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Ron Charles Chair British Columbia Turkey Marketing Board 106 – 19329 Enterprise Way Surrey, BC V3S 6J8

Dear Mr. Charles:

## AMENDMENT TO THE GENERAL ORDER AND REGULATIONS 2006

The British Columbia Farm Industry Review Board (FIRB) has received and reviewed recent minutes of meetings from the British Columbia Turkey Marketing Board (Turkey Board). We understand that at the meeting of May 29, 006, the Turkey Board recognized that a requirement to hold multiple licences would penalize growers who process, transport and sell their product direct and made the decision to amend the Fees and Levies Regulation to remove the requirement. As well, the Turkey Board also decided to reimburse any grower who had actually paid multiple licence fees.

FIRB supports the deliberations of the Turkey Board and authorizes an amendment to the revised Fees and Levies Regulation sent by FIRB on June 27, 2006, to state that New Entry Growers and Direct vendor (small lot) growers are not required to pay multiple licence fees.

Please do not hesitate to contact the FIRB office if you require further information or clarification.

Yours truly,

Richard Bullock Chair

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