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Computation of Producer Price Differential

| | | Pounds | Price | Value |
|--|-------|---------------|---------------|------------------------|
| Add: Class I Differential | | | | \$394,522.38 |
| Class I Butterfat | 60(a) | 7,488,057 | \$ 3.1569 | \$23,639,047.16 |
| Class I Skim Per Cwt | | 308,415,920 | \$11.1400 | \$34,357,533.50 |
| Class II Butterfat | 60(b) | 7,048,374 | \$ 3.2455 | \$22,875,497.84 |
| Class II Nonfat Solids | | 3,939,610 | \$ 1.1233 | \$4,425,363.92 |
| Class III Butterfat | 60(c) | 31,004,443 | \$ 3.2385 | \$100,407,888.67 |
| Class III Protein | | 25,277,912 | \$ 1.1265 | \$28,475,567.88 |
| Class III Other Solids | | 42,884,090 | \$ 0.2881 | \$12,354,906.38 |
| Class IV Butterfat | 60(d) | 1,420,772 | \$ 3.2385 | \$4,601,170.13 |
| Class IV Nonfat Solids | | 685,690 | \$ 1.0083 | \$691,381.24 |
| Class II, III, & IV Somatic Cell Adjustment | 60(e) | | | \$1,037,275.89 |
| Total Producer Milk- Product Pounds and Value | | 1,113,358,576 | | \$233,260,154.99 |
| Add: Value as for 60(f) thru 60(j) | | | | \$24,974.72- |
| Less: Total Protein Pounds | 61(b) | 37,814,099 | \$ 1.1265 | \$42,597,582.54 |
| Total Other Solids Pounds | | 64,448,792 | \$ 0.2881 | \$18,567,697.00 |
| Total Butterfat Pounds | | 46,961,646 | \$ 3.2385 | \$152,085,290.61 |
| Total Value of Somatic Cell Adjustment | | | | \$1,384,860.30 |
| Total Milk and Value | | 1,113,358,576 | | \$18,599,749.82 |
| Add: Location Differential Adjustments | 61(c) | | | \$5,336,116.44 |
| Producer - Settlement Fund Reserve | 61(d) | | | \$443,112.04 |
| Total Producer Milk/URSP and Value | | 1,113,358,576 | \$ 2.18967 | \$24,378,978.30 |
| Less: Producer - Settlement Fund Reserve | 61(f) | | \$ 0.04967 | \$553,104.77 |
| Producer Price Differential (Dallas County) | | | \$2.14 | \$23,825,873.53 |

Estimated Market Wide Utilization in Class 2, 3, & 4
Skim Percentage 70.00 Butterfat Percentage 83.00

Cary Hunter
Market Administrator

Southwest Marketing Order Price Data

March 2024

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| Producer Price Differential | \$2.14 |
| Class III Price | \$16.34 |
| Statistical Uniform Price of Milk (3.5% Butterfat-Dallas) | \$18.48 |

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|----------------------------|---------|
| Average Somatic Cell Count | 194,000 |
| Total Number of Producers | 313 |

| Producer Milk Utilization Percentages | | | | | | |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|---------|------------|---------|---------------|---------|
| | Product | | Butterfat | | Skim Milk | |
| | Pounds | Percent | Pounds | Percent | Pounds | Percent |
| Class I | 315,903,977 | 28.37 | 7,488,057 | 15.95 | 308,415,920 | 28.92 |
| Class II | 48,344,821 | 4.34 | 7,048,374 | 15.01 | 41,296,447 | 3.87 |
| Class III | 740,548,904 | 66.52 | 31,004,443 | 66.01 | 709,544,461 | 66.54 |
| Class IV | 8,560,874 | .77 | 1,420,772 | 3.03 | 7,140,102 | .67 |
| Total | 1,113,358,576 | 100.00 | 46,961,646 | 100.00 | 1,066,396,930 | 100.00 |

| Producer Milk Components | | | | |
|--------------------------|------------|------------|--------------|---------------|
| | Butterfat | Protein | Other Solids | Nonfat Solids |
| Total Pounds | 46,961,646 | 37,814,099 | 64,448,792 | 102,262,891 |
| Average Test | 4.218% | 3.396% | 5.788% | 9.185% |

List of Handlers on Southwest Federal Order No. 126

Distributing Plants - Sec 1126.7 (a) or (b) or (c)

| Plant Name | Location |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|
| Creamland Dairy | Albuquerque, NM |
| Gandy's | Lubbock, TX |
| GH Dairy | El Paso, TX |
| H. E. Butt - H. R. S. C. | Houston, TX |
| H. E. Butt Grocery Co. | San Antonio, TX |
| Hiland Dairy Foods Co., LLC | Conroe, TX |
| Hiland Dairy Foods Co., LLC | Dallas, TX |
| Hiland Dairy Foods Co., LLC | Tyler, TX |
| Oak Farms | Dallas, TX |
| Oak Farms | Houston, TX |
| Oak Farms | San Antonio, TX |
| Plains Dairy Products | Amarillo, TX |
| Prices | El Paso, TX |
| Vandervoort's | Ft. Worth, TX |
| Volleman Dairy Processing, LLC | Gustine, TX |
| WhiteWave Foods | b/ Dallas, TX |
| 1836 Farms | Terrell, TX |

Supply Plants - Sec 1126.7(c) & (d)

| Plant Name | Location |
|--------------------------------|-------------|
| GSA-Southwest Cheese | Clovis, NM |
| Lone Star Milk Producers, L.C. | Dalhart, TX |

Coops As Handlers - Sec 1000.9 (c)

| Plant Name | Location |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|
| Dairy Farmers of America, Inc. | Kansas City, KS |
| Lone Star Milk Producers, Inc. | Wichita Falls, TX |
| Organic Family Farms | Santa Fe, NM |
| Select Milk Producers, Inc. | Artesia, NM |
| Southeast Milk Inc. | Bellevue, FL |
| Western Organic Family Farms | Ferndale, CA |