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TO: All owners and operators of agricultural work sites in Hastings and Prince Edward counties who:

- a. employ workers in any capacity;
- b. participate in a federal Temporary Foreign Worker program; and/or
- c. operate any model of worker seasonal housing accommodations.

Re: **Class Order Made pursuant to Section 22 (5.0.1) of the Health Protection and Promotion Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. H.7, as amended**

I, Dr. Ethan Toumishey, Acting Medical Officer of Health for Hastings Prince Edward Public Health, rescind my CLASS ORDER under section 22(5.0.1) of the Health Protection and Promotion Act, 1990, dated January 28, 2022 regarding COVID-19 requirements for Agricultural Workers in Congregate Living Settings, effective 12:01 a.m. on Friday, March 25, 2022.

We do recommend the following:

- ◆ Continue to contact Hastings Prince Edward Public Health if renovations are proposed within pre-existing and approved living accommodations that impact floor space, number of faucets, toilets, showers, and/or bathtubs;
- ◆ Provide access to handwashing stations and have alcohol-based hand sanitizers available at prominent locations in the workplace;
- ◆ Ensure temporary foreign workers are supported to register and receive COVID-19 vaccine booster shots if available; and
- ◆ Ensure temporary foreign workers have access to factual, reputable vaccine information in their preferred language.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Ethan Toumishey".

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