

**PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA**  
**ORDER OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL**

Order in Council No. 232

, Approved and Ordered

July 28, 2017

  
Lieutenant Governor

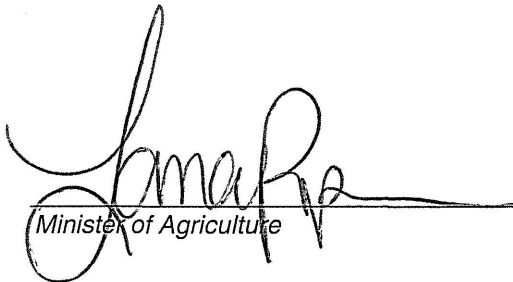
**Executive Council Chambers, Victoria**


On the recommendation of the undersigned, the Lieutenant Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, orders that approval is given to the attached resolution of the British Columbia Peace River Grain Industry Development Council to establish a levy, effective August 1, 2017 and additional to that established under Order in Council 363/2004, of

(a) \$0.48 per tonne of wheat, and

(b) \$0.56 per tonne of barley,

payable by first receivers in accordance with section 2 (4) of the Grain Industry Development Fund Regulation, B.C. Reg. 236/90.

  
Minister of Agriculture

  
Presiding Member of the Executive Council

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*(This part is for administrative purposes only and is not part of the Order.)*

**Authority under which Order is made:**

Act and section: Farming and Fishing Industries Development Act, R.S.B.C. 1996, c. 134, s. 4

Other: OIC 363/2004



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February 21, 2017

Geoff Coombs  
Legislation Assistant  
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Dear Mr. Coombs,

**RE: Resolution of the BC Peace River Grain Industry Development Council, approved on June 11, 2014**

Whereas the Government of Canada passed the Marketing Freedom for Grain Farmers Act in 2012, which assigned the administration of the Western Wheat and Barley check-off to the Alberta Barley Commission in the interim to allow western provinces to determine how the Western Wheat and Barley levy would be administered in each province;

And Whereas the grain producers in the BC Peace River have signified their support for the Western Wheat and Barley check-off to be administered in BC by the BC Peace River Grain Industry Development Council;

Therefore Be It Resolved that the BC Peace River Grain Industry Development Council requests that the BC Ministry of Agriculture take action to replace the current Grain and Forage Seed levy with the following:

BC Grain, Oilseed, Pulse and Forage Seed Levies

1. the amount of the levy, except for forage and turf seeds, is 1/3 of 1% of the gross amount payable by the first receiver;
2. the levy for forage and turf seeds is 0.75% of the gross amount payable by the first receiver;
3. Wheat an additional \$0.48 per tonne delivered to the first receiver;
4. Barley an additional \$0.56 per tonne delivered to the first receiver.

Moved by: Willy Rath, Seconded by: Martin Odermatt.

Respectfully,

Barry Follensbee, BCPRGIDC Chair

CC: Geneve Jasper  
Lori Vickers

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