

# CANADIAN AGRICULTURAL INCOME STABILIZATION (CAIS) PROGRAM

## Opt Out Request Form

To authorize the closure of your CAIS account, complete the following form and fax it to the CAIS Administration at 204-983-3947 or mail it to:

**CAIS Program**  
**P.O. Box 3200 Station Main**  
**Winnipeg, MB R3C 5R7**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ PIN: \_\_\_\_\_

Corporation Name (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

By submitting your request to opt out of the CAIS program effective for the 200 \_\_ program year, you understand that:

- You will not be eligible for benefits in the year specified above.
- As a condition of this opt out, any initial monies received for the program year specified above (including but not limited to an Advance or Interim payment) must be refunded to CAIS.
- If you submitted an application for the program year specified above and it has already been processed, then the year in which you opt out will be the following program year.
- Opting out of the CAIS program results in a mandatory two-year penalty. This means you will not be eligible to participate in CAIS for a total of three consecutive program years (the year during which you opt out, plus the following two program years).
- Opting out of the CAIS program may eliminate your eligibility for other program payments that are based on participation in CAIS.
- An administrative cost share (ACS) of \$55.00 is charged to all accounts once a protection level for the program year is selected. The ACS will not be refunded if an opt out is initiated after that time.

Signature(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### Please let us know the reason for opting out and/or your comments (optional)

- Retirement     Bankruptcy     Ineligible     Dissatisfaction     Death     Dissolution of Entity
- Other (please specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Comments \_\_\_\_\_

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**Confidential Information:** By submitting this form, I consent to the use of the information contained on this form by officials from Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada and the provincial department responsible for agriculture for the purposes of administering my participation in the CAIS program, as well as for the purposes of audit of benefits under other farm income programs, analysis, evaluation, program development.

For questions on the CAIS program, please call toll-free at **1-866-367-8506**  
or visit the CAIS web site at **[www.agr.gc.ca/caisprogram](http://www.agr.gc.ca/caisprogram)**.