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I am again writing further to the BCFIRB's Interim Orders made on August 20, 2021. I am instructed that panels have now been constituted as directed by the BCFIRB. However, I am instructed that Commission member Royal has sold his farm effective September 16, 2021. Consequently, it is conceivable that a question may arise regarding his standing to serve as a Commission member after that date.

I am further instructed that a panel comprised of Chair Etsell and Commissioners Newell (greenhouse sector), Royal (greenhouse sector), Vander Meulen (greenhouse sector), and Lodder (storage crop sector) will be meeting on Tuesday, September 14 by video conference to address the manner in which Prokam is to market potatoes which it says will be ready to harvest in late September or early October. Given the urgency associated with this matter, it is anticipated that panel will address the matter on an interim basis, pending further decisions to be made with respect to Prokam's licence class, its standing to apply for a producer-shipper licence, and possible direction to CFP (if it obtains an agency licence). With respect to those matters, as well as the outstanding application of MPL, the Commission anticipates that the panels constituted at the direction of the BCFIRB will be able to meet and deliberate within the next few weeks, subject to any objections that might be made with respect to Mr. Royal's continued participation as a panel member.

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The Commission anticipates that it will soon be in a position to report on the status of the panels constituted by the BCFIRB.

Regards,

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