

July 9, 2014

Dave Taylor, Chair
Dairy Industry Development Council
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(Sent via email)

Re: BCMMB Powers and Duties Review

Dear Dave,

Thank you for your letter of June 9, 2014 regarding the BC Milk Marketing Board's (Board) Powers and Duties Review (Review).

The Board appreciated the input from the BC Dairy Association and had requested additional input in our email of May 29, 2014 in order to complete the Review by July 2014. As stated during the consultation, the Board values the role and working relationship with the BC Dairy Association.

Although the Board did not receive the additional input requested, the Review recommends the need for further discussions with DIDC, BCDA and the Ministry which is consistent with your request.

As noted in the report, the operating environment for the Board has broadened and become more complex. While future additional duties are not totally clear, the NPMA provides broad and enabling legislation for the emerging challenges to be addressed in the Board's role as a regulatory authority.

Please find attached the Review report to BCFIRB. This report and letters will be posted on our website as soon as possible.

Yours truly,



Bob Ingratta
CEO