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CIAA Bulletin

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Update

USDA Provides Additional Resources for ATLAS Launch

This afternoon, the U.S. Department of Agriculture provided additional resources for dairy import license holders as the license management system changes to ATLAS. As a reminder, ATLAS will not be available until Monday, May 17, 2021; DAIRIES will remain available until ATLAS is launched. **On and after May 17th**, ATLAS will be accessible [here](#).

USDA has shared the following resources that are available [here](#) on the FAS website:

- ATLAS Navigation Guide
- Training Video of ATLAS-Portal Overview
- Training Video of ATLAS-Community User
- Video on ATLAS-Eligibility and Application
- Video on ATLAS-Surrender and Reallocation

These materials provide an overview of the functionality of the ATLAS site and an overview of the site and demonstrate specific functions.

If you encounter any issues with login, notice an error or need a change, please use the “query” function for assistance. The Query tab is located on the top half of each ATLAS page. The query button is the best way to notify FAS staff that you have a question.

Thank you to all who participated in today's Membership Meeting. We look forward to seeing you November 5th in Saddle Brook, NJ. More details regarding our Fall Membership Meeting will be coming soon.

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INDUSTRY DATES TO REMEMBER

JULY 1, 2021

Last day for an exporting country that is not designating importers for calendar year 2021 to notify FAS.

AUGUST 31, 2021

Last day to enter dairy products into U.S. Customs territory that may be used to qualify and establish eligibility for a calendar year 2021 license.

SEPTEMBER 1, 2021

First day of license eligibility period for next quota year-plus one. Example: entries made on or after September 1, 2021 can be used to establish eligibility for a license for calendar year 2022.

SEPTEMBER 1, 2021

Last date to request globalization of a calendar year 2020 license. First transmission date for applications for reallocated license amounts for calendar year 2020. First transmission date for all applications for calendar year 2021 licenses.

SEPTEMBER 15, 2021

(no exceptions!) Last transmission date for licensees applying for reallocated license amounts for calendar year 2021.

OCTOBER 1, 2021

(no exceptions!) Last transmission date for licensees to surrender all or the unused portion of their calendar year 2021 licenses.

OCTOBER 15, 2021

(no exceptions!) Last transmission date for all applications for calendar year 2022 licenses.

OCTOBER 31, 2021

Exporting countries that are designating U.S. importers for calendar year 2022 must submit their designations to FAS by this date.

NOVEMBER 5, 2021

Member Meeting
8:45 am - 9:30 am Continental Breakfast
9:30 am - 11:30 am Meeting
Saddle Brook Marriott
Saddle Brook, NJ

DECEMBER 20, 2021

(approximately) FAS issues first notice of calendar year 2022 licenses to licensees.

DECEMBER 31, 2021

Last day for licensees to make entries to fulfill the requirement to use 85% of their calendar year 2021 license amount. Last day for which calendar year 2021 licenses are valid

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