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Subject: INDUSTRY-WIDE DISPENSATION: EXPORT EXTRA CLASS, CLASS 1 AND CLASS 2 CAPE ROSE PEARS USING COLOUR CHART P16 PHOTO NO.10 TO 12 TO ALL MARKETS [ALL PRODUCERS AND EXPORTERS OF PEARS]

The above caption bears reference.

Permission is hereby granted by the Executive Officer: Agricultural Product Standards in terms of section 4 (4) of the Agricultural Product Standards Act, 1990 (Act No.119 of 1990), to All Producers and Exporters of Pears, to export from all pears production areas to all markets, Extra Class, Class 1 and Class 2, Cape Rose pears using colour chart P16 Photo No.10 to 12 instead of P16 Photo No. 1-9 and with red blush tolerance similar to Vermont Beauty.

This permission is subject to the following conditions:

- (a) All other conditions of the relevant export regulations and standards & requirements shall be complied with.
- (b) It may be withdrawn at any time should a valid complaint be received.
- (c) All Exporters and Producers of Pears indemnify this Directorate and the Department from any detrimental effect, financially or otherwise, which may emanate as a result of this permission.
- (d) Termination date: Until the pears export standards and requirements is reviewed

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