

BC Farm Industry Review Board

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Morgan Camley Dentons Canada LLP

Dear Ms. Camley:

RE: AGENCY APPLICATION AND BC VEGETABLE MARKETING COMMISSION MORATORIUM

Thank you for your September 14, 2020 letter and accompanying agency application Executive Summary on behalf of Mastronardi Produce Ltd. (Mastronardi). You reiterate Mastronardi's request that the BC Farm Industry Review Board (BCFIRB) direct the BC Vegetable Marketing Commission (Commission) to consider Mastronardi's agency application immediately.

As set out in our letter of July 27, 2020, the review process is continuing, including a meeting next week with the Commission where the agency application moratorium is part of the agenda. The panel notes your request, as well as the Commission's change in deadline for "signing" growers from September 15, 2020 to October 31, 2020, and will take it into account in its deliberations.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at <u>Wanda.Gorsuch@gov.bc.ca</u> or 778-974-5790.

Regards,

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