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**ANNOUNCEMENT OF CLASS I PRICE - MAY 2005**

(per hundredweight of milk at 3.5 % butterfat test)

<b>Class I</b>	<b>\$ 16.75 *</b>
<b>Processor Assessment **</b>	<b>0.20</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 16.95</b>

\*\* The processor assessment is an obligation under the Fluid Milk Promotion Order (7 CFR 1160.101 et seq.). The Order requires that all persons who process and market more than 3,000,000 pounds of fluid milk products in consumer-type packages in the contiguous 48 States of the continental United States and the District of Columbia be assessed 20 cents per hundredweight on all marketings of such packaged fluid milk products during the month.

**ANNOUNCEMENT OF ADVANCE COMPONENT PRICES - MAY 2005**

<b>Advance Pricing Factors</b>	<b><u>Butterfat</u></b>	<b><u>Class III Skim</u></b>	<b><u>Class IV Skim</u></b>	<b><u>Class I Skim Base</u></b>
	<b>\$ 1.7382</b>	<b>\$ 8.67</b>	<b>\$ 6.87</b>	<b>\$ 8.67</b>

<b>Class I Butterfat</b>	\$ 1.7382		+ .023	<b>\$ 1.7612 *</b>
<b>Class I Skim (per cwt.)</b>			+ 2.30	<b>10.97 *</b>
Class III protein	2.5548			
Class III other solids	0.1267			
multiplier	3.10	5.90		
	7.9199	0.7475		\$ 8.67
Class IV nonfat solids	0.7636			
multiplier	9.0			
	6.8724			\$ 6.87

\* Monroe County, New York

<b>Class II Skim (per cwt.)</b>	\$ 6.87		+ .70	<b>\$ 7.57</b>
<b>Class II Nonfat Solids</b>				<b>0.8411</b>

<b><u>Class I Prices at Selected locations</u></b>	<b><u>Differential</u></b>	<b><u>Skim</u></b>	<b><u>Class I Butterfat</u></b>	<b><u>3.5% BF</u></b>
		(per cwt)	(per pound)	(per cwt)
<b>Erie and Niagara County, NY</b>	2.20	10.87	1.7602	16.65
<b>Livingston and Steuben County, NY</b>	2.30	10.97	1.7612	16.75

Class I Prices shown do not include required processor assessment of .20/cwt or .002/lb.

**NASS SURVEY PRICES PER POUND - LATEST TWO WEEKS OF APRIL 2005**

Cheddar Cheese (weighted average 40# block and 500# barrel-39% moisture)	\$ 1.5637
Grade AA Butter	1.5393
Nonfat Dry Milk	0.9159
Dry Whey	0.2596

April 22, 2005