

# LICENCE TO PURCHASE UNGRADED EGGS APPLICATION

## PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE GRADING ACT

### Shell Egg Grading Regulation – BC Reg. 105/78

The undersigned hereby applies for a Licence to Purchase Ungraded Eggs under the Agricultural Produce Grading Act.

1. Name of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_  
(business name) (block letters)

2. Business Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(licensed location)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

3. The total value of ungraded eggs purchased by the applicant from producers in the Province of British Columbia during the two calendar years immediately previous to the date of this application.

20 \_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

4. The security for payment of money payable to a producer for ungraded eggs purchased by or through the applicant, in accordance with the Security Bonding Act is as follows:

Bond No. \_\_\_\_\_ in the sum of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Company issuing bond \_\_\_\_\_

Date of bond in effect from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

*A copy of the verification of bonding renewal must be attached to this application.*

5. The licence fee of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is attached to this application.

Print name of authorized contact person \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone number ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Fax number ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of authorized person \_\_\_\_\_

Position of authorized person \_\_\_\_\_

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

Mail this application to: **Livestock Health Management and Regulatory Unit, BC  
Ministry of Agriculture & Lands 1767 Angus Campbell Road, Abbotsford BC V3G 2M3**

Cheque or money order payable to: **Minister of Finance.**

**CONDITIONS OF LICENCE**

1. The term of the Licence to Purchase Ungraded Eggs is from the date of issue to December 31<sup>st</sup> of that year.
2. Before a licence can be issued, the applicant must furnish security in the amount required in the form of a bond.

**Security for Payment**

1. An applicant for a Licence to Purchase Ungraded Eggs shall furnish, and a holder of a Licence to Purchase Ungraded Egg shall maintain, security in the form of a bond of a surety licensed under the Insurance Act, for the payment of money payable to a producer for ungraded eggs purchased by or through the holder of a licence, in the following amounts:
  - a) for an annual purchase of \$100 to \$30,000, a bond of \$3,000
  - b) for an annual purchase of more than \$30,000 to 60,0000, a bond of \$6,000
  - c) for an annual purchase of more than \$60,000 to 100,000, a bond of \$10,000
  - d) for an annual purchase of more than \$100,000, a bond of \$20,000

**Licensing**

1. An application for a licence or renewal of a Licence to Purchase Ungraded Eggs shall be accompanied by:
  - a. the fee provide in the schedule and
  - b. a bond referred to in section 1 (a through d)
2. An application for renewal of a licence shall be made by November 30.
3. The term of the licence is from January 1 or the date of issuance, as the case may be, to December 31.

**Branch Licences**

No licence holder shall operate at more than one location unless he is the holder of a valid and subsisting licence for each branch premises.

**Schedule of Licence Fees**

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|---|-------|-----------------|
| 1. Licence to Purchase Ungraded Eggs or renewal     | ....  | <b>\$ 45.00</b> |
| 2. Amendment, transfer, or reinstatement of licence | ..... | <b>\$ 23.00</b> |



## **BONDING REQUIREMENTS FOR LICENCE TO PURCHASE UNGRADED EGGS**

Applicants for a Licence to Purchase Ungraded Eggs must furnish security in the form of a bond of security licensed under the Insurance Act. Letters of credit will not be accepted.

The beneficiary of the security bond should be the Minister of Finance and the bond should be sent to:

Livestock Health Management and Regulatory Unit  
B.C. Ministry of Agriculture and Lands  
1767 Angus Campbell Road  
Abbotsford, B.C.  
V3G 2M3

If the bond is on-going, a copy of confirmation of renewal from the bonding company must be sent to the Livestock Health Management & Regulatory Unit showing the bond expiry dates. This can be arranged through your bonding company.

A valid security bond must be in place to receive a licence.