Other information

Deliveries to purchase pedigreed wheat, durum or barley seed

The CWB values high quality grain and has a special delivery provision to help producers offset the costs of purchasing pedigreed wheat, durum and barley seed. The provision does not apply to the purchase of non-Board pedigreed seed. The requirements for the provision are outlined below.

- 1. The amount of grain that can be delivered cannot exceed the cost of the seed (including freight).
- 2. The grain must be delivered and sold in the same crop year that the seed was purchased.

Since new producers would not have grain to deliver from the previous year, they can contact the CWB, at 1-800-275-4292 to request authorization to deliver in the new crop year.

- 3. The producer does not require a delivery contract to make deliveries of wheat, durum and barley to offset the purchase of pedigreed wheat, durum and barley seed.
 - Record the deliveries on page 26 of the delivery permit book, titled *Deliveries to Purchase Pedigreed Wheat, Durum and Barley Seed*.
 - Use the Call Designation specifically for deliveries to purchase seed when reporting the deliveries. See page 44 for 2006-07 Contract codes and call designations.
 - Attach the producer's copy of the *Seed Purchase Declaration* to page 26 of the delivery permit book.
- 4. If the wheat, durum or barley was already offered under a CWB delivery contract, the producer can deliver the grain up to the acceptance levels, regardless of existing delivery calls.
 - Record the delivery on the *CWB contract program* pages in the delivery permit book.
 - Record the Seed Purchase Declaration number in the Comments box.
 - Use the most recent contract Call Designation for the grain and grade being delivered when reporting the deliveries.

If the acceptance level has not been established, the producer can cancel the delivery contract.

- 5. Deliveries of wheat, durum or barley can be used to purchase any wheat, durum or barley pedigreed seed. (e.g. a producer can deliver durum to purchase pedigreed barley seed.)
- 6. Cash advance repayments will not be deducted from deliveries to purchase seed.

Do not deduct cash advance refunds from deliveries to purchase pedigreed seed.

Calculating how much can be delivered

When determining the amount of grain that can be delivered to purchase pedigreed seed, the net value of the grain delivery **cannot** exceed the cost of the seed purchased including freight.

Formula:

Cost of Seed ÷ Net Initial Payment of = Maximum tonnes eligible the grain delivered for delivery

Example:

A producer has purchased \$7,000 of pedigreed wheat, durum or barley seed. The initial payment less freight, handling and elevation of the grain the producer delivers is \$140.

Deliverable amount based on cost of seed:

a)	The cost of the seed being purchased	\$ 7,000	
b)	Initial payment for the grain being delivered, less freight and elevation (and any other charges or levies prescribed by law)	\$	140 per tonne
c)	Divide a) by b) to arrive at the maximum deliverable amount based on the cost of the seed in tonnes		50 tonnes

Delivery of screenings for wheat, durum and barley

Grain delivered to the elevator for custom cleaning or drying must be removed within two working days. Record the delivery and return of the grain on page 27 in the delivery permit book.

When the grain has been cleaned, producers can deliver, without a CWB delivery contract, up to 10 per cent of the gross weight of the grain before cleaning. If the screenings constitute more than 10 per cent of the gross weight of the grain, contact your local Farm Business Representative.

Deliveries are not subject to acceptance levels or delivery calls.

Instructions:

- Use the appropriate call designation to identify the screenings.
- Record the delivery on page 27 in the delivery permit book and print the word **screenings** in the comments column.
- Attach the producer's receipt showing the gross weight of the grain cleaned on page 27 in the delivery permit book.

Organic grain

Delivering organic grain to an agent of the CWB

When producers deliver to an agent of the CWB dealing in organic grain, the company will complete a CWB delivery contract on the producer's behalf at the time of delivery.

Selling organic grain to non-agents of the CWB

Producers can also sell their organic grain through a broker or directly to an end user/processor. To sell to the broker or processor and obtain an export or inter-provincial licence, the producer must complete an organic *Producer Direct Sales* (PDS) transaction, which can be arranged by calling the CWB directly. When conducting a PDS with the CWB, the producer will complete a *Producer Direct Sales Contract* that will automatically generate a delivery contract.

PDS price quotes are available by calling 1-800-275-4292 and ask for extension 3-1162.

Sales of organic grain can be made at any time during the crop year without regard to CWB contract calls.

Delivering organic grain as conventional grain

Producers who wish to deliver their organic grain as conventional grain, should sign delivery contracts prior to the contract series deadline dates.

If producers choose to hold over the grain to the next crop year, they should contact their Farm Business Representative to cancel the contract by July 31, 2007.

Donating grain to charitable organizations

Producers may donate any quantity and grade of wheat, durum or barley to charitable organizations, without regard to CWB delivery calls.

Charitable organizations must be registered with the Canada Revenue Agency and must apply to the CWB for authorization to have grain donated for their project. In addition, they must arrange with grain companies for acceptance of grain donations at the company's elevators.

Criteria for grain delivered for donation purposes:

- must be in storable condition
- is subject to elevator space availability
- is exempt from CWB delivery authorizations
- requires permit book entries
- is not subject to deductions for advance payments
- is not included in the CWB pool accounts and is therefore not eligible for any future CWB adjustment, interim or final payments

Growing Projects – grain donations to the Canadian Foodgrains Bank

Growing Projects, consisting of several producers in a community, are established to assist the Canadian Foodgrains Bank (CFGB). These projects may donate any quantity of wheat, durum and barley to the CFGB.

Deliveries by the growing project to country elevators are made without regard to CWB delivery authorizations.

Usually, all expenses for producing the grain are donated. Growing Projects may deliver to the account of the CWB if there are expenses that are not covered by donations – call the CWB at 1-800-275-4292 for more information.

Producer cars

The *Canada Grain Act* provides for producers to have access to rail cars for individual loading and shipping.

The CWB administers producer cars. Producers who wish to use a CWB-administered producer car can contact the CWB at 1-800-275-4292 or their local Farm Business Representative. Forms and details are also available on the CWB Web site at www.cwb.ca.

Gristing - personal use or donations

Producers can mill 1.360 tonnes (approx. 50 bushels) of wheat at a grist mill for family use or as a donation to a recognized food bank.

The mill operator will record the delivery on page 28 of the delivery permit book.

In the case of a multi-member farming unit, each participant can deliver up to the maximum of 1.360 tonnes. The actual producer must complete the *Multi-Member Farm Declaration* on page 28 of the delivery permit book.

Producers do not need a delivery contract or a delivery call and do not receive cash tickets.