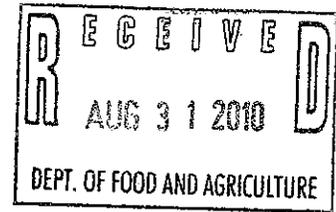
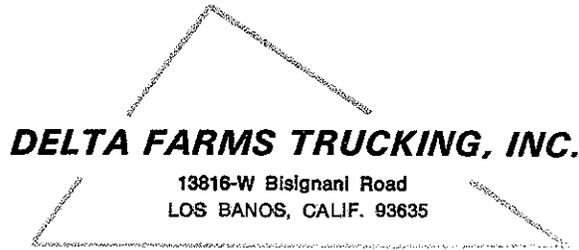


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**From the Desk of:
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A.G. Kawamura
Secretary
California Department of Food and Agriculture
1220 N Street, Suite 409
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RE: SUPPORT FOR \$14.50 PER CWT DAIRY PRICE FLOOR

Dear Secretary Kawamura:

On behalf of the producer members of the California Dairy Campaign (CDC) and the California Farms Union, I urge the CDFA to floor the all milk price at \$14.50 per hundredweight.

Mr. Secretary, you and I have discussed the continued struggle the dairy producers of California have endured since the collapse of prices. The dairymen have sustained huge losses and credit availability continues to be very limited. The trickle down effect is proving to be equally devastating to related businesses of the industry. The need for establishing a \$14.50 per cwt price floor is paramount in order to sustain dairy operations statewide.

I urge CDFA to establish a floor price of \$14.50 per cwt to provide some stability for producers, prevent another crisis and sustain California dairy producers in the future. I look forward to continuing to work with you and your staff on this very important issue affecting dairy producers throughout the state.

Sincerely,

Aldo J. Sansoni
President, Delta Farms Trucking, Inc.

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