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Dear Sirs:

SUPERVISORY REVIEW OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE FEDERAL-PROVINCIAL AGREEMENT FOR CHICKEN – SCHEDULE “B” OPERATING AGREEMENT

FINAL SUBMISSION – DEADLINE EXTENSION REQUESTS

In its April 12, 2016 letter¹, the BC Farm Industry Review Board (BCFIRB) set out the final submission schedule and process by which BCFIRB will review the BC Chicken Marketing Board (Chicken Board) request for approval to sign the amended Schedule “B” Operating Agreement (Operating Agreement). BCFIRB, as the B.C. supervisory agency and a supervisory signatory to the Operating Agreement must also make its own, independent determination as to whether it will approve the amendments.

In their further written submissions made on April 27, 2016 both the Chicken Farmers of Canada (CFC) and the Primary Poultry Processors Association of BC (PPPABC) requested a one week extension to the May 4, 2016 final submission deadline. The requests were made on the basis of legal counsel availability.

¹ 2016, April 12. BCFIRB. [Supervisory Review of the Proposed Amendments to the Federal-Provincial Agreement for Chicken – Schedule “B” Operating Agreement Step 3: Process Update.](#)

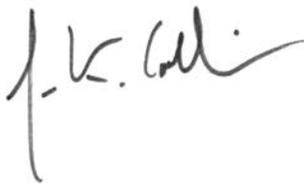
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The BCFIRB panel has approved the extension as follows.

Process Amendment

1. The Chicken Board, PPPABC and CFC now have until **Wednesday, May 11, 2016** to provide a final response to the April 27, 2016 submissions.
2. The BCFIRB panel continues to reserve the right to raise follow up questions subsequent to receipt of all submissions received and/or determine if further process is required.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J. K. Collins". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long vertical stroke on the left side.

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