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Mr. Don Oszli, Chair
Mr. Ken Kobly, President and CEO
Alberta Chambers of Commerce
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Dear Mr. Oszli and Mr. Kobly:

Thank you for your recent letter regarding Alberta Chambers of Commerce agriculture policies. I appreciate your interest in Alberta's agriculture industry.

Although my schedule does not permit an opportunity to discuss your policies in the near future, I encourage you to contact my office to coordinate a date that would work. I was pleased to have the opportunity to review the material you forwarded. Your policies highlight issues that I agree are very important to the agriculture industry, and I am encouraged that your organization has taken an active interest in these areas.

Thank you again for taking the time to write.

Sincerely,

Jack Hayden
Minister

cc: Colin Jeffares, Assistant Deputy Minister, Policy and Environment
Jason Krips, Assistant Deputy Minister, Industry Development and Food Safety