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NOTICE TO THE TRADE

Farm and Foreign
Agricultural Services

Small Business Set-aside for Dehydrated Potato Flakes

Farm Service
Agency

The purpose of this notice is to announce that the Kansas City Commodity Office (KCCO) will implement a total small business set-aside for the purchase of dehydrated potato flakes for use in export programs.

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Commodity Office
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Based on an analysis of offer and award history there is sufficient small business competition to meet KCCO's export food aid requirements for this commodity. Therefore, in accordance with FAR 19.502-2(b), effective for all purchases after August 1, 2005, KCCO will implement a total small business set-aside for the purchase of dehydrated potato flakes for use in export programs.

Please direct questions concerning this Notice to Tim Reaman, Export Operations Division, at (816) 926-6045.

/s/

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