

**APPLICATION TO OBTAIN A LICENCE TO
PURCHASE UNGRADED EGGS**

**PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE GRADING ACT**

Shell Egg Grading Regulation – BC Reg. 105/78

The undersigned hereby applies for a licence under the Agricultural Produce Grading Act.

1. Name of Applicant: _____
(business name) (block letters)

2. Business Address: _____
(licensed location)

3. The total value of ungraded eggs purchased by the applicant from producers in the Province of British Columbia during the two calendar years immediately previous to the date of this application.

20 ___ \$ _____ 20 ___ \$ _____

4. The security for payment of money payable to a producer for ungraded eggs purchased by or through the applicant, in accordance with the Security Bonding Act is as follows:

Bond No. or Letter of Credit _____ in the sum of \$ _____

Company issuing bond _____

Date of security in effect from _____ to _____

5. The licence fee of \$ _____ is attached to this application.

Print name of authorized contact person _____

Telephone number () _____ Fax number () _____

Signature of authorized person _____

Position of authorized person _____

Date: _____, 20____.

Mail this application to: **Health Management and Regulatory Unit, BC Ministry of Agriculture, 1767 Angus Campbell Road, Abbotsford, BC V3G 2M3**

Cheque or money order payable to: **Minister of Finance.**

CONDITIONS OF LICENCE

1. The term of the licence to purchase ungraded eggs is from the date of issue to December 31st of that year.
2. Before a licence can be issued, the applicant must furnish security in the amount required in the form of a bond or letter of credit.

Security for Payment

1. An applicant for a licence to purchase ungraded eggs shall furnish, and a holder of licence to purchase ungraded egg shall maintain, security in the form of a bond of a surety licensed under the Insurance Act, for the payment of money payable to a producer for ungraded eggs purchased by or through the holder of a licence, in the following amounts:
 - a) for an annual purchase of \$100 to \$30,000, a bond of \$3,000.
 - b) For an annual purchase of more than \$30,000 to 60,0000, a bond of \$6,000;
 - c) For an annual purchase of more than \$60,000 to 100,000, a bond of \$10,000;
 - d) For an annual purchase of more than \$100,000, a bond of \$20,000.

Licencing

1. An application for a licence or renewal of a licence to purchase ungraded eggs shall be accompanied by:
 - a. the fee provide in the schedule and
 - b. a bond referred to in section 1 (a through d)
2. an application for renewal of a licence shall be made by November 30
3. the term of the licence is from January 1 or the date of issuance, as the case may be, to December 31.

Branch Licence

No licence holder shall operate at more than one location unless he is the holder of a valid and subsisting licence for each branch premises.

Schedule of Licence Fees

1. Purchase ungraded eggs licence or renewal of a licence \$ **45.00**
2. For amendment, transfer, or reinstatement of licence \$ **23.00**
3. For amendment, transfer, or reinstatement of licence \$ **23.00**
4. Where the application for a licence is made on or after July 1, one-half of the annual licence fee shall be payable.