



**Quota Implementation Plan  
Market Milk Producer Referendum  
Certification Results – January 5, 2018  
Voting Period: October 6, 2017 – December 22, 2017**

**Participation:**

Number of valid ballots received:	<b>703</b>
Total number of producers on the list:	<b>1059</b>
Percentage of producers on the list who submitted a valid ballot:	<b>66.38%</b>
Total August 2017 volume (in product pounds) represented by those submitting valid ballots:	<b>2,494,067,506</b>

*The following figures are of those submitting valid ballots:*

**In Favor of the Quota Implementation Plan:**

Number of producers who voted in favor:	<b>613</b>
Percentage of producers who voted in favor:	<b>87.20%</b>
August 2017 product pounds represented by producers voting in favor:	<b>2,260,765,016</b>
Percentage of total product pounds represented by producers voting in favor:	<b>90.65%</b>

**In Opposition of the Quota Implementation Plan:**

Number of producers who voted in opposition:	<b>90</b>
Percentage of producers who voted in opposition:	<b>12.80%</b>
August 2017 product pounds represented by those voting in opposition:	<b>233,302,490</b>
Percentage of total product pounds represented by producers voting in opposition:	<b>9.35%</b>

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