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Subject: Chicken Sector Pricing Review

Parties,

Further to BCFIRB's email of Tuesday January 18, the BCFIRB Chicken Sector Pricing Review Panel was provided with the requested change to the interim chicken pricing formula by the BC Chicken Marketing Board (Chicken Board) late Thursday January 20. The Chair of the Panel is aware that the Chicken Board wants a prior approval decision from the Panel on this proposed change today. The Panel will not be making a decision on this matter today, and the Panel remains of the view that it wants to receive short (e.g., 1-3 pages), "position statement" documents from the following parties:

- The BC Broiler Hatching Egg Commission
- The BC Broiler Hatching Egg Producers' Association
- The BC Chicken Growers' Association
- The BC Egg Hatchery Association
- The Primary Poultry Processors Association of BC

Each party is asked to summarize their overall views on the Chicken Board's decision to increase price by 7 cents, and whether or not your organization supports prior approval of the change by BCFIRB, with a brief explanation of why or why not. This short document is now requested by Noon on Tuesday January 25. The Panel will be meeting on Wednesday morning January 26 to discuss the Chicken Board's proposal and the submissions it receives from the parties noted above. A decision will then be forthcoming from the Panel later on Wednesday January 26th.

A reminder to please address your statements to the Panel Chair (Peter Donkers) and send to Kirsten.Pedersen@gov.bc.ca.

Thank you all

Kirsten Pedersen, Executive Director
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