BRITISH COLUMBIA FARM INDUSTRY REVIEW BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF THE NATURAL PRODUCTS MARKETING (BC) ACT, R.S.B.C. 1996, c. 330

AND

IN THE MATTER OF AN APPEAL FROM BRITISH COLUMBIA VEGETABLE MARKETING COMMISSION ORDER 10/03(a)

BETWEEN:

BC VEGETABLE GREENHOUSE I, L.P.

APPELLANT

AND:

BRITISH COLUMBIA VEGETABLE MARKETING COMMISSION

RESPONDENT

AND:

BC HOT HOUSE FOODS INC.

INTERVENOR

ORDER

WHEREAS:

- On October 31, 2003, the Appellant filed an appeal from British Columbia Vegetable Commission Order 10/03(a) dated October 7, 2003;
- On September 2, 2004, certain grounds of the appeal were dismissed as being either devoid of merit (being based on a patently wrong characterization of Order 10/03(a)) or an abuse of the Provincial board's process (as having already been decided by Drost J. in *Global Greenhouse Produce Inc.*, *BC Vegetable Greenhouse I, L.P. and others v. British Columbia Marketing Board and British Columbia Vegetable Marketing Commission*, 2003 BCSC 1508), while allowing two other grounds of appeal to proceed;

- On January 11, 2005, the Appellant withdrew its Notice of Appeal;
- Section 17 of the *Administrative Tribunals Act*, S.B.C. 2004, c. 45 provides if an appellant withdraws an appeal, the tribunal must order that the appeal is dismissed:

THEREFORE THIS BOARD ORDERS:

- 1. That the appeal from British Columbia Vegetable Marketing Commission Order 10/03(a) (attached hereto) is dismissed.
- 2. That the parties may make written submissions addressing costs of the appeal, including interlocutory proceedings on the appeal.

FOR THE PANEL

Christine J. Elsaesser

Vice Chair

January 14, 2005, at Victoria, British Columbia.