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TO: Handlers on the Upper Midwest Order

SUBJECT: Request to Reduce Shipping Requirements and Increase Diversion Limits

On February 27, 2019, we received a request from Central Milk Producers Cooperative (CMPC) on behalf of its members and from the Upper Midwest Marketing Agency (UMMA), on behalf of its members. They asked us to reduce shipping requirements in the Upper Midwest Order, F.O. 30, from 7.5% to 6.0%, pursuant to §1030.7(c), §1030.7(f) and §1030.7(g), beginning in April 2019. In addition, the request would increase the diversion limits from 92.5% to 94.0% pursuant to §1030.13(d)(2) and §1030.13(d)(3).

The members of UMMA are: Associated Milk Producers, Inc.; Bongards' Creameries; Dairy Farmers of America, Inc.; Ellsworth Cooperative Creamery; The First District Association; Foremost Farms USA, Cooperative; Land O'Lakes, Inc.; National Farmers Organization, Inc.; and Plainview Milk Products Cooperative.

The CMPC members are: Dairy Farmers of America, Inc.; FarmFirst Dairy Cooperative; Foremost Farms USA, Cooperative; Land O'Lakes, Inc.; National Farmers Organization, Inc.; and Scenic Central Milk Producers Cooperative Association.

A copy of the request can be found on our website at:

www.fmma30.com/ShippingRequirements.html.

These adjustments are being considered in accordance with §1030.7(g) of the Upper Midwest Order, which allows the Market Administrator to revise the shipping percentages and diversion limits. You are invited to submit data, views, and arguments concerning this matter. Comments must be received, in writing, by this office on or before March 18, 2019 to be considered.

If you have any questions about this, please contact this office.

/s/ Victor J. Halverson
Market Administrator