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This is a draft of the proposal related to nursery dealers, nursery growers, and Christmas tree growers, based on a DATCP draft dated 4/19/07.

It is unnecessary to define "person" because of the definition in s. 990.01 (26).

As in the DATCP draft, this draft provides that the amount of a nursery dealer's annual purchases is based on the amount spent for nursery stock acquired in this state or another state. I wonder whether nursery dealers ever acquire stock from other countries.

The DATCP draft indicated that a nursery grower's annual sales means the gross receipts from "the sale or distribution" of nursery stock. I omitted "distribution" because I did not see how distribution of stock without sale would generate receipts. Please let me know if I am missing something here. The same issue exists for Christmas tree growers.

Please contact me with any questions or redraft instructions.

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