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Agriculture Building, Room 110
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Re: December 3, 2025 Over-Order Premium Hearing

Chairman Barley and Members of the Board:

Dairy Farmers of America, Inc. ("DFA") supports the request to continue the over-order premium at \$1.00 per hundredweight along with the fuel adjuster premium for six months starting January 1, 2026. DFA does not object to the testimony presented in the Hearing Petition but reserves the right to provide surrebuttal testimony and exhibits in response to any rebuttal testimony or exhibits presented, as well as the right to cross examine witnesses at the hearing. DFA further reserves the right to petition for another hearing in the event that changed circumstances justify such a petition.

DFA reaffirms its support for reform to the current system of collecting and distributing the over-order premium in Pennsylvania in a manner that (1) permits the collection of the premium on Class I products at the point of retail sale, and (2) ensures those premiums are distributed to all Pennsylvania dairy farmers in a fair and equitable manner.

Respectfully submitted,

s/ Lucy S. Clippinger

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cc: Elizabeth Albright, *Secretary, Pennsylvania Milk Board*
Drew Frommelt, *Dairy Farmers of America*
Interested Parties