



# Oregon

ThaoLoan B. Kulongoski, Governor



## **Established Price for Tournament® Quality Perennial Ryegrass Produced by Grower Members of the Perennial Ryegrass Bargaining Association under Production Service Agreements with Dealers for the 2006 Crop Year Production**

The Perennial Ryegrass Bargaining Council, consisting of representatives of the Perennial Ryegrass Bargaining Association (PRBA) Board on behalf of its grower members, and more than 20 grass seed dealers representing the majority of seed production contracts with PRBA members, met on September 21, 2006, under the active supervision of the Oregon Department of Agriculture as authorized by HB 3811 (approved by the 2001 Oregon Legislature).

Based on consideration of data related to production acreage, yields, market factors, imports and exports, seed movement, historical trends, inventory carryover, and all other information presented regarding Tournament® Quality seed, the Perennial Ryegrass Bargaining Council arrived at a recommended price for 75% of the 2006 crop year production.

Having reviewed all information provided by parties to the Bargaining Council and in consideration of the negotiations of the Council, as required by state law, I hereby certify the price for 75% of Tournament® Quality perennial ryegrass seed for the 2006 crop year as follows:

- ❖ \$70/cwt for Tournament® Quality seed produced on fields complying with State of Oregon seed certification requirements; and, \$69/cwt for Tournament® Quality seed produced on fields not eligible to produce certified seed.

The price for 75% of the 2006 production becomes effective upon the date of this signed pricing order. The parties may engage in sales that reflect this pricing agreement.

Final pricing of the remaining 25% of the 2006 crop will be in November 2006 at the next meeting of the Bargaining Council.

  
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Katy Coba, Director

October 6, 2006  
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