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DETERMINATION Re Docket No. AO-368-A32, AO-271-A37; DA-03-04 MAILING OF NOTICE OF RECONVENED HEARING

Pursuant to the authority delegated to me by the Deputy Administrator, Dairy Programs, I hereby determine that the requirements of the General Regulations in Section 900.4(b)(1)(ii), (7 CFR Part 900) were complied with and that a true copy of the notice of hearing with respect to this proceeding relating to proposed amendments to the marketing agreement(s) and to the order(s) regulating the handling of milk in the marketing area(s) specified below, was mailed to each of the persons known to be interested therein:

Part No.	Name of Marketing Area
1124	Pacific Northwest
1131	Arizona-Las Vegas

Date: December 29, 2003

Market Administrator