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TO: Regulated Handlers, Appalachian Marketing Area

FROM: Market Administrator, Louisville, KY

SUBJECT: Transportation Credit Fund Assessment and Administrative Fund Assessment

Effective July 1, 2018, the Transportation Credit Balancing Fund assessment rate for the Appalachian Marketing Area will be decreased \$0.05 per hundredweight on all producer milk assigned to Class 1. This decreases the assessment rate from \$0.15 per hundredweight to \$0.10 per hundredweight and will be reflected on the Announcement of Advanced Class Prices released on June 20, 2018.

Effective July 1, 2018, the administrative assessment rate for Appalachian Marketing Area will be increased \$0.02 per hundredweight on all producer milk. This raises the assessment rate from \$0.05 per hundredweight to \$0.07 per hundredweight.