

October 26, 2023

Via electronic mail to: Dana.coale@usda.gov

Ms. Dana Coale, Deputy Administrator
Agricultural Marketing Service
United States Department of Agriculture
USDA-AMS-1400 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, D.C. 20250-0225

Re: Request for a hearing to amend Federal Milk Marketing Orders 5, 6, and 7

Dear Ms. Coale,

This letter confirms the support of Maryland and Virginia Milk Producers Cooperative Association, Inc. for a hearing to amend the southeastern US federal milk orders as requested by DCMA in the request letter from Attorney Marvin Beshore. This further confirms our support for the five proposals submitted with the hearing request. We respectfully request that a hearing be held on an emergency basis to expedite the relief requested to our orders.

Thank you.

MARYLAND & VIRGINIA MILK PRODUCERS



Jay Bryant, CEO