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**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**



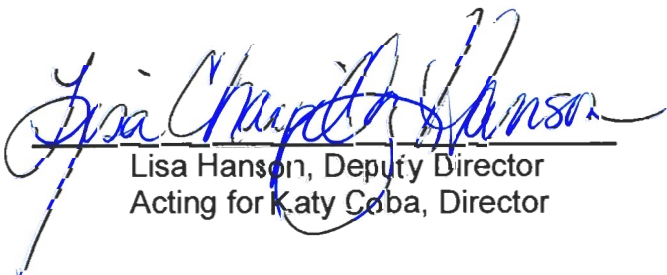
The Perennial Ryegrass Bargaining Council, consisting of representatives of the Perennial Ryegrass Bargaining Association (PRBA) Board on behalf of its grower members, and more than 20 grass seed dealers representing the majority of seed production contracts with PRBA members, met on June 7, 2006, under the active supervision of the Oregon Department of Agriculture as authorized by HB 3811 (approved by the 2001 Oregon Legislature).

Based on consideration of production and 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 50% 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 overall price 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 50% 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. The price negotiated and established for the 2006 crop year is a fixed price by concurrence of the parties and certified by this order. The final 50 percent of the crop pricing will be negotiated during August 2006.



Lisa Hanson, Deputy Director
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June 28, 2006,

Date

