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To: CanadaGAP Stakeholders

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Subject: CanadaGAP is pleased to announce a new Certification Body: Perry Johnson Registrars Food Safety, Inc.

The CanadaGAP® Program is pleased to announce the addition of a new Certification Body, **Perry Johnson Registrars Food Safety, Inc. (PJRFSI)**.



**Perry Johnson Registrars
Food Safety, Inc.**

Terry Boboige, President, “Expanding our certification services to include CanadaGAP is an important step in supporting agricultural producers with credible, value-driven food safety certification. We look forward to helping organizations demonstrate their commitment to safe, sustainable production.”

Third-party Certification Bodies are licensed by CanadaGAP to provide audit and certification services for fresh fruit and vegetable operations who are enrolled in the program. Program participants must comply with food safety standards outlined by CanadaGAP and undergo and successfully complete on-site audits by their selected Certification Body to obtain and maintain CanadaGAP certification.

Perry Johnson Registrars Food Safety, Inc. has a demonstrated history of providing value-added food safety certifications to clients, with a track record of rigour and consistency throughout the certification audit process. They also have previous experience with the CanadaGAP Program, having offered audit and certification services from 2020 to 2023. “Our goal is to make the certification process both valuable and straightforward for our clients. Offering CanadaGAP allows us to better serve producers with a recognized program that supports food safety, regulatory compliance, and market access”, said Lauren Maloney, Food Safety Program Accreditation Manager, PJRFSI. For more information on PJRFSI, visit their website at <https://www.pjrfsi.com/>

Perry Johnson Registrars Food Safety, Inc. will be offering its CanadaGAP services in Canada and the United States. Please note that services will not be offered in Quebec by PJRFSI.

Perry Johnson Registrars Food Safety, Inc. (PJRFSI) joins five currently licensed Certification Bodies, Bureau de normalisation du Québec (BNQ), Control Union Services, Management Systems Verification Services Canada Inc. (MSVS), NSF Canada Agricultural Certification Company (NSF Canada Ag) and Kiwa ASI dba TSLC, in offering CanadaGAP audits and certification.

We encourage you to visit CanadaGAP’s CB webpage <https://www.canadagap.ca/certification/certification-bodies/pjrfsi> for updates as they become available.

Please contact the CanadaGAP office at info@canadagap.ca with any questions.

CanadaGAP® is a program developed in Canada to promote Good Agricultural Practices (GAPs) for fruit and vegetable suppliers.

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