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LOUISIANA DAIRY INDUSTRY PROMOTION BOARD

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August 4, 2004

Independent Auditor's Report on the Financial Statements

LOUISIANA DAIRY INDUSTRY PROMOTION BOARD DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY STATE OF LOUISIANA Baton Rouge, Louisiana

We have audited the accompanying basic financial statements of the Louisiana Dairy Industry Promotion Board, a component unit of the State of Louisiana, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2004. These financial statements are the responsibility of management of the Louisiana Dairy Industry Promotion Board. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the basic financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Louisiana Dairy Industry Promotion Board as of June 30, 2004, and its changes in financial position and its cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated August 4, 2004, on our consideration of the Louisiana Dairy Industry Promotion Board's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, and contracts. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and should be read in conjunction with this report in considering the results of our audit.

The board has not presented management's discussion and analysis that accounting principles generally accepted in the United States has determined is necessary to supplement, although not required to be part of, the basic financial statements.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the Louisiana Dairy Industry Promotion Board's basic financial statements. The accompanying supplemental financial information listed in the table of contents is presented for the purpose of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements of the



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Louisiana Dairy Industry Promotion Board. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied by us in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, based on our audit, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Respectfully submitted,

ve J. Theriot, CPA

Legislative Auditor

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LOUISIANA DAIRY INDUSTRY PROMOTION BOARD DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY STATE OF LOUISIANA

Statement of Net Assets, June 30, 2004

ASSETS	
Current assets:	
Cash (note 2)	\$245,560
Receivables - assessments (note 3)	75,225
Total assets	320,785
LIABILITIES - current accounts payable	57,231
NET ASSETS - unrestricted	\$263,554

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this statement.





LOUISIANA DAIRY INDUSTRY PROMOTION BOARD DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY STATE OF LOUISIANA

Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Fund Net Assets For the Year Ended June 30, 2004

Operating revenues - assessments	\$478,983
Operating expenses:	
Compensation - board member per diem	1,000
Travel	9,267
Operating services	247
Supplies	219
Professional services	2,314
Other charges:	
Advertising	196,357
Promotional activities and supplies	280,558
Administrative services (note 4)	26,369
Total operating expenses	516,331
Operating loss	(37,348)
Nonoperating revenues:	
Use of money and property	2,643
Miscellaneous	5,809
Total nonoperating revenues	8,452
Change in net assets	(28,896)
TOTAL NET ASSETS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR -	
AS RESTATED (note 5)	292,450
TOTAL NET ASSETS AT END OF YEAR	\$263,554

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this financial statement.





LOUISIANA DAIRY INDUSTRY PROMOTION BOARD DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY STATE OF LOUISIANA

Statement of Cash Flows For the Year Ended June 30, 2004

Cash flows from operating activities:		
Cash received from assessments	\$482,584	
Cash payments to suppliers for goods and services	(510,050)	
Net cash used by operating activities		(\$27,466)
Cash flows from noncapital and related financing activities -		
Miscellaneous receipts		5,809
Cash flows from investing activities -		
Interest earned on investments		2,643
Net decrease in cash		(19,014)
Cash at beginning of year		264,574
Cash at end of year		\$245,560
Reconciliation of operating loss to		
net cash used by operating activities:		
Operating loss		(\$37,348)
Changes in assets and liabilities:		
Decrease in accounts receivable		3,600
Increase in accounts payable		6,282
Net cash used by operating activities		(\$27,466)

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this financial statement.





LOUISIANA DAIRY INDUSTRY PROMOTION BOARD DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY STATE OF LOUISIANA

Notes to the Financial Statements As of and for the Year Ended June 30, 2004

INTRODUCTION

The Louisiana Dairy Industry Promotion Board is a component unit of the State of Louisiana created within the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry, as provided by Louisiana Revised Statute (R.S.) 3:557.1-12. The board consists of nine members, eight of whom are appointed by the Commissioner of Agriculture and Forestry. These eight members represent three geographical areas of the state and are selected by the commissioner from a slate of candidates proposed by the Louisiana Farm Bureau Federation and by dairy cooperatives having a membership of at least 25 producers. The ninth member is the Commissioner of Agriculture and Forestry who serves as ex-officio with all rights, duties, and privileges of the other members. Eight alternates are appointed by the Commissioner of Agriculture and Forestry who serve in the absence of the appointed members. All board members and alternates serve terms concurrent with the commissioner and receive \$40 per diem for attending board meetings and other official business of the board.

The board is charged with the responsibility of promoting knowledge of the health giving qualities and dietary values of milk and other dairy products and effectively promoting the consumption of Louisiana milk and other Louisiana dairy products to assure a sufficient quantity of such products for Louisiana consumers. The board is engaged in dairy product promotion and nutrition education through various advertising and promotion programs, school nutrition education programs, and retail marketing programs. The board does not use a brand name or trade name in its advertising and promotion programs nor does it use funds for the purpose of influencing governmental policy or actions.

Operations of the board are funded entirely with self-generated revenues, financed by dairy producers from assessments collected from processors who buy milk directly from producers or through cooperative associations. The board has no employees. Personnel of the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry perform all collection and administrative functions of the board. The board reimburses the department for these services.

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

A. BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared on the full accrual basis in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America as applied to governmental units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard setting body for establishing governmental accounting principles and reporting standards. These principles are found in the *Codification of Governmental Accounting and Financial Reporting Standards*, published by the GASB. The board applies all GASB pronouncements as well as Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) statements and interpretations issued on or before November 30, 1989, unless those pronouncements conflict with or contradict GASB pronouncements. In accordance with policies established by the Division of Administration, the board has elected to follow GASB pronouncements issued after November 30, 1989, rather than FASB pronouncements.



B. REPORTING ENTITY

GASB Codification Section 2100 establishes criteria for determining the governmental reporting entity and has defined the governmental reporting entity to be the State of Louisiana. The board is considered to be a component unit of the State of Louisiana because the state exercises oversight responsibility in that the commissioner appoints the board members and can impose his will on the board. The accompanying financial statements present only the activity of the Louisiana Dairy Industry Promotion Board. Annually, the State of Louisiana issues basic financial statements that include the activity contained in the accompanying financial statements.

C. FUND ACCOUNTING

All activities of the board are accounted for within a single proprietary (enterprise) fund. Proprietary funds are used to account for operations that are (a) financed and operated in a manner similar to private business enterprises where the intent of the governing body is that the cost of providing goods or services to the general public on a continuing basis be financed or recovered primarily through user charges; or (b) where the governing body has decided that periodic determination of revenues earned, expenses incurred, and/or net income is appropriate for capital maintenance, public policy, management control, accountability, or other purposes.

D. BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

Basis of accounting refers to when revenues and expenses are recognized in the accounts and reported in the financial statement. Basis of accounting relates to the timing of the measurements made, regardless of the measurement focus applied. The transactions of the board are accounted for on a flow of economic resources measurement focus. With this measurement focus, all assets and all liabilities associated with the operations are included on the Statement of Net Assets.

Revenues are recognized in the accounting period when they are earned and expenses are recognized when the related liability is incurred.

Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenues and expenses from nonoperating items. Operating revenues and expenses generally result from providing services and/or producing and delivering goods in connection with a proprietary fund's principal ongoing operations. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as nonoperating revenues and expenses. The principal operating revenue of the board derives from assessments on Louisiana dairy producers. Since 1983, the Louisiana dairy producers have funded the Louisiana dairy industry advertising program with a 10-cent assessment rate per hundredweight on all milk solids, milk fats, or fluid milk components sold.

E. BUDGET PRACTICES

The board adopted an annual budget that was submitted to the Department of Agriculture and Forestry for the 2003-2004 fiscal year on June 9, 2003. The annual budget is prepared on the modified accrual basis of accounting. The budget is adopted on an object basis. The board does not recognize or record encumbrances as part of its budgetary practices. Formal budgetary integration is employed as a management control device during the year. The board is not required to present a budgetary comparison schedule.



F. CASH

Cash includes interest-bearing demand deposits. Under state law, the board may deposit funds within a fiscal agent bank organized under the laws of the State of Louisiana, the laws of any other state in the Union, or the laws of the United States.

G. CAPITAL ASSETS AND LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS

The board has no capital assets or long-term obligations at June 30, 2004.

H. COMPENSATED ABSENCES, PENSION BENEFITS, AND POSTRETIREMENT HEALTH CARE AND LIFE INSURANCE BENEFITS

The board has no full-time employees. The board pays a portion of the salary of an employee of the Department of Agriculture and Forestry for administrative services. Therefore, no compensated absences, pension benefits, or postretirement benefits are provided by the board.

I. NET ASSETS

Net assets comprise the various net earnings from operation, nonoperating revenues, expenses and contributions of capital. Net assets generally are classified in the following components:

Invested in capital assets, net of related debt - consists of all capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation and reduced by the outstanding balances of any bonds or other borrowings that are attributable to the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets.

Restricted - consists of external constraints placed on net asset use by creditors, grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments or constraints imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

Unrestricted - consists of all other net assets that are not included in the other categories previously mentioned.

J. ESTIMATES

The preparation of financial statements requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

2. CASH

For reporting purposes, cash consists of demand deposits. As reflected on Statement A, the board has deposits in bank accounts totaling \$245,560 at June 30, 2004. Under state law, these deposits must be secured by federal deposit insurance or the pledge of securities owned by the fiscal agent bank. The market value of the pledged securities plus the federal deposit insurance must at all times equal the amount on deposit with the fiscal agent.



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Deposit balances (bank balances) of \$282,473 at June 30, 2004, are fully secured by federal deposit insurance. The following is a breakdown by banking institution, program or type, and amount:

Banking Instituion	Program or Type	Amount
Hibernia Bank Bank One	Operating Account Operating Account	\$243,733 38,740
Total		\$282,473

3. RECEIVABLES

At June 30, 2004, the board has receivable balances for dairy assessments totaling \$75,225. The board has not established an allowance for doubtful accounts.

4. ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

As shown on Statement B, the board incurred administrative services totaling \$26,369 in payments to the Department of Agriculture and Forestry for the year ended June 30, 2004. These payments included \$14,369 pursuant to R.S. 3:557.7(B) for administering and collecting assessments on the sale of milk and milk products and \$12,000 for part-time staff as authorized by the board.

5. NET ASSETS RESTATED

The beginning net assets as reflected on Statement B have been restated to reflect the following adjustments:

Net assets, June 30, 2003	\$295,901
Adjustments:	
Change in accounts receivable estimate	(7,402)
Change in accounts payable estimate	3,951
Net assets, June 30, 2003, as restated	\$292,450



LOUISIANA DAIRY INDUSTRY PROMOTION BOARD DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY STATE OF LOUISIANA OTHER SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION As of and for the Year Ended June 30, 2004

PER DIEM PAID BOARD MEMBERS

The schedule of per diem paid board members was prepared in compliance with House Concurrent Resolution No. 54 of the 1979 Session of the Louisiana Legislature.

Per diem payments are authorized by Louisiana Revised Statute 3:557.4. Board members are paid \$40 per day for each day spent in actual attendance of meetings of the board or meetings of duly appointed committees or subcommittees.

ANNUAL FISCAL REPORT TO THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR, DIVISION OF ADMINISTRATION, OFFICE OF STATEWIDE REPORTING AND ACCOUNTING POLICY

The annual fiscal report presents the financial position of the Louisiana Dairy Industry Promotion Board as of June 30, 2004, and the results of its operations for the year then ended. This report contains information in the format requested by the Office of Statewide Reporting and Accounting Policy for consolidation into the Louisiana Comprehensive Annual Financial Report.





LOUISIANA DAIRY INDUSTRY PROMOTION BOARD DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY STATE OF LOUISIANA

Schedule of Per Diem Paid Board Members For the Year Ended June 30, 2004

	NUMBER	AMOUNT
Lanny Connerly	2	\$80
Roy Ingraffia	2	80
Daniel Lyons	3	120
Oliver Mitchell	5	200
Eugene Robertson	2	80
James Rogers	5	200
Susan Sharkey	2	80
Jerry Simpson	4	160
Total		\$1,000





DAIRY INDUSTRY PROMOTION BOARD

(Agency Name) STATE OF LOUISIANA Annual Financial Statements June 30, 20<u>04</u>

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DAIRY INDUSTRY PROMOTION BOARD

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<u>AFFIDAVIT</u>

Personally came and appeared before the undersigned authority, <u>Skip Rhorer</u> (Name) <u>Assistant</u> <u>Commissioner of Management & Finance</u> (Title) of <u>Department of Agriculture & Forestry</u> (Agency) who duly sworn, deposes and says, that the financial statements herewith given present fairly the financial position of <u>Dairy Industry Promotion Board</u> (Agency) at June 30, <u>2004</u>, and the results of operations for the year then ended in accordance with policies and practices established by the Division of Administration or in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles as prescribed by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. Sworn and subscribed before me, this ______ day of ______, 20_04.

Signature of Agency Official

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Prepared by:	Linda R. Chaney
Title:	Fiscal Director
Telephone No.:	225 952 8165
Date:	

STATE OF LOUISIANA DAIRY INDUSTRY PROMOTION BOARD (BTA) BALANCE SHEET AS OF _____, 20_04

ASSETS	
CURRENT ASSETS:	
Cash and cash equivalents (Note C1)	\$ 245,56
Investments (Note C2)	
Receivables (net of allowance for doubtful accounts)(Note U)	75,22
Due from other funds (Note Y)	
Due from federal government	
Inventories	
Prepayments	
Notes receivable	
Other current assets	
Total current assets	320,78
NONCURRENT ASSETS:	320,70
Restricted assets (Note F):	
Cash	
Investments	
Receivables	
Notes receivable	
Capital assets (net of depreciation)(Note D)	
Land	
Buildings and improvements	
Machinery and equipment	
Infrastructure	
Construction in progress	
Other noncurrent assets	
Total noncurrent assets	
Total assets	\$320,78
LIABILITIES	
CURRENT LIABILITIES:	
Accounts payable and accruals (Note V)	\$57,23
Due to other funds (Note Y)	·
Due to federal government	
Deferred revenues	·
Amounts held in custody for others	
Other current liabilities	
Current portion of long-term liabilities:	
Contracts payable	
Reimbursement contracts payable	
Compensated absences payable (Note K)	
Capital lease obligations - (Note J)	
Notes payable	
Liabilities payable from restricted assets (Note Z)	
Bonds payable	
Other long-term liabilities	
Total current liabilities	57,23
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES:	, <u>i</u>
Contracts payable	
Reimbursement contracts payable	
Compensated absences payable (Note K)	
Capital lease obligations (Note J)	
Notes payable	
Liabilities payable from restricted assets (Note Z)	
Bonds payable	
Other long-term liabilities	••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••
Total long-term liabilities	
Total liabilities	57,23
NET ASSETS	
NET ASSETS	
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	······································
Restricted for:	
Capital projects	
Debt service	
Unemployment compensation	
Other specific purposes	
Unrestricted	263,55
	263,55
Total net assets	203.33

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this financial statement.

Statement A

STATE OF LOUISIANA <u>DAIRY INDUSTRY PROMOTION BOARD</u> (BTA) STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS FOR THE YEAR ENDED <u>June 30</u>, 20<u>04</u>

OPERATING REVENUES Sales of commodities and services Assessments Use of money and property Licenses, permits, and fees	\$ 478,983
Total operating revenues	478,983
OPERATING EXPENSES Cost of sales and services Administrative Depreciation Amortization	<u>489,962</u> <u>26,369</u>
Total operating expenses	516,331
Operating income(loss)	(37,348)
NON-OPERATING REVENUES(EXPENSES) State appropriations Intergovernmental revenues (expenses) Taxes Use of money and property Gain (loss) on disposal of fixed assets Federal grants Interest expense Other Total non-operating revenues(expenses) Income(loss) before contributions and transfers	2,643 2,643 5,809 8,452 (28,896)
Capital contributions Transfers in Transfers out	
Change in net assets	(28,896)
Total net assets – beginning as restated	292,450
Total net assets ending	\$ <u>263,554</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this financial statement.

Statement B

STATE OF LOUISIANA DAIRY INDUSTRY PROMOTION BOARD (BTA) STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED <u>June 30</u>, 20<u>04</u>

		F	es	Net (Expense)	
	Expenses	Charges for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions	Capital Grants and Contributions	Revenue and Changes in Net Assets
Component Unit: Dairy Industry Promotion Bo					
S	\$ <u>516,331</u> \$	<u>NONE</u> \$	S <u>NONE</u> \$	6 <u>NONE</u> \$	(516,331)
General revenues:					
Taxes					478,983
State appropriati					
Grants and contr	ibutions not re	estricted to spe	cific programs		
Interest					2,643
Miscellaneous					5,809
Special items Transfers					
Total general rev		litome and tr	poefore		487,435
Change in ne		a items, and the			(28,896)
Net assets - beginnir					292,450
Net assets - ending	.9			\$	263,554
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The accompanying notes are an integral part of this financial statement.

Statement C

STATE OF LOUISIANA <u>DAIRY INDUSTRY PROMOTION BOARD</u> (BTA) STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED <u>June 30</u> , 20 <u>04</u>	
Cash flows from operating activities Cash received from customers Cash payments to suppliers for goods and services Cash payments to employees for services Payments in lieu of taxes Internal activity-payments to other funds Claims paid to outsiders Other operating revenues(expenses) Net cash provided(used) by operating activities	\$ <u>482,584</u> (510,050)
Cash flows from non-capital financing activities State appropriations Proceeds from sale of bonds Principal paid on bonds Interest paid on bond maturities Proceeds from issuance of notes payable Principal paid on notes payable Interest paid on notes payable Operating grants received Other Transfers in Transfers out Net cash provided(used) by non-capital financing activities	5.809
Cash flows from capital and related financing activities Proceeds from sale of bonds Principal paid on bonds Interest paid on bond maturities Proceeds from issuance of notes payable Principal paid on notes payable Interest paid on notes payable Acquisition/construction of capital assets Proceeds from sale of capital assets Capital contributions Other Net cash provided(used) by capital and related financing activities	
Cash flows from investing activities Purchases of investment securities Proceeds from sale of investment securities Interest and dividends earned on investment securities Net cash provided(used) by investing activities	2.6432.643
Net increase(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(19,014)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	264,574
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	\$ <u>245.560</u>

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The accompanying notes are an integral part of this statement.

Statement D

STATE OF LOUISIANA **DAIRY INDUSTRY PROMOTION BOARD (BTA)** STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED June 30 , 20 04

Reconciliation of operating income(loss) to net cash provided(used) by operating activities:

Operating income(loss) Adjustments to reconcile operating income(loss) to net cash provided by operating activities: Depreciation/amortization	\$ <u>(37,348)</u>
Provision for uncollectible accounts	
Changes in assets and liabilities:	
(Increase)decrease in accounts receivable	3,600
(Increase)decrease in due from other funds	-
(Increase)decrease in prepayments	
(Increase)decrease in inventories (Increase)decrease in other assets	
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable accruals	6,282
Increase(decrease) in accrued payroll and related benefits	0,202
Increase(decrease) in compensated absences payable	
Increase(decrease) in due to other funds	
Increase decrease) in deferred revenues	
Increase(decrease) in other liabilities	
Net cash provided(used) by operating activities	\$ <u>(27,466)</u>
Schedule of noncash investing, capital, and financing activities:	
Borrowing under capital lease	<u></u>
Contributions of fixed assets	
Purchases of equipment on account	<u></u>
Asset trade-ins	
Other (specify)	
Total noncash investing, capital, and	
financing activities:	NONE

(Concluded)

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this statement.

Statement D

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STATE OF LOUISIANA <u>DAIRY INDUSTRY PROMOTION BOARD</u> (BTA) Notes to the Financial Statement As of and for the year ended June 30, 20<u>04</u>

INTRODUCTION

The <u>Dairy Industry Promotion Board</u> (BTA) was created by the Louisiana State Legislature under the provisions of Louisiana Revised Statute <u>3:557.1-12</u>. The following is a brief description of the operations of <u>the board</u> (BTA) which includes the parish/parishes in which the (BTA) is located:

The Louisiana Dairy Industry Promotion Board is a component unit of the State of Louisiana created within the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry, as provided by Louisiana Revised Statute 3:557.1-12. The board consists of nine members, eight of whom are appointed by the Commissioner of Agriculture and Forestry. These eight members represent three geographical areas of the state and are selected by the commissioner from a slate of candidates proposed by the Louisiana Farm Bureau Federation and by dairy cooperatives having a membership of at least 25 producers. The ninth member is the Commissioner of Agriculture and Forestry who serves as ex-officio with all rights, duties, and privileges of the other members. Eight alternates are appointed by the Commissioner of Agriculture and Forestry who serve in the absence of the appointed members. All board members and alternates serve terms concurrent with the commissioner and receive \$40 per diem for attending board meetings and other official business of the board.

The board is charged with the responsibility of promoting knowledge of the health giving qualities and dietary values of milk and other dairy products and effectively promoting the consumption of Louisiana milk and other Louisiana dairy products to assure a sufficient quantity of such products for Louisiana consumers. The board is engaged in dairy product promotion and nutrition education through various advertising and promotion programs, school nutrition education programs, school food service programs, and retail marketing programs. The board does not use a brand name or trade name in its advertising and promotion programs nor does it use funds for the purpose of influencing governmental policy or actions.

Operations of the board are funded entirely with self-generated revenues, financed by dairy producers from assessments collected from processors who buy milk directly from producers or through cooperative associations. The board has no employees. Personnel of the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry perform all collection and administrative functions of the board. The board reimburses the department for these services.

A. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

1. BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

In April of 1984, the Financial Accounting Foundation established the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) to promulgate generally accepted accounting principles and reporting standards with respect to activities and transactions of state and local governmental entities. The GASB has issued a Codification of Governmental Accounting and Financial Reporting Standards (GASB Codification). This codification and subsequent GASB pronouncements are recognized as generally accepted accounting principles for state and local governments. The accompanying financial statements have been prepared in accordance with such principles.

The accompanying financial statements of <u>the Dairy Industry Promotion Board</u> present information only as to the transactions of the programs of the <u>board</u> as authorized by Louisiana statutes and administrative regulations. Basis of accounting refers to when revenues and expenses are recognized and reported in the financial statements. Basis of accounting relates to the timing of the measurements made, regardless of the measurement focus applied.

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The accounts of the <u>board</u> are maintained in accordance with applicable statutory provisions and the regulations of the Division of Administration – Office of Statewide Reporting and Accounting Policy as follows:

Revenue Recognition

Revenues are recognized using the full accrual basis of accounting; therefore, revenues are recognized in the accounting period in which they are earned and become measurable.

Expense Recognition

Expenses are recognized on the accrual basis; therefore, expenses, including salaries, are recognized in the period incurred, if measurable.

B. BUDGETARY ACCOUNTING

The appropriations made for the operations of the various programs of the <u>board</u> (BTA) are annual lapsing appropriations.

- 1. The budgetary process is an annual appropriation valid for one year.
- 2. The agency is prohibited by statute from over expending the categories established in the budget.
- 3. Budget revisions are granted by the Joint Legislative Budget Committee, a committee of the Louisiana Legislature. Interim emergency appropriations may be granted by the Interim Emergency Board.
- 4. The budgetary information included in the financial statements include the original appropriation plus subsequent amendments as follows:

SELF GENERATED APPROPRIATIONS

Original approved budget	\$ 471,090
Amendments:	
Final approved budget	\$ 471,090

C. DEPOSITS WITH FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND INVESTMENTS (If all agency cash and investments are deposited in the State Treasury, disregard Note C.)

1. DEPOSITS WITH FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

For reporting purposes, deposits with financial institutions include savings, demand deposits, time deposits, and certificates of deposit. Under state law the <u>board</u> (BTA) may deposit funds within a fiscal agent bank selected and designated by the Interim Emergency Board. Further, the (BTA) may invest in time certificates of deposit of state banks organized under the laws of Louisiana,

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national banks having their principal office in the state of Louisiana, in savings accounts or shares of savings and loan associations and savings banks and in share accounts and share certificate accounts of federally or state chartered credit unions.

For the purpose of the Statement of Cash Flows, all highly liquid investments (including restricted assets with a maturity of three months or less when purchased) are considered to be cash equivalents.

Deposits in bank accounts are stated at cost, which approximates market. Under state law these deposits must be secured by federal deposit insurance or the pledge of securities owned by the fiscal agent bank. The market value of the pledged securities plus the federal deposit insurance must at all times equal the amount on deposit with the fiscal agent. These pledged securities are held in the name of the pledging fiscal agent bank in a holding or custodial bank in the form of safekeeping receipts held by the State Treasurer. The deposits at <u>June 30</u>, <u>2004</u>, were secured as follows:

		De	posi	its in bank acc Certificates	cour	nts Other		
		<u>Cash</u>		of Deposit		(Describe)		Total
Deposits in bank accounts per balance sheet	\$	245,560	\$_		* =		_\$_	245,560
Bank balances (category 3 only, if any)								
Identify amounts reported as category 3 by								
the descriptions below:								
a. Uninsured and uncollateralized			_					0
b. Uninsured and collateralized with securities								
held by the pledging institution		,	-		· -			0
c. Uninsured and collateralized with securities								
held by the pledging insititution's trust departme or agent, <u>but not in the entities name</u>	ent							0
or agent, but not in the entities hame					· -			0
Total Category 3 bank balances	\$		\$_		\$_		_\$_	0
Total bank balances (All categories includi	ng							
category 3 reported above)	\$	245,560	\$_	0	\$_	0	- \$_	245,560

NOTE: The "Total Bank Balances" will not necessarily equal the "Deposits in Bank Account per Balance Sheet".

The following is a breakdown by banking institution, program, account number, and amount of the balances shown above:

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Banking institution		Program	<u>Amount</u>
1. Ba	nk One	Checking	\$ 38,740
2. Hit	pernia National Bank	Savings	243,733
3.			
4			
Total			\$ 282,473

Were uncollateralized securities fitting the description in (3) above during the year significantly greater than at <u>June 30, 2004</u> (last day of your fiscal year)? If yes, attach a statement listing the amount(s) and a reason for this occurrence.

Cash in State Treasury and petty cash are not required to be reported in the note disclosure. However, to aid in reconciling amounts reported on the balance sheet to amounts reported in this note, list below any cash in treasury and petty cash that are included in the balance sheet.

> Cash in State Treasury \$ N/A Petty cash \$ N/A

2. INVESTMENTS

The board has no investments at June 30, 2004.

D. CAPITAL ASSETS

The board has no capital assets at June 30, 2004.

E. INVENTORIES

The board has no inventory at June 30, 2004.

F. RESTRICTED ASSETS

The board has no restricted assets at June 30, 2004.

G. LEAVE

The board has no employees at June 30, 2004.

H. RETIREMENT SYSTEM

The board has no employees at June 30, 2004.

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I. POST RETIREMENT HEALTH CARE AND LIFE INSURANCE BENEFITS

The board has no employees at June 30, 2004.

J. LEASES

The board has no leases at June 30, 2004.

K. LONG-TERM LIABILITIES

The board has no long-term liabilities at June 30, 2004.

L. LITIGATION

The board has no litigation at June 30, 2004.

M. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The board has no related party transactions at June 30, 2004.

N. ACCOUNTING CHANGES

The board made no accounting changes during this fiscal year ended June 30, 2004.

O. IN-KIND CONTRIBUTIONS

The board had no in-kind contributions at June 30, 2004.

P. DEFEASED ISSUES

The board has no defeased issues at June 30, 2004.

Q. COOPERATIVE ENDEAVORS

The board has no cooperative endeavors at June 30, 2004.

R. GOVERNMENT-MANDATED NONEXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS (GRANTS)

The board has no government-mandated nonexchange transactions (grants) at June 30, 2004.

S. VIOLATIONS OF FINANCE-RELATED LEGAL OR CONTRACTUAL PROVISIONS

The board has no violations of finance-related legal or contractual provisions at June 30, 2004.

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T. SHORT-TERM DEBT

The board had no short-term debt at June 30, 2004.

U. DISAGGREGATION OF RECEIVABLE BALANCES

Receivables at June 30, 20_04_, were as follows:

Activity		Customer Receivables		Taxes	Receivables from other Governments		Other Receivables		Total Receivables
Promotion	`s	Receivables	s [—]	75,225	\$ Governmenta	\$	TRECEIVABIES	\$	75,225
			· _			•		•	0
Gross receivables Less allowance for	\$	0	\$_	75,225	\$ 0	\$	0	\$	75,225
uncollectible accounts		0		0	 0		0		0
Receivables, net	\$	0	\$_	75,225	\$ 0	\$	0	\$	75,225
Amounts not scheduled for collection during the									
subsequent year	\$		\$_		\$ <u></u>	\$	<u> </u>	\$	00

V. DISAGGREGATION OF PAYABLE BALANCES

Payables at June 30, 20_04 , were as follows:

		Salaries			
		and	Accrued	Other	Total
Activity	Vendors	Benefits	Interest	Payables	Payables
Promotion	\$ 56,631	\$ 600	\$ NONE	\$ NONE	\$57,231

W. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The board has no subsequent events at June 30, 2004.

X. SEGMENT INFORMATION

Governments that report enterprise funds or that use enterprise fund accounting and reporting standards to report their activities are required to present segment information for those activities in the notes to the financial statements. For the purposes of this disclosure, a segment is an identifiable activity (or group of activities), reported as or within an enterprise fund or an other stand-alone entity that has one or more bonds or other debt instruments outstanding, with a revenue stream pledged in support of that debt. In addition, the activity's revenues, expenses, gains and losses, assets, and liabilities are required to be accounted for separately. This requirement for

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separate accounting applies if imposed by an external party, such as accounting and reporting requirements set forth in bond indentures. Disclosure requirements for each segment should be met by identifying the types of goods and services provided and by presenting condensed financial statements in the notes, including the elements in A through C below (GASB 34, paragraph 122, as modified by GASB 37, paragraph 17.)

Type of goods or services provided by the segment <u>promotion of dairy products</u>.

- A. Condensed statement of net assets:
 - (1) Total assets distinguishing between current assets, capital assets, and other assets. Amounts receivable from other funds or BTA's should be reported separately.
 - (2) Total liabilities distinguishing between current and long-term amounts. Amounts payable to other funds or BTA's should be reported separately.
 - (3) Total net assets distinguishing among restricted; unrestricted; and amounts invested in capital assets, net of related debt.

Condensed Statement of Net Assets:

Current assets	\$ 320,785
Due from other funds	
Capital assets	
Other assets	
Current liabilities	57,231
Due to other funds	
Long-term liabilities	 · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Restricted net assets	
Unrestricted net assets	 263,554
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	

- B. Condensed statement of revenues, expenses, and changes in net assets:
 - (1) Operating revenues (by major source).
 - (2) Operating expenses. Depreciation (including any amortization) should be identified separately.
 - (3) Operating income (loss).
 - (4) Nonoperating revenues (expenses) with separate reporting of major revenues and expenses.
 - (5) Capital contributions and additions to permanent and term endowments.
 - (6) Special and extraordinary items.
 - (7) Transfers
 - (8) Change in net assets.
 - (9) Beginning net assets.
 - (10) Ending net assets.

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Condensed Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets:

Operating revenues	\$ 478,983
Operating expenses	 516,331
Depreciation and amortization	
Operating income (loss)	(37,348)
Nonoperating revenues (expenses)	8,452
Capital contributions/additions to	
permanent and term endowments	
Special and extraordinary items	
Transfers in	
Transfers out	
Change in net assets	 (28,896)
Beginning net assets	292,450
Ending net assets	 263,554

C. Condensed statement of cash flows:

- (1) Net cash provided (used) by:
 - (a) Operating activities
 - (b) Noncapital financing activities
 - (c) Capital and related financing activities
 - (d) Investing activities
- (2) Beginning cash and cash equivalent balances
- (3) Ending cash and cash equivalent balances

Condensed Statement of Cash Flows:

Net cash provided (used) by operating activities	\$ (27,466)
Net cash provided (used) by noncapital	
financing activities	5,809
Net cash provided (used) by capital and related	
financing activities	
Net cash provided (used) by investing activities	 2,643
Beginning cash and cash equivalent balances	 264,574
Ending cash and cash equivalent balances	 245,560

Y. DUE TO/DUE FROM AND TRANSFERS

The board has no due to/from and transfers at June 30, 2004.

Z. LIABILITIES PAYABLE FROM RESTRICTED ASSETS

The board has no restricted assets at June 30, 2004.

AA. PRIOR-YEAR RESTATEMENT OF NET ASSETS

The following adjustments were made to restate beginning net assets for June 30, 20_04_.

	Fund balance July 1, 2003, previously reported	Adjustments <u>+ or (-)</u>	Beginning net assets, July 1, 2003, <u>As restated</u>
\$_	295,901	\$ (3,451)	\$ 292,450

Each adjustment must be explained in detail on a separate sheet.

(NOTE: Net Assets at July 1, 20____, previously reported, must correspond to Net Assets at June 30, 20___, per the information received from OSRAP.)

EXPLANATION FOR NOTE AA. PRIOR-YEAR RESTATEMENT OF NET ASSETS

Receivables in FY 03 were estimated and over stated by (7,402.) Payables in FY 03 were estimated and overstated by 3,951.

STATE OF LOUISIANA DAIRY INDUSTRY PROMOTION BOARD (BTA) SCHEDULE OF PER DIEM PAID TO BOARD MEMBERS For the Year Ended June 30, 2004

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(Fiscal Close)

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Name		<u>Amount</u>
Lanny Connerly	\$_	80.00
Oliver Mitchel	_	200.00
Eugene Robertson		80.00
Roy Ingraffia	_	80.00
Daniel Lyons	_	120.00
James Rogers		200.00
Susie Sharkey		80.00
Jerry Simpson	_	160.00
	\$_	1,000.00

OTHER REPORT REQUIRED BY

GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

The following pages contain a report on compliance with laws and regulations and on internal control over financial reporting required by *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. This report is based solely on the audit of the financial statements and includes, where appropriate, any reportable conditions and/or material weaknesses in internal control or compliance matters that would be material to the presented financial statements.







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August 4, 2004

<u>Report on Compliance and on Internal Control Over Financial</u> <u>Reporting Based on an Audit of the Basic Financial Statements</u> <u>Performed in Accordance With Government Auditing Standards</u>

LOUISIANA DAIRY INDUSTRY PROMOTION BOARD DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY STATE OF LOUISIANA Baton Rouge, Louisiana

We have audited the basic financial statements of the Louisiana Dairy Industry Promotion Board, a component unit of the State of Louisiana, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2004, and have issued our report thereon dated August 4, 2004. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

Compliance

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Louisiana Dairy Industry Promotion Board's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, and contracts, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the Louisiana Dairy Industry Promotion Board's internal control over financial reporting in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on the internal control over financial reporting. Our consideration of the internal control over financial reporting that might be material weaknesses. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that misstatements in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. We noted no matters involving the internal control over financial reporting and its operation that we consider to be material weaknesses.



LOUISIANA DAIRY INDUSTRY PROMOTION BOARD

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the board and its management and is not intended to be, and should not be, used by anyone other than these specified parties. Under Louisiana Revised Statute 24:513, this report is distributed by the Legislative Auditor as a public document.

Respectfully submitted,

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Legislative Auditor

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