

Ontario Egg Financial Protection Plan Inc. ['Plan']

- 1. The Plan is for the benefit of qualified Ontario egg farmers who have not been paid for eggs by a registered egg grading station ['grading station'].
- To make a claim, an egg farmer must be a quota holder or have been exempted from quota requirements by Egg Farmers of Ontario ['EFO'].
- 3. Only sales of eggs to a grading station, the assets of which have been placed in the hands of a trustee for distribution under the Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act [Canada] or the Bulk Sales Act or in the hands of a receiver, are covered.
- 4. Producer graders who grade their own eggs are not eligible.
- 5. A claim must be made to the Plan within 30 days of the bankruptcy, bulk sale, default or receivership of the grading station to which eggs have been delivered.
- 6. A claim must be in the form as attached hereto as Schedule 'A' or a reasonable facsimile thereof and filed with the Plan at its office by the deadline specified above.
- 7. A separate application must be made in respect of each grading station against which an egg farmer has a claim.
- 8. Upon receipt of a claim, the Plan will notify the grading station and EFO.
- 9. Where the Plan determines that a claim is not valid, it will refuse payment of the claim and notify the egg farmer, the grading station and EFO.
- 10. Where the Plan determines that a claim is valid it will make payment to the egg farmer and notify the grading station and EFO.
- 11. The Plan has the discretion to refuse a claim for reasons such as:
 - [i] where a cheque received from the grading station is dishonored by non-acceptance or non-payment unless it has been presented for payment within 15 days of the date on which the cheque was received;
 - [ii] where the egg farmer has made an arrangement with the grading station to extend the time on which payment is due;
 - [iii] where the egg farmer fails to apply within 30 days of the bankruptcy or receivership of the grading station;
 - [iv] where the claim is incomplete or improper; or
 - [v] where the relationship between the egg farmer and the grading station or the conduct of the egg farmer in dealing with the grading station raises doubts as to the legitimacy of the claim.
- 12. The maximum payment on any application cannot exceed the payment due for eggs for a period of 14 consecutive days prior to the day on which the whole or any part of the grading stations assets has been placed in the hands of a trustee for distribution under the Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act [Canada] or the Bulk Sales Act or in the hands of a receiver.
- 13. The Plan may also refuse to pay a claim or may prorate payment of a claim among producers where there are insufficient monies in the Plan to satisfy the claims in full.
- 14. Where an egg farmer who has made a claim owes licence fees, levies or other monies to EFO, the Plan may deduct same from any payment to the egg farmer and remit same to EFO.

Effective Date: June 4, 2009

For additional information please contact: Ontario Egg Financial Protection Plan Inc. 7195 Millcreek Drive, Mississauga, Ontario, L5N 4H1



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Claim Form Schedule 'A' referred to herein

The	e undersigned egg farmer	hereby makes a clai	m for payment for eg	gs due to the un	dersigned fro	m	
	_	Name of r	egistered egg grading	g station			
As [·]	– follows:	Address of	registered egg gradir	ng station			
1.	Egg farmer name:						
	Egg farmer address:						
	Quota #:						
	Non-Quota #:		$-\Lambda X$				
2.	Date assets of registered		n placed in the hands	of a trustee or r	eceiver:		
3.	Details of egg sales to the specified in #2:	e registered egg gr	ading station for the 1	14 consecutive d	ay period prio	or to the date	
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4.	Total amount claimed: \$_		_		_		
5.	Proof of non-payment [a	ttach n.s.f. cheque	etc. if available]				
6.	Amount of any licence fe		monies owing by the ເ	undersigned egg	; farmer to EF	O or Egg Farmers	
DA	TED at	this	day of	20	·		
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