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Agenda

- I. Introductions.
- II. Latest food processing industry employment data.
- III. Recent trends in California farm fruit and vegetable production.
- IV. Patterns of consumption. Per capita consumption data.
- V. Imports/exports by commodity.
- VI. Recent company announcements and developments.
- VII. Guest worker proposals in Congress and the food processing industry.
- VIII. Fresh processing industry.
- IX. What should we do next?