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To: All Handlers, Federal Orders 124, 131 and 135

From: Market Administrator, Bothell, Washington

Subject: Resumption of Administrative Assessment

This is to advise you that the administrative assessment that was waived for milk pooled in the Pacific Northwest, Arizona-Las Vegas and Western federal milk orders for the months of January, February, March and April 2003 will be resumed beginning with the milk pooled for the month of May 2003.

The previous rate of 2.5 cents per hundredweight will remain the same.

/s/ James R. Daugherty