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I think the addition of low-acyl gellan gum is an acceptable addition to the National List of Allowed and Prohibited Substances. It would allow organic products to have access to an effective thickener in jelly and fruit pulp products. Because high acyl gellan gum is already allowed on the National List, and because the production of low acyl gellan gum requires minimal processing, it should be allowed on the National List. Finally, the AMS has approved its addition to the National List. In addition, I think that the correction of a spelling error in the national list is a common sense measure that should not be controversial and therefore should pass.