

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE

IN RE:)
)
MILK IN THE PACIFIC)
NORTHWEST MARKETING AREA;)
PROPOSED FINDINGS,)
CONCLUSIONS AND BRIEF)

Docket No.
AO-368-A24;
DA-01-06

**POST HEARING BRIEF
ON BEHALF OF
DAIRY FARMERS OF AMERICA, INC. (DFA)**

Dairy Farmers of America, Inc. (DFA) is a Capper-Volstead cooperative association of 16,905 dairy farms producing milk in 46 states including the states of Washington, Oregon, and Idaho. DFA regularly markets milk in the Pacific Northwest Marketing area. DFA supports the proposals presented by the Northwest Milk Marketing Federation as published in the Notice of Hearing.

Should the Secretary determine that the hearing should be reopened to consider proposals to amend the Order with respect specifically to pooling of California milk, which reopening DFA does not request, DFA does request that the Secretary hear its proposals on the subject of the pooling of distant milk as preliminarily advanced at this hearing and as set forth more fully thereafter in correspondence to the Deputy Administrator of Dairy Programs.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

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