

United States Department of Agriculture

AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE DAIRY PROGRAMS

> **MIDEAST MARKETING AREA** Federal Order No. 33

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The Administrative Assessment applicable under §1033.85 has been waived for the month of December 2016. The pool settlement statements sent to Federal Order 33 handlers in January 2017 will not contain an Administrative Assessment obligation. The Administrative Assessment, at a rate of three cents per hundredweight, will resume with January 2017 milk marketings and will be reflected on pool obligation statements received in February 2017.

The Market Service Assessment, which is deducted from non-member producers, is not waived and will continue at a rate of five cents per hundredweight.

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