

**AMENDING ORDER #010
TO THE
CONSOLIDATED ORDER OF NOVEMBER 1, 2017**

**MADE BY
THE BRITISH COLUMBIA EGG MARKETING BOARD
ON July 11, 2019**

The British Columbia Egg Marketing Board orders as follows:

1. Section 2 of Part VII of the Consolidated Order of November 1, 2017 is repealed and replaced with the following:

2. Temporary Allotment Pool A Program

- (1) Layer Quota may be Temporarily Allotted from the Board to New Entrants from commencement of production to a maximum of five years.
- (2) Allotments will be issued at a one to one ratio to a maximum of 1,000 allotted hens based on current quota holdings. Any hens received in growth allocations will be deducted from the maximum 1,000 leased hens.
- (3) The allotment amount may be decreased on a month to month basis, however it may not be increased from the initial value, unless additional quota has been purchased and placed. The five year termination date will remain the same.
- (4) Eligibility Requirements:
 - (a) a producer must not have sold or transferred quota since beginning production. Any sale or transfer of quota will result in disqualification from Pool A. Any purchase of quota by the producer will not affect their lease amount, unless requested by the producer;
 - (b) the hens must be placed and remain in production in order to receive the allotment, except during regular downtime. Temporarily Allotted quotas will be eligible for quota credits for the duration of the producer's regular downtime;
 - (c) a producer may not lease quota out to another producer while participating in the program;
 - (d) the opportunity for the Temporary Allotment Pool A will only be provided once per person/entity. In order to be considered a new

producer or regular new entrant under this program, all shareholders involved must be first time layer quota holders in BC;

- (e) the producer must be in good standing with the BCEMB Consolidated Orders. Failure to remain in good standing while participating in the Temporary Allotment Program will result in removal from the program. Compliance includes:
 - (i) maintain a minimum score of 95% on their Start Clean Stay Clean audit with no outstanding Critical Control Elements. Any CARs outstanding must be completed by the PLO/auditor's prescribed due date;
 - (ii) maintain a minimum score of 90% on an Animal Care Program audit with no outstanding Critical Control Elements. Any CARs outstanding must be completed by the PLO/auditor's prescribed due date;
 - (iii) obtain a pass on your BC Biosecurity Program audit with no outstanding Critical Control Elements. Any CARs outstanding must be completed by the PLO/auditor's prescribed due date;
 - (iii) have your current flocks Chick Placement Permits (CPP) submitted with an additional two years of CPPs for active barns;
 - (v) no outstanding levies and charges;
 - (vi) all CSV files received by Producer/Vendors on or before their due date;
 - (vii) a producer must maintain SE and AI Insurance through CEIRA or other insurance agency. Proof, in a form satisfactory to the Board, of alternate insurance must be provided prior to allotment.
- (5) The fee for any quota provided by the Board for the Temporary Allotment Pool A will be \$1 per month per hen, plus the applicable weekly levy.
- (6) To apply for the Temporary Allotment Pool A an application form, obtainable from the Board, must be duly completed by the applicant along with the following:
 - (a) sign off by the grading station;
 - (b) a detailed plan illustrating how the producer will sustain the production at the end of the five years;

- (c) applicants wishing to be producer-vendors or producer-graders will be required to provide a detailed plan on how they will process and market the additional production.

2. Section 3 of Part VII of the Consolidated Order of November 1, 2017 is repealed and replaced with the following:

3. Temporary Allotment Pool B Program

- (1) In the event that quota is being held in the reserve and will not be used for a minimum of 12 months, the quota will be made available for temporary allotment to all registered producers with the exception of those who are eligible for Pool A;
- (2) Hens will be allotted at a one to one ratio to a maximum of 1,000 allotted hens based on current quota holdings.
- (3) Eligibility Criteria:
 - (a) a producer must receive grading station sign off for the increase in production;
 - (i) if the applicant is a producer-vendor or producer-grader, a business plan must be submitted that outlines how the product will be marketed and sold.
 - (b) the hens must be placed and remain in production in order to receive the allotment, except during regular downtime. Temporary Allotment quotas will be eligible for quota credits for the duration of the producer's regular downtime;
 - (c) any sale or transfer out of quota will result in removal from the program.
 - (d) a producer may not lease quota out to another producer while participating in the program;
 - (e) the producer must be in good standing with the BCEMB Consolidated Orders. Failure to remain in good standing while participating in the Temporary Allotment Program will result in removal from the program. Compliance includes:
 - (i) maintain a minimum score of 95% on their Start Clean Stay Clean audit with no outstanding Critical Control Elements. Any CARs outstanding must be completed by the PLO/auditor's prescribed due date;

- (ii) maintain a minimum score of 90% on an Animal Care Program audit with no outstanding Critical Control Elements. Any CARs outstanding must be completed by the PLO/auditor's prescribed due date;
 - (iii) obtain a pass on your BC Biosecurity Program audit with no outstanding Critical Control Elements. Any CARs outstanding must be completed by the PLO/auditor's prescribed due date;
 - (iv) have your current flocks Chick Placement Permits (CPP) submitted with an additional two years of CPPs for active barns;
 - (v) no outstanding levies and charges;
 - (vi) all CSV files received by Producer/Vendors on or before their due date;
 - (vii) a producer must maintain SE and AI Insurance through CEIRA or other insurance agency. Proof, in a form satisfactory to the Board, of alternate insurance must be provided prior to allotment.
- (4) The Pool B program will run annually, on the first Wednesday in July after the Quota Exchange, with the available reserve quota using the following process:
- (a) qualifying producers will be given 28 days to apply for the Temporary Allotment;
 - (i) the producers will indicate on the application form, the minimum and maximum amounts that they are willing to receive as well as the duration, to a maximum of 12 months;
 - (ii) the application form will require grading station sign off.
 - a. applicants who are producer-vendors or producer-graders will be required to provide a detailed plan on how they will process and market the additional production.
 - (b) the allotment will be distributed equally to all applicants up to their maximum requested amount.
- (5) The fee for any quota provided by the Board for a Temporary Allotment Pool B will be \$1 per month per hen, plus the applicable weekly levy.

4. Section 4 of Part VII of the Consolidated Order of November 1, 2017 is repealed and replaced with the following:

(1) The Board may refuse to approve a Lease or Temporary Allotment where:

- (a) the Lessor or Lessee/Allotmentee is not in compliance with the Orders of the Board and all applicable legislation and regulations;
- (b) the Lessee/Allotmentee does not have an Egg Production Unit of adequate capacity.
- (c) the Lessee/Allotmentee does not have enough hens to cover their total allotment, including the Lease and/or Temporary Allotment.

5. This Order comes into effect July 14, 2019.

DATED at Abbotsford, British Columbia, on July 11, 2019

BRITISH COLUMBIA EGG MARKETING BOARD



Gunta Vitins, Chair