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MINIDOKA COUNTY SD 331 310 10th St Rupert ID 83350

Dear Kenneth Cox and Russell Taylor,

Thank you for choosing to participate in the USDA Food Distribution (Commodity) Program to help support the School Meals Program at your district.

The Idaho State Department of Education (ISDE)/Child Nutrition Programs (CNP) does not own a warehouse or distribution facility and contracts these services through a local company. In order to help cover some of these costs, it became necessary to charge Idaho Recipient Agencies (RA) two different amounts for per case delivery fees on USDA Foods.

In an effort to minimize the financial burden associated with these fees, ISDE/CNP responded to USDA Memo: *SP18-2017*, *CACFP07-2017*, by submitting a request for reallocation of SAE funds.

ISDE/CNP is pleased to announce that our request for funding was awarded. As a result, MINIDOKA COUNTY SD 331 Child Nutrition Food Services department is **eligible** to receive a rebate of \$838.25. This rebate reflects a .25-cent per case delivery fee for all cases of further processed USDA Food items and a .40-cent per case delivery fee for all cases of direct-shipped USDA Food items ordered and delivered 10/01/2016 through 6/20/2017. This award is **contingent upon the availability of USDA funds and can be subject to change without notice. Once the funding is finalized, the SDE will begin distributions the first week in November.**

Please be aware that the rebate amount must be transferred into the Child Nutrition (Fund 290) account upon receipt.

If there are any questions about this communication, please feel free to contact me directly.

Sincerely,

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