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BUY AMERICAN PROVISION & STATEMENT

Schools participating in the federal school meal programs are required to purchase domestic commodities and products for school meals to the maximum extent practicable. Domestic commodity or product means an agricultural commodity that is produced in the US and a food product that is processed in the US substantially (at least 51 percent) using agricultural commodities that are produced in the US.

Federal regulations require that all foods purchased for Child Nutrition Program be of domestic origin to the maximum extent practicable. While rare, two (2) exceptions may exist when the product is not produced or manufactured in the US in sufficient, reasonable and available quantities of a satisfactory quality, such as bananas and pineapple or competitive proposals reveal the cost of a domestic product is significantly higher than a non-domestic product.

In compliance with Sections 4300 to 4305 of the California Government Code and the William F Gooding Child Nutrition Reauthorization Act of 1998, Section 204(d); 7 CFR Sections 210.21(d) and 220.16(d), only materials produced or manufactured in the United States will be procured by the District, except for those which fall within the purview of Sections 4301, 4302 and 4303.5.

Driftwood Dairy affirms its' willingness to assert best and reasonable efforts to ensure compliance with this federal rule.

*All of Driftwood Dairy's milk is produced and manufactured in the USA. All raw milk is sourced from within 200 miles of Driftwood Dairy.

*Driftwood Dairy's apple juice-based products (Apple Juice, Wildberry Juice and 100% Fruit Punch) are manufactured in the USA. Per USDA Policy Memo SP-38-2017, with the cost of a U.S. produced apple juice concentrate being over 25% higher than that of non-domestic concentrate, per industry standard Driftwood Dairy may and does use apple juice concentrate from non-domestic producers.

*All Driftwood's juice product sold to schools and school suppliers is 100% fruit juice.

Sincerely,

Greg Tortell, SSM
Driftwood Dairy, Inc.