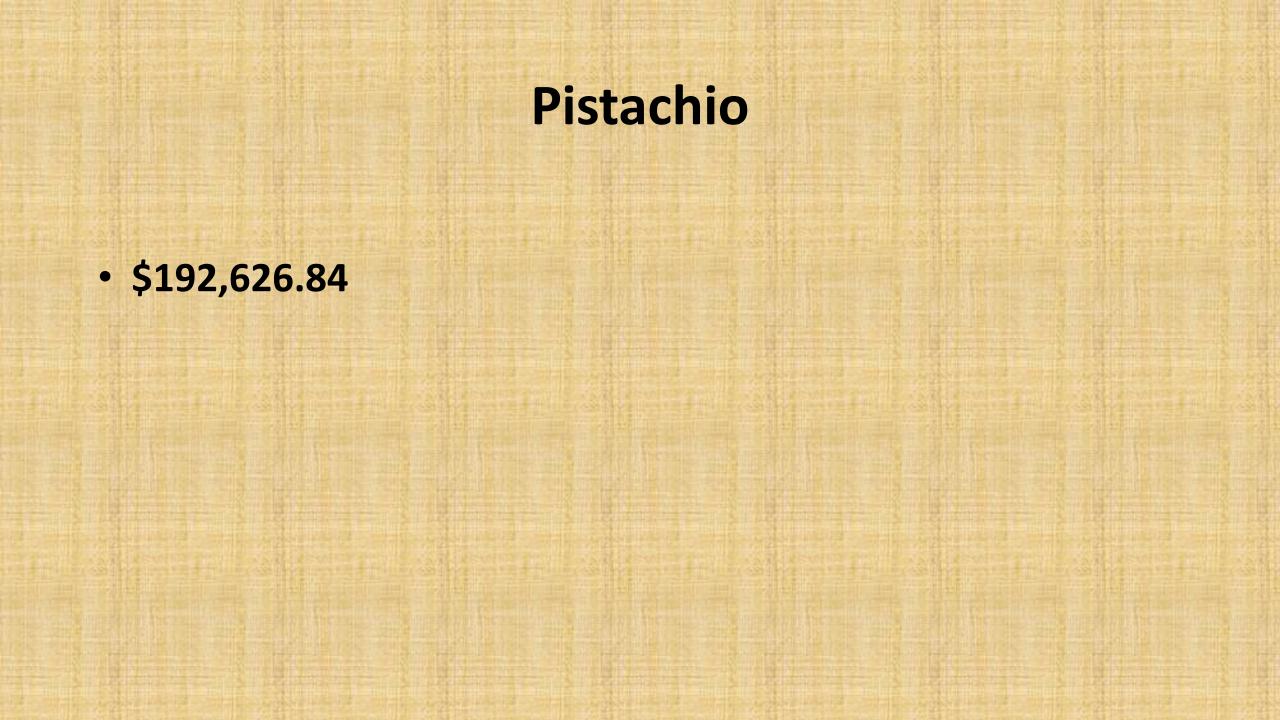
India Update



#### **Almond**

• Blue Diamond Growers PAC: \$174,000

California Almond Industry PAC: \$16,354



## Other AG PAC's

American Chrystal Sugar

>\$3,097,839

National Cotton Council

>\$925,652

# **THANK YOU!**

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