

September 12, 2025

*sent by email*

DB Farms Ltd.  
c/o Daniel & Brittany Brousseau  
PO Box 853  
Elk Point AB T0A 1A0

Dear Daniel & Brittany:

**Re: Notice of Grandfathering Decision  
DB Farms Ltd.  
SE 20-60-9 W4M**

Please be advised that the NRCB has completed the grandfathering process for your operation. Enclosed you will find the NRCB's Grandfathering Determination Decision and Permit for DB Farms Ltd. The NRCB has determined that the facilities located on the SE 20-60-9 W4M existed as a confined feeding operation on January 1, 2002 with a deemed capacity of 2,000 beef feeders.

**Right to Request a Review of this Grandfathering Decision**

Under section 11(7) of the Administrative Procedures Regulation under AOPA, a directly affected party may request that the NRCB's board members (the "Board") review this decision. The Board has discretion whether to hold a review or not.

Similarly, under section 11(8) of the Regulation, if a party made a submission in response to notice of the deemed permit determination, and if the inspector determined they were not directly affected, that party may request a Board review of the directly affected party determination. That party may also request a review of the inspector's permit decision.

If you wish to request a review by the Board, section 13 of the *Administrative Procedures Regulation* under AOPA provides that your request must include:

- a) a clear and concise statement of the facts relevant to the request
- b) the grounds on which the request is made
- c) a brief description of the remedy sought
- d) your name, current address, telephone number, and e-mail address

***The request for Board review (RFR) must be received no later than 4:30 pm on the filing deadline of September 26, 2025.***

Standard forms for requesting a Board review are available on the NRCB [website](http://www.nrcb.ca) or by contacting Laura Friend, Manager of Board Reviews at 403-297-8269 or by email at [laura.friend@nrcb.ca](mailto:laura.friend@nrcb.ca). Laura Friend is also the contact for information regarding the Board's review process. A fact sheet on the Board's review process is enclosed with this letter and is also available on the NRCB [website](http://www.nrcb.ca).

Yours truly,

(Original signed)

Cathryn Thompson  
Inspector

Encl. Grandfathering Determination Decision Report  
Deemed Grandfathered Permit  
Request for Review Fact Sheet

Cc: Gary Buchanan, St. Paul County (*sent by email*)  
Kristy Poirier, MD of Bonnyville