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## **DELIVERED BY EMAIL**

Richard King, Chair BC Egg Marketing Board 250 – 32160 South Fraser Way Abbotsford BC V2T 1W5

Dear Mr. King:

## QUOTA DISTRIBUTION APPROVAL AND EGG "CORE REVIEW"

I write on behalf of the members of the BC Farm Industry Review Board (BCFIRB) to thank you for the presentation the BC Egg Marketing Board gave to our board on May 15, 2014 concerning the Egg Board's *Quota Distribution Approval and Egg "Core Review"*. Both were significant undertakings that required extensive work and consultation with industry stakeholders.

As outlined in my April 30, 2014 email to the senior staff of the Egg Board and BC Milk Marketing Board (which met with our board on May 14 regarding a review of its own):

May 14-15 meetings will enable BCFIRB to get a good overall grasp of the issues and be in a position for our board to determine next steps (e.g., further analysis and/or questions to boards, further supervisory consultation – depending in part on how well the boards' own reporting reflects the broader public interest, the type/timing of appropriate decision making processes, etc.).

As outlined above, BCFIRB is currently in the process of reviewing your submission and considering what additional information or procedural steps may be required before making a decision(s).

Thank you again for a very useful meeting. If the Egg Board has any questions or concerns arising pending the outcome of BCFIRB's deliberations, please do not hesitate to direct them to this office.

Yours truly,

Jim Collins Executive Director

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