## भारत सरकार कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्रालय कृषि, सहकारिता एवं किसान कल्याण विभाग कृषि भवन, नई दिल्ली-110001



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Dated: 29th September, 2016

Dear

Please refer to your letter dated 3<sup>rd</sup> August, 2016 regarding extension of the interim arrangement of fumigation of peas and pulses imported into India from Canada.

2. I am happy to inform you that Government of India has extended the interim arrangement and permit quarantine clearances of consignments of chickpeas, peas and pulses, shipped from Canada, that are duly covered by Phytosanitary Certificates issued by Canadian authorities on the basis of fumigation by Methyl Bromide at the port of arrival in India upto 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2017.

Yours sincerely,

(Anita Puri)

Ms. Darlene Blair, Chief Plant Health Officer, Director, Plant Protection Division, Plant Health and Biosecurity Directorate, 59 Camelot Drive, Ottawa, Ontario K I A 0Y9, Canada.

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## Copy to:

- 1. Mr. Nitin Verma, Counsellor Agriculture & CFIA Technical Specialist, Canadian Food Inspection Agency, Tele: +91-11-41782896, Email: nitin.verma@international.gc.ca with the request to deliver the aforesaid letter to Mr. Blair.
- 2. Dr. A.K. Sinha, Plant Protection Adviser, Directorate of PPQ&S with the request to convey the above decision to all Plant Quarantine Stations for compliance.

(Anita Puri) Director

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