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Farm Products Council of Canada Central Experimental Building 960 Carling Avenue Building 59 Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0C6

Attention: Nathalie Vanasse, Registrar

Dear Ms. Vanasse:

RE: Complaint pursuant to paragraph 7(1)(f) of the Farm Products Agencies Act with regard to Turkey Farmers of Canada's decision made on June 11th, 2015, and with regard to the TFC Multiplier Breeder Policy and Turkey Farmers of Ontario

We are writing to advise that TFO and TFC have reached an agreement pursuant to which aspects of the matter raised in TFO's Complaint to Council, as set out in correspondence dated July 10th, 2015, will be resolved through binding arbitration. In simple terms, those matters that relate to contractual or factual disputes or interpretations will be arbitrated. TFC decisions identified in the TFO Complaint that, for example, pertain to legal or jurisdictional issues, such as requiring prior approval of Council under the Proclamation, will not be subjected to arbitration.

Pursuant to the agreement reached by TFO and TFC, TFO is therefore withdrawing its Complaint at this time. However, the parties have specifically identified that certain aspects of TFC's decision made on June 11th, 2015, require subsequent approval from Council and which may therefore form the basis for TFO or another stakeholder to advance a fresh Complaint. In that regard, the Arbitration Agreement made between TFO and TFC provides as follows:

"TFO and TFC submit to arbitration the Promotion Agreement contract issues set out on the attached Arbitration Schedule, without prejudice to TFO's right to challenge TFC's additional future decisions to amend the Quota Regulation or amend the National Commercial Allocation Policy by way of Complaint to the Farm Products Council of Canada ("FPCC") under section 7(1)(f) of the Farm Products Agencies Act."

Accordingly, TFO's Complaint is hereby withdrawn on the foregoing basis.

Thank you for your assistance herein and your patience in respect of how the matter has proceeded to date.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if any clarification is required.

Yours very truly,

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c.c. John O'Kane - Counsel for Turkey Farmers of Canada Turkey Farmers of Ontario - Attention: Janet Schlitt