Proposed Order Language

This proposal would temporarily adjust the Class I pricing surface in certain counties within the geographical marketing area of the Mideast milk marketing order. Specifically, this proposal on a temporary basis would modify section 1033.51 of the Mideast Order by including a new provision, a “Class I price Adjustment,” which would be added to the Class I price “mover” and to the section 1000.52 Class I differential, to obtain the minimum Order Class I price. The proposed changes to the Class I prices for affected plant locations in the Mideast milk marketing area would range from an increase of $0.15 per cwt. to an increase of $0.40 per cwt.

The language to effectuate our request is as follows:

1. Amend § 1000.50 by revising paragraphs (b) and (c), to read as follows:

§ 1000.50 Class prices, component prices and advanced pricing factors.
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(b) Class I skim milk price. The Class I skim milk price per hundredweight shall be the adjusted Class I differential specified in § 1000.52 plus the adjustment to Class I prices specified in § 1005.51(b), § 1006.51(b), § 1007.51(b) and § 1033.51 (b) plus the higher of the advanced pricing factors computed in paragraphs (q)(1) or (2) of this section.

(c) Class I butterfat price. The Class I butterfat price per pound shall be the adjusted Class I differential specified in § 1000.52 divided by 100, plus the adjustments to Class I prices specified in § 1005.51(b), § 1006.51(b), § 1007.51(b) and § 1033.51 (b) divided by 100, plus the advanced butterfat price computed in paragraph (q) (3) of this section.
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2. Amend section 1033.51 by renaming the section, designating the first subsection as (a), amending the language, and adding a new subsection (b) to read as follows:

Section 1033.51 Class I differential, adjustments to Class I prices and Class I price.

(a) The Class I differential shall be the differential established for Cuyahoga County, Ohio, which is reported in section 1000.52. The Class I price shall be the price computed pursuant to section 1033.50 (a) for Cuyahoga County Ohio.

(b) Adjustments to Class I prices. Class I prices shall be established pursuant to section 1033.50 (a), (b), and (c) using the following adjustments:

Attachment 11 as Revised July 18, 2008