

may be made for contamination resulting from such residues of chemicals or toxic substances if the Secretary determines within thirty days after the date of application for payment that other legal recourse is available to the farmer. Any indemnity payment to any farmer shall continue until he has been reinstated and is again allowed to dispose of his milk on commercial markets.

(Pub. L. 90-484, §1, Aug. 13, 1968, 82 Stat. 750; Pub. L. 91-524, title II, §204(b), Nov. 30, 1970, 84 Stat. 1362; Pub. L. 93-86, §1(5)(B), Aug. 10, 1973, 87 Stat. 223; Pub. L. 95-113, title II, §205(1), Sept. 29, 1977, 91 Stat. 920.)

Editorial Notes

CODIFICATION

Section was formerly classified to section 450j of this title prior to editorial reclassification and renumbering as this section.

Section was enacted as part of Pub. L. 90-484, and not as part of the Dairy Production Stabilization Act of 1983 which comprises this chapter.

PRIOR PROVISIONS

The following Acts authorized indemnity payments for the periods ending as indicated:

June 30, 1968—Pub. L. 90-95, §1, Sept. 28, 1967, 81 Stat. 231.

June 30, 1967—Pub. L. 89-794, title III, §301(c), Nov. 8, 1966, 80 Stat. 1465.

June 30, 1966—Pub. L. 89-253, §24, Oct. 9, 1965, 79 Stat. 977.

June 30, 1965—Pub. L. 89-16, title III, §303, Apr. 30, 1965, 79 Stat. 108.

Jan. 31, 1965—Pub. L. 88-452, title III, §331, Aug. 20, 1964, 78 Stat. 525.

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1977—Pub. L. 95-113 authorized indemnity payments for milk, or cows producing such milk, at a fair market value to any dairy farmer who is directed to remove his milk from commercial markets because of the presence of products of nuclear radiation or fallout if such contamination is not due to the fault of the farmer, or because of residues of chemicals or toxic substances not included under the first sentence of this section if such chemicals or toxic substances were not used in a manner contrary to applicable regulations or labeling instructions provided at the time of use and the contamination is not due to the fault of the farmer, and inserted provision that no indemnity payment may be made for contamination resulting from residues of chemicals or toxic substances if the Secretary determines within thirty days after the date of application for payment that other legal recourse is available to the farmer.

1973—Pub. L. 93-86 inserted “for milk or cows producing such milk” after “The Secretary of Agriculture is authorized to make indemnity payments” and “(but only since August 10, 1973, in the case of indemnity payments not authorized prior to August 10, 1973)” after “January 1, 1964” and substituted “, and to make indemnity payments for dairy products at fair market value to” for “and” after “remove their milk” and “of” for “it contained” before “residues of chemicals”.

1970—Pub. L. 91-524 inserted “and manufacturers of dairy products who have been directed since November 30, 1970, to remove their dairy products,” after “milk”, in first sentence, and substituted “Any indemnity payment to any farmer shall continue” for “Such indemnity payments shall continue to each dairy farmer” in second sentence.

Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 1977 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 95-113 effective Oct. 1, 1977, see section 1901 of Pub. L. 95-113, set out as a note under section 1307 of this title.

§ 4552. Authorization of appropriations for dairy farmer indemnities

There is hereby authorized to be appropriated such sums as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of this subchapter.

(Pub. L. 90-484, §2, Aug. 13, 1968, 82 Stat. 750.)

Editorial Notes

CODIFICATION

Section was formerly classified to section 450k of this title prior to editorial reclassification and renumbering as this section.

Section was enacted as part of Pub. L. 90-484, and not as part of the Dairy Production Stabilization Act of 1983 which comprises this chapter.

PRIOR PROVISIONS

The following Acts authorized indemnity payments for the periods ending as indicated:

June 30, 1968—Pub. L. 90-95, §2, Sept. 28, 1967, 81 Stat. 231.

June 30, 1967—Pub. L. 89-794, title III, §301(c), Nov. 8, 1966, 80 Stat. 1465.

June 30, 1966—Pub. L. 89-253, §24, Oct. 9, 1965, 79 Stat. 977.

June 30, 1965—Pub. L. 89-16, title III, §303, Apr. 30, 1965, 79 Stat. 108.

Jan. 31, 1965—Pub. L. 88-452, title III, §331, Aug. 20, 1964, 78 Stat. 525.

§ 4553. Expiration of dairy farmer indemnity program

The authority granted under this subchapter shall expire on September 30, 2023.

(Pub. L. 90-484, §3, Aug. 13, 1968, 82 Stat. 750; Pub. L. 91-524, title II, §204(a), Nov. 30, 1970, 84 Stat. 1361; Pub. L. 93-86, §1(5)(A), Aug. 10, 1973, 87 Stat. 223; Pub. L. 95-113, title II, §205(2), Sept. 29, 1977, 91 Stat. 920; Pub. L. 97-98, title I, §105, Dec. 22, 1981, 95 Stat. 1220; Pub. L. 99-198, title I, §152, Dec. 23, 1985, 99 Stat. 1377; Pub. L. 101-624, title I, §110, Nov. 28, 1990, 104 Stat. 3380; Pub. L. 107-171, title I, §1503(b), May 13, 2002, 116 Stat. 207; Pub. L. 110-234, title I, §1505, May 22, 2008, 122 Stat. 994; Pub. L. 110-246, §4(a), title I, §1505, June 18, 2008, 122 Stat. 1664, 1723; Pub. L. 113-79, title I, §1425, Feb. 7, 2014, 128 Stat. 695; Pub. L. 115-334, title I, §1402(b), Dec. 20, 2018, 132 Stat. 4518.)

Editorial Notes

CODIFICATION

Section was formerly classified to section 450l of this title prior to editorial reclassification and renumbering as this section.

Section was enacted as part of Pub. L. 90-484, and not as part of the Dairy Production Stabilization Act of 1983 which comprises this chapter.

The authorities provided by each provision of, and each amendment made by, Pub. L. 115-334, as in effect on Sept. 30, 2023, to continue, and authorities to be carried out, until the later of Sept. 30, 2024, or the date specified in the provision of, or amendment made by, Pub. L. 115-334, see section 102(a) of Pub. L. 118-22, set

out in an Extension of Agricultural Programs note under section 9001 of this title.

The authorities provided by each provision of, and each amendment made by, Pub. L. 110-246, as in effect on Sept. 30, 2012, to continue, and the Secretary of Agriculture to carry out the authorities, until the later of Sept. 30, 2013, or the date specified in the provision of, or amendment made by, Pub. L. 110-246, see section 701(a) of Pub. L. 112-240, set out in a 1-Year Extension of Agricultural Programs note under section 8701 of this title.

Pub. L. 110-234 and Pub. L. 110-246 made identical amendments to this section. The amendments by Pub. L. 110-234 were repealed by section 4(a) of Pub. L. 110-246.

PRIOR PROVISIONS

The following Acts authorized indemnity payments for the periods ending as indicated:

June 30, 1968—Pub. L. 90-95, §3, Sept. 28, 1967, 81 Stat. 231.

June 30, 1967—Pub. L. 89-794, title III, §301(c), Nov. 8, 1966, 80 Stat. 1465.

June 30, 1966—Pub. L. 89-253, §24, Oct. 9, 1965, 79 Stat. 977.

June 30, 1965—Pub. L. 89-16, title III, §303, Apr. 30, 1965, 79 Stat. 108.

Jan. 31, 1965—Pub. L. 88-452, title III, §331, Aug. 20, 1964, 78 Stat. 525.

AMENDMENTS

2018—Pub. L. 115-334 substituted “2023” for “2018”.
2014—Pub. L. 113-79 substituted “2018” for “2012”.
2008—Pub. L. 110-246, §1505, substituted “2012” for “2007”.

2002—Pub. L. 107-171 substituted “2007” for “1995”.
1990—Pub. L. 101-624 substituted “1995” for “1990”.
1985—Pub. L. 99-198 substituted “1990” for “1985”.
1981—Pub. L. 97-98 substituted “1985” for “1981”.
1977—Pub. L. 95-113 substituted “September 30, 1981” for “June 30, 1977”.

1973—Pub. L. 93-86 substituted “1977” for “1973”.
1970—Pub. L. 91-524 substituted “1973” for “1970”.

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EFFECTIVE DATE OF 2008 AMENDMENT

Amendment of this section and repeal of Pub. L. 110-234 by Pub. L. 110-246 effective May 22, 2008, the date of enactment of Pub. L. 110-234, see section 4 of Pub. L. 110-246, set out as an Effective Date note under section 8701 of this title.

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 1990 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 101-624 effective beginning with 1991 crop of an agricultural commodity, with provision for prior crops, see section 1171 of Pub. L. 101-624, set out as a note under section 1421 of this title.

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 1981 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 97-98 effective Dec. 22, 1981, see section 1801 of Pub. L. 97-98, set out as an Effective Date note under section 4301 of this title.

EFFECTIVE DATE OF 1977 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 95-113 effective Oct. 1, 1977, see section 1901 of Pub. L. 95-113, set out as a note under section 1307 of this title.

CHAPTER 77—HONEY RESEARCH, PROMOTION, AND CONSUMER INFORMATION

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§ 4601. Findings and purposes

(a) Findings

Congress makes the following findings:

(1) Honey is produced by many individual producers in every State in the United States.

(2) Honey and honey products move in large part in the channels of interstate and foreign commerce, and honey which does not move in such channels directly burdens or affects interstate commerce.

(3) In recent years, large quantities of low-cost, imported honey have been brought into the United States, replacing domestic honey in the normal trade channels.

(4) The maintenance and expansion of existing honey markets and the development of new or improved markets or uses are vital to the welfare of honey producers and those concerned with marketing, using, and processing honey, along with those engaged in general agricultural endeavors requiring bees for pollinating purposes.

(5) The honey production industry within the United States is comprised mainly of small- and medium-sized businesses.

(6) The development and implementation of coordinated programs of research, promotion, consumer education, and industry information necessary for the maintenance of markets and the development of new markets have been inadequate.

(7) Without cooperative action in providing for and financing such programs, honey producers, honey handlers, wholesalers, and retailers are unable to implement programs of research, promotion, consumer education, and industry information necessary to maintain and improve markets for these products.

(8) The ability to develop and maintain purity standards for honey and honey products is critical to maintaining the consumer confidence, safety, and trust that are essential components of any undertaking to maintain and develop markets for honey and honey products.

(9) Research directed at improving the cost effectiveness and efficiency of beekeeping, as well as developing better means of dealing with pest and disease problems, is essential to keeping honey and honey product prices competitive and facilitating market growth as well as maintaining the financial well-being of the honey industry.

(10) Research involving the quality, safety, and image of honey and honey products and how that quality, safety, and image may be affected during the extraction, processing, packaging, marketing, and other stages of the