

**ADVANCE PAYMENTS PROGRAM (APP)  
AMENDMENT TO THE 2022 PRE-PRODUCTION APPLICATION**

WHEREAS Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada announced a temporary policy change to the Advance Payments Program on April 6, 2022 to support farmers ahead of planting season;

WHEREAS the temporary waiving of the requirement for pre-production advances to be issued in two installments, 60 per cent upfront and 40 per cent after seeding is completed, has been changed to allow producers to receive 100 per cent of their 2022 pre-production advance immediately when they apply.

THEREFORE in respect of an advance made to the producer by the Administrator for the 2022 Program Year, and AAFC Regulations subsequently being amended, the parties hereby agree as follows:

- Effective April 7, 2022, eligible producers with sufficient security may receive 100 per cent of their 2022 advance immediately

**PRODUCER DECLARATION**

1. For the purposes of the above:
  - a. I authorize the Administrator to assign an account type (interest free or interest bearing) to specific commodities on the advance in order to maximize the interest free benefit.
  - b. I acknowledge that all repayment of advances shall be allocated first towards the balance of the interest free account before reducing the balance of the interest bearing account.
2. I agree to comply with all of the terms and conditions included in the original Application form and Repayment Agreement and this amending agreement.  
*Part 7. Section 2.4: Should the Final Production Insurance Report demonstrate that the acreage seeded is not sufficient to justify the outstanding advance to the producer, the Administrator shall, notify the producer that he or she has thirty (30) calendar days to repay the part of the outstanding amount of the advance that exceeds the reduced coverage amount by more than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) or ten percent (10%) or, if eligible, make application for an advance on another commodity and have the proceeds applied to the deficit, failing this, the producer will be declared in default.*
3. I acknowledge that this document is to be read together with, and forms part of, the Application and Repayment Agreement. All terms of the Application and Repayment Agreement and any subsequent amendments thereto, that have not been modified by this document remain in full force and effect.
4. I/we \_\_\_\_\_, request to receive 100 per cent of my 2022 pre-production cash advance.
5. I declare that the above information is true and accurate at the time of completion and agree to repay the Administrator any difference, where applicable

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Signature of the Producer

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date(YYYY-MM-DD)

**ADMINISTRATOR DECLARATION**

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Signature of the Administrator

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Date(YYYY-MM-DD)

Once signed by all parties, this amending agreement and the Application and Repayment Agreement are hereby ratified and confirmed.