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For: State and County Offices

Dairy Margin Coverage (DMC) Automated Process for Transfers and Production History Modifications

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1 Overview

A Background

The DMC software has been upgraded to include the following functionality for production history modifications:

- transfers within a county
- disapprove production history migrated to DMC from MPP
- automated CCC-800X and CCC-800T.

B Purpose

This notice provides State and County Offices with guidance for the automated transfer process as well as production history disapproval instructions.

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2 Production History Search Results Screen

A Introduction

The process to transfer dairy operations to a new location within the same county has been simplified under DMC because the farm and tract numbers are no longer on CCC-801.

Policy requires the dairy operation to be associated with the farm/tract where the dairy facility is located. Follow 11-CM for additional information on updating farm records.

To initiate a transfer in the DMC software, select "Production History" from the top navigation menu. The Production History Search Results Screen will be displayed.

Note: The ability to transfer dairy operations from one county to another county or to another State was not included in this software release. More information will be forthcoming on this functionality.

B Example of Production History Search Results Screen

The following is an example of the Production History Search Results Screen.

Coverage Year	iction History S	state: Virginia (5)			: Orange (137)	
Select	Dairy Operation	Dairy Operation Number	Farm Number	Tract Number	Production (lbs)	Status
0	DMC Dairy 123, LLC	123701158	822	1392	13,042,890	Approved
0	Doe, John	123701162	1191	1042	34,716,970	Approved
0	Farmer, Ima	123701161	345	432	45,223,680	Approved
0	DMC Dairy 456, INC	123701160	1177	3118	54,741,890	Approved
0	DMC Dairy 789 Partnership	123701159	132	277	11,398,500	Approved

2 Production History Search Results Screen (Continued)

C Options

The following options are available on the Production History Search Results Screen.

Option	Description
Record Signatures	Allows user to enter the date the dairy operation filed CCC-800
	and enter the COC determination.
Transfer	Begins the transfer process for the selected dairy operation.
View Forms	Allows user to view and print either CCC-800T or CCC-800X.

3 Production History Transfer Screen

A Introduction

The Production History Transfer Screen lists all farm and tracts that the dairy operation is associated with in Farm Records.

Note: The farm and tract that is currently associated with the dairy operation will not be listed.

B Example of Production History Transfer Screen

The following is an example of the Production History Transfer Screen.

rogram Year: 2019 State: Virginia County: Orange					ty: Orange	
Dairy Operation: DMC Dairy 123 LLC Dairy Number: 123701158 Farm: 822 Tract: 1392 Status: Established Production History: 13,042,890					s: Approved	
Production History Transfer						
the transfer	due to only a farm ar	nd/or tract reconstitution?	🔵 Yes 🔘 No			
the transfer	due to only a farm ar	nd/or tract reconstitution? (🔾 Yes 🔘 No			
the transfer Select	due to only a farm ar State	County	Yes No	Tract	Operator	
	-			Tract 1392	Operator DMC Dairy 123 LLC	
	State	County	Farm			

3 Production History Transfer Screen (Continued)

C Field Description and Action

The following table provides the field description and actions for the Production History Transfer Screen.

Field	Description	Action
"Is the transfer	Transfers that are completed solely	Select "Yes" or "No" to
due to only a	because of a reconstitution do not	whether the transfer is due
farm and/or tract	require a producer signature on	to a reconstitution.
reconstitution?"	CCC-800T. However, a COC	
	determination is still required.	

D Actions for the Production History Transfer Screen

The following table provides the actions for the Production History Transfer Screen.

Step	Action
1	Select "Yes" or "No" to whether the transfer is due to a reconstitution.
2	Select the applicable farm and tract that the dairy operation is being transferred
	to.
3	CLICK "Continue" to proceed with the transfer.

E Production History Transfer Screen Confirmation

The following is an example of the Production History Transfer Screen that will be displayed with:

- farm and tract that the dairy operation is currently associated with
- farm and tract the user selected to transfer the dairy operation to.

Program Year: 2019	am Year: 2019 State: Virginia		County: Orange		
Product Transfer Fr	ion History T	ransfer			
State	County	Dairy Operation	Farm	Tract	
Virginia	Orange	DMC Dairy 123 LLC	345	432	
Transfer To	»:				
	County	Dairy Operation	Farm	Trac	
State		DMC Dairy 123 LLC	1214	314	

3 Production History Transfer Screen (Continued)

F Options

The following options are available on the Production History Transfer Screen.

Option	Action
Confirm	Confirms that the correct farm and tract was selected and being displayed for
	the transfer.
Back	Allows user to return to the previous screen to select a different farm and
	tract.
Cancel	Returns user to the Production History Results Screen and does not save any
	transfer information.

4 Pending Transfer Screen

A Introduction

Once the transfer has been initiated, the user will select "Pending Transfers" from the "Maintenance" option located on the top navigation menu.

B Example of Production History Search Screen with Maintenance Selected

The following is an example of the Production History Search Screen with the "Maintenance" option selected.

Produc	tion History	ling Transfers rove Contracts ew Required	S	County	: Orange (137)	
Select	Dairy Operation	Dairy Operation Number	Farm Number	Tract Number	Production (lbs)	Status
0	DMC Dairy 123, LLC	123701158	822	1392	13,042,890	Approved
0	Doe, John	123701162	1191	1042	34,716,970	Approved
0	Farmer, Ima	123701161	345	432	45,223,680	Approved
0	DMC Dairy 456, INC	123701160	1177	3118	54,741,890	Approved
0	DMC Dairy 789 Partnership	123701159	132	277	11,398,500	Approved

5 Pending Transfer Search Screen

A Introduction

Once the user selects "Pending Transfers", the Pending Transfer Search Screen will be displayed. The user will search for the State and county that the dairy operation is being transferred to.

B Example of Pending Transfer Search Screen

The following is an example of the Pending Transfer Search Screen.

Home	Admin	Production History	Contracts	Collections	Maintenance	~		
Pei	ndin	g Transfe	r Sear	ch				
Sele	ect the	e Dairy Opera	ntion's S	tate, Co	unty and	l Progra	am Yeai	:
State:								
Virgin	ia		~					
County	:							
Culpe	per		~					
Progra	m Year:							
Select	t Program `	Year	~					
Cont	tinue	Cancel						

C Field Descriptions and Actions

The following table provides the field descriptions and actions for the Pending Transfer Search Screen.

Field	Description	Action
State	The State the dairy operation is	Using the dropdown box provided,
	being transferred to or within.	select the applicable State.
County	The county the dairy operation is	Using the dropdown box provided,
	being transferred to or within.	select the applicable county.
Program Year	The coverage year related to the	Using the dropdown box provided,
	effective date of the transfer.	select the applicable coverage year.

5 Pending Transfer Search Screen (Continued)

D Options

The following options are available on the Pending Transfer Search Screen.

Option	Action
Continue	Proceeds to the Review Transfer Screen.
Cancel	Returns user to the Production History Results Screen.

6 Review Transfer Screen

A Introduction

The Review Transfer Screen will be displayed with all pending transfers for the selected State, county, and coverage year. The user must carefully review the records and either accept or reject the applicable transfer to continue.

B Example of Review Transfer Search Screen

The following is an example of the Review Transfer Search Screen.

Program Year:	2019	State: Virginia		County: Orange		
Revie	w Transfer					
Select	Dairy Operation	Production	State	County	Farm	Tract
0	DMC Dairy 123 LLC	45,223,680	Virginia Virginia	Orange Orange	345 1214	432 3147

6 Review Transfer Screen (Continued)

C Options

The following options are available on the Review Transfer Search Screen.

Option	Action	
Accept	Accepts the transfer and continues to the Transfer Determination Screen.	
	Warning : It is critical that users ensure all information is correct before clicking "Accept". There is no way to cancel a transfer once it has been accepted.	
Reject	Deletes the transfer and returns the original production history record back to the original status.	
View CCC-800T	The CCC-800T will be displayed and available to be printed.	
Cancel	Returns the user to the DMC Home Screen. This does not cancel the transfer.	

7 Transfer Determination Screen

A Introduction

The Transfer Determination Screen is where the user will enter the effective date, producer signature date, if applicable, and the COC determination and determination date.

B Example of the Transfer Determination Screen

The following is an example of the Transfer Determination Screen.

Home Admin Production History Contracts	Collections Maintenance \vee				
Program Year: 2019	State: Virginia	County: Culpeper			
Dairy Operation: DMC Dairy 123 LLC Farm: 822 Established Production History: 13,042,890	Dairy Number: Tract: 1392 Transferred To	Status: Initiated			
Transfer Determinatio	n				
Effective Date: Require					
Producer Signature					
Is more than one signature required for the Dairy Opera	tion?				
🔾 Yes 🔵 No					
Date Filed:					
COC Determination	COC Determination				
O Approve O Disapprove					
COC Determination Date: Require					
Save And Continue Back Cancel V	iew CCC-800T				

7 Transfer Determination Screen (Continued)

C Field Descriptions and Actions

The following table provides the field descriptions and actions for the Transfer Determination Screen.

Field	Description	Action
Field Effective Date	DescriptionFor a relocation of the dairy operation to anew facility, the effective date is the day thedairy operation started commerciallyproducing milk at the new location.If the transfer is due to a reconstitution, theeffective date is the COC approval date of thereconstitution.The effective date cannot be earlier thanSeptember 1 of the previous year.See Notice DMC-7 for additional	Action Use the calendar icon to select the applicable effective date or enter the applicable date.
"Is more than one signature required for the Dairy Operation?"	information. Allows the user to indicate if more than 1 signature is required to act on behalf of the dairy operation.	 Select one of the following: Yes - more than one signature is needed for the dairy operation No - only one signature is needed for the dairy operation.
Number of Signatures Required	 This box will only be displayed if the user selects "Yes", more than one signature is required for the dairy operation. Note: Currently the form will not print the specified number of signature lines. If additional signature lines are needed, print multiple copies of CCC-800T for signature and staple them together. 	Enter the applicable number of signatures needed on CCC-800T.

7 Transfer Determination Screen (Continued)

C Field Descriptions and Actions (Continued)

Field		Description	0 n	Action
Date Filed	the date that the	County Office	and dated the form or e received CCC-800T. astitution, this field is	Use the calendar icon to select or enter the applicable date CCC-800T was filed.
COC	IF the COC			Select one of the
Determination	determination	FOR		following:
	selected is approved	the original production history record new production history record	 THEN status will remain as "Approved" secondary status will be "Transferred From". the status is updated to "Approved" secondary status will be "Transferred To". 	"Approve""Disapprove".
	disapproved	original production history record new production history record	status remains "Approved". status is updated to "Disapproved".	

7 Transfer Determination Screen (Continued)

D Options

The following options are available on the Transfer Determination Screen.

Option	Action
Save and	Completes the determination process and routes the user back to the
Continue	Production History Search Results Screen.
Back	Returns the user to the Review Transfer Screen
Cancel	Returns the user to the Production History Search Results Screen.
View	The CCC-800T will be displayed and available to printed.
CCC-800T	

8 Removing Inactive or Erroneous Production History Records that Migrated to DMC from MPP

A Introduction

To establish production history for DMC, all approved MPP production history records with an "approved" status were migrated to DMC. In some cases that production history does not meet the requirements for participation in DMC.

An option is being provided to "remove" any production history record that is not valid for DMC purposes. Using this option will also ensure the production history record will not roll forward or be available for selection in coverage year 2020.

Production history records will only be "removed" if one of the following conditions applies:

- production history was established solely for MFP purposes
- dairy operation dissolved prior to January 1, 2019
- production history record was recorded erroneously in the MPP software.

To remove production history records, users will access the DMC software and select "Production History" from the top navigation menu. The Production History Search Results Screen will be displayed.

8 Removing Inactive or Erroneous Production History Records that Migrated to DMC from MPP (Continued)

B Example of Production History Search Results Screen

The following is an example of the Production History Search Results Screen.

Coverage Year: Produ	ction History Se	state: Georgia (13	5	County	: Appling (001)	
Select	Dairy Operation	Dairy Operation Number	Farm Number	Tract Number	Production (lbs)	Status
0	DMC Dairy 321 LLC	1802	2144	1009	441,000	Approved
0	Doe, John	123728953	2144	1009	250,000	Approved
0	Farmer, Ima	1801	2144	1009	265,000	Approved
0	DMC Dairy 654 INC	123684369	4338	24150	50,000	Approved
0	DMC Dairy 987 Partnership	123684368	3607	958	19,480,350	Approved

C Options

The following options are available on the Production History Search Results Screen.

Option	Description
Record Signatures Allows user to enter the date the dairy operation filed CC	
	and enter the COC determination.
Transfer	Begins the transfer process for the selected dairy operation
View Forms	Allows user to view and print either CCC-800T or CCC-800X.

8 Removing Inactive or Erroneous Production History Records that Migrated to DMC from MPP (Continued)

D Production History COC Determination Screen

The following is an example of the Production History COC Determination Screen.

Program Year: 2019	State: Alabama	County: Autauga
Dairy Operation: Doe, John	Dairy Number: 29250	
Farm: 3045	Tract: 1419	Status: Approved
Established Production History: 28,000,0	000	
Producer Signature		
Is more than one signature required for t	he Dairy	
Operation?		
🔘 Yes		
No No		
Date Filed:		
Date Filed: 12/15/2017		
12/15/2017		
12/15/2017		
12/15/2017 COC Determination		
12/15/2017 COC Determination Approve Disapprove		
12/15/2017 COC Determination Approve Disapprove COC Determination Date	Required	
12/15/2017 COC Determination		

E Action

The following table provides the steps to take COC action on a production history record.

Step	Action	
1	From the Production History Search Results Screen, select the applicable	
	production history record being "removed" from DMC.	
2	Once the production history record has been selected, CLICK "Record	
	Signatures".	
3	The COC Determination Screen will be displayed.	
4	Select "No" to the statement: "Is more than one signature required for the Dairy	
	Operation?"	
	Note: This process is due to MPP cleanup efforts, therefore, a producer	
	signature is not required.	

8 Removing Inactive or Erroneous Production History Records that Migrated to DMC from MPP (Continued)

E Action (Continued)

Step	Action
5	The "Date Filed" field is prepopulated with the original date filed and should
	not be changed.
6	To "remove" the production history record, select "disapprove" for the "COC
	Determination".
7	Update the "COC Determination Date" field with the date COC determines the
	production history is not applicable to DMC by disapproving the CCC-800.
	Note: The "COC Determination Date" field has been prepopulated with the original date the production history was approved by COC.
8	CLICK "Save And Continue" to save the COC determination and return to the
	Production History Search Results Screen.

F Options

The following provides information about the options on the Production History Search Results Screen.

Option	Description	
Save	Saves the information on the page.	
Save and Continue	Saves and submits the information on the page and returns the	
	user back to the Production History Search Results Screen.	
Cancel	Cancels out of the determination screen and returns the user to the Production History Search Results Screen.	