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Hi Olivia,

Thanks for this correspondence on the process BCFIRB intends to follow on whether to approve the Chicken Board's pricing recommendation. We have reviewed the questions where BCFIRB is looking for a specific response from processors on specific impacts to their businesses (Questions 3 & 4). We have questions around how BCFIRB intends to handle proprietary and confidential information from processors in its submission as well as potential FIOPP and Access to Information requests. Consideration needs to be given to the fact that BC processors not only compete with processors outside of the province, but with each other within the province. We therefore suggest that the BCFIRB panel provide reassurance that processor information will be kept confidential and suggest that each company be given the opportunity to meet with the panel to provide specific information on the impact the pricing formula is currently having and is expected to have on their individual businesses.

Let me know if you would like to like to discuss further while we await your response.

Regards

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