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## ANNOUNCEMENT OF CLASS PRICES AND RELATED DATA FOR APRIL 2018

|                              | Market Class I<br>Differential |                          |             |            |
|------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------|------------|
|                              | Rate                           | Skim Milk                | Butterfat   | 3.5% BF    |
|                              |                                | (Per cwt.)               | (Per Pound) | (Per cwt.) |
| Base Zone                    | \$ 1.80                        | \$ 7.62                  | \$ 2.4431   | \$15.90    |
| Other Zones                  | \$ 1.75                        | \$ 7.57                  | \$ 2.4426   | \$15.85    |
|                              | 1.70                           | 7.52                     | 2.4421      | 15.80      |
|                              | 1.65                           | 7.47                     | 2.4416      | 15.75      |
|                              | 1.60                           | 7.42                     | 2.4411      | 15.70      |
| Class II Prices              | Nonfat Solids                  | (Per pound)              |             | \$ 0.6011  |
|                              | Butterfat                      | (Per pound)              |             | 2.5183     |
|                              | Skim Milk                      | (Per cwt.)               |             | 5.41       |
|                              | 3.50% BF                       | (Per cwt.)               |             | 14.03      |
| Class III Prices             | Protein                        | (Per pound)              |             | \$ 1.7810  |
|                              | Other Solids                   | (Per pound)              |             | 0.0619     |
|                              | Butterfat                      | (Per pound)              |             | 2.5113     |
|                              | Skim Milk                      | (Per cwt.)               |             | 5.89       |
|                              | 3.50% BF                       | (Per cwt.)               |             | 14.47      |
| Class IV Prices              | Nonfat Solids                  | (Per pound)              |             | \$ 0.5401  |
|                              | Butterfat                      | (Per pound)              |             | 2.5113     |
|                              | Skim Milk                      | (Per cwt.)               |             | 4.86       |
|                              | 3.50% BF                       | (Per cwt.)               |             | 13.48      |
| Somatic Cell Adjustment Rate |                                | (Per cwt. per 1,000 SCC) |             | \$ 0.00079 |

## **Factors Used in Prices for April 2018**

| Advanced Class III Sk<br>Advanced Class IV Sk     |   |  | (Per cwt.)<br>(Per cwt.)                | \$ 5.82<br>4.71                         |
|---|---|--|---|---|
| Class I Skim Milk Price<br>Advanced Butterfat Pri |   |  | (Per cwt.)<br>(Per pound)               | \$ 5.82<br>2.4251                       |
|   |   |  | 2-Week Average                          | Monthly Average                         |
| AMS Survey Prices                                 | Butter<br>Cheese<br>Dry Whey<br>Nonfat Dry Milk       | (Per pound)<br>(Per pound)<br>(Per pound)<br>(Per pound) | \$ 2.1741<br>1.5468<br>0.2467<br>0.6964 | \$ 2.2452<br>1.5737<br>0.2592<br>0.7134 |
| Component Prices                                  | Butterfat<br>Protein<br>Other Solids<br>Nonfat Solids | (Per pound)<br>(Per pound)<br>(Per pound)<br>(Per pound) | \$ 2.4251<br>1.7851<br>0.0490<br>0.5233 | \$ 2.5113<br>1.7810<br>0.0619<br>0.5401 |

| ADVANCED CLASS PRICES AND RELATED DATA |
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|  | Market Class I<br>Differential<br>Rate |                          |                       |                       |
|  |  | Skim Milk<br>(Per cwt.)  | Butterfat (Per Pound) | 3.5% BF<br>(Per cwt.) |
|  |  |                          |                       |                       |
| Base Zone  | \$ 1.80                                | \$ 7.78                  | \$ 2.4957             | \$16.24               |
| Other Zones  | \$ 1.75                                | \$ 7.73                  | \$ 2.4952             | \$16.19               |
|  | 1.70                                   | 7.68                     | 2.4947                | 16.14                 |
|  | 1.65                                   | 7.63                     | 2.4942                | 16.09                 |
|  | 1.60                                   | 7.58                     | 2.4937                | 16.04                 |
| Class II Nonfat Solids Price   |  | (Per pound)              |                       | \$ 0.6056             |
| Class II Skim Milk Price   |  | (Per cwt.)               |                       | \$ 5.45               |
| Advanced Class III Skim Milk Price Advanced Class IV Skim Milk Price |  | (Per cwt.)<br>(Per cwt.) |                       | \$ 5.98<br>4.75       |
| Class I Skim Milk Price Mover  |  | (Per cwt.)               |                       | \$ 5.98               |
| Advanced Butterfat Price   |  | (Per pound)              |                       | 2.4777                |
| AMS Survey Pric  | ces Two-Week Ave                       | rage                     |                       |                       |
|  | Butter                                 | (Per                     | r pound)              | \$ 2.2175             |
|  | Cheese                                 |                          | r pound)              | 1.5730                |
|  | Dry Whey                               |                          | r pound)              | 0.2575                |
|  | Nonfat Dry Milk                        | (Per                     | r pound)              | 0.7004                |
| Advanced Comp  |  |                          |                       |                       |
|  | Butterfat                              |                          | r pound)              | \$ 2.4777             |
|  | Protein                                |                          | r pound)              | 1.8142                |
|  | Other Solids                           | (Per                     | r pound)              | 0.0602                |
|  | Nonfat Solids                          | ·-                       | r pound)              | 0.5273                |

## **Estimated Utilization of Producer Milk in Class I**

(Pursuant to § 1030.45(a))

April 2018 Class I Skim Milk 12% Class I Butterfat 5%

May 2, 2018

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