



# Flock Placement Incentive Policy

## **INTRODUCTION:**

The objective of the Flock Placement Incentive Policy is to even out placements during periods 1, 2 & 7 in order to stabilize the industry.

### *Preferred [Lower] Placement Periods*

Period 1 ~ [January] Weeks 1 - 4

Period 2 ~ [February] Weeks 5 - 8

Period 7 ~ [July] Weeks 27 - 30

## **TERM:**

The Flock Placement Incentive program will be reviewed and determined by EFO on an annual basis.

## **CRITERION:**

1. Any producer who is in good standing may apply to the Board for this program. To be in good standing a producer must be in conformity with all EFO Regulations, Policies, Orders and Directions, and have filed all necessary reports with the Board Office, and be up-to-date in payment of all licence fees, levies and any other amounts owing to EFO.
2. Producers who are grandfathered have preference (grandfathered producers are those, who as of October 1, 2004 placed in periods 1, 2, and 7 and producers that were on the program in the year previous);
3. Producers moving from the highest placement periods, as determined periodically by EFO's staff;
4. Producers agreeing to move into Periods 1, 2, and 7, with the specific week being determined by EFO's staff.

Egg Farmers of Ontario reserves the right to determine which week of the low periods, if any, a producer would be allotted, for the placement of birds.

## **APPLICATION:**

1. Existing Producers who [currently] change / place flocks in either period 1 [January]; period 2 [February]; or, period 7 [July]
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2. Producers willing to change / move their flock placement periods to either period 1 [January]; period 2 [February]; or, period 7 [July]

may apply, under an 'Application for Flock Placement Incentive Program' [attached form]. All producers must submit an 'Application for Flock Placement Incentive Program' on an annual basis.

If the program is over subscribed, EFO's staff has the right to determine which applications are accepted for the program.

Should the Flock Placement Incentive Program become over subscribed, existing producers historically placing in the lower placement periods 1, 2, 7 will be honoured. EFO shall determine, from time to time, the maximum number of birds per week that will qualify for the program.



## FLOCK PLACEMENT INCENTIVE POLICY CONTINUED

### Application Deadlines

- Period 1 ~ March 31 of the previous year
- Period 2 ~ March 31 of the previous year
- Period 7 ~ October 31 of the previous year

### INCENTIVE:

Producers, subject to Application approval [as above], will be entitled to place an additional two [2%] percent for periods 1 & 2 and one [1%] percent for period 7 [July] in the \*applicable barn[s] (\*moved to or remaining in) housing flocks in periods 1, 2, or 7.

## Application for Flock Placement Incentive Program

NAME:			
ADDRESS:			
PHONE NO:	QUOTA #	P.Q.	
HATCHERY/CONTRACTOR:			
PULLET GROWER:			
NO. OF BIRDS TO BE PLACED:			
HATCH DATE:			
USUAL PLACEMENT DATE: (19 week old date)			
DISPOSAL DATE OF PRESENT FLOCK:			
PROPOSED PLACEMENT DATE:	Period 1 –	Period 2 –	
SIGNATURE OF PRODUCER:			
DATE:			
<b>OFFICE USE:</b>	Period 1 - No. of Birds	Period 2 – No. of Birds	
<b>NOTE:</b> If program is over subscribed, EFO has the right to determine which applications are accepted for the program.			