

FOR THE STATE OF NEW SOUTH WALES

Dear NSW Rice Grower,

## Sale of 2025 Rice Harvest and RMB Finalisation Process

The Rice Marketing Board for the State of New South Wales (the RMB) is transitioning to the end of vesting by 1 July 2026. Throughout this transition phase the RMB will continue its day-to-day reporting, engagement and compliance on any vested rice grown in northern NSW before 1 September 2024 and in southern NSW before 1 July 2025. In this regard, it will continue to administer the Rice Marketing Act 1983, the Rice Marketing Amendment Act 2024 and the Sole Exclusive Export Licence (SEEL) until it ceases operation.

As part of the RMB compliance monitoring we would like to remind rice growers in Southern NSW that they are still required to sell their NSW rice crop to Authorised Buyers in this final year of vesting.

There are fourteen Authorised Buyers for rice grown in NSW. Their contact details are provided below and are also listed on our website at <a href="https://www.rmbnsw.org.au">www.rmbnsw.org.au</a>. Please note that this list is subject to change and you are advised to always check the website for updated information.

AUTHORISED BUYER	TELEPHONE
Australian Food and Agriculture Company Limited	03 9256 8700
Blue Fattoria Pty Ltd	0468 770 774
Frank Boyle	0405 321 295
Carmac Trading Pty Ltd (OzRice)	0412 414 394
Goulburn Enterprises Pty Ltd	03 9705 6830
Graincorp Limited	02 9325 9100
Honestly Riverina	0488 445 551
RG & WL Heffer	02 6955 9493
Natural Rice Co Pty Ltd	02 4722 2333
Organic Grains Pty Ltd	0429 622 027
Outback Grains Co Pty Ltd (Outback Harvest)	0427 542 678
PS & JM Randall	0428 225 480
Ricegrowers Limited (SunRice)	1800 654 557
Slater Farms	02 6663 3156

Should someone approach you to buy your rice, please confirm that they are an Authorised Buyer. The Rice Marketing Board does not guarantee the financial viability of the authorised buyers.

Separately, there has been enquiry from some stakeholders regarding the process steps for the finalisation of the RMB. The process required to ensure complete windup by July 1, 2026, have been mapped in detail and shared with the Department of Primary Industry and Regional Development (DPIRD). At a high level, the RMB activities underway and the tasks in its remaining tenure can be broken down into three activity areas. These are:

## 1. Business as Usual Compliance Activities

Ongoing crop auditing, export review, verification, issues management, compliance monitoring, communication and engagement.

## 2. Mandatory Statutory Reporting

Financial reporting, annual reporting, regulatory reporting, reporting to NSW rice growers and an annual general meeting.

## 3. Wind-down Tasks

Finalisation of payables and entitlements, closure of accounts, final reporting to government agencies, archiving, and payment of residual funds to a NSW Public Authority.

For further information contact Ms. Nyree Dunn, Board Secretary, 02 6953 3200 or email secretary@rmbnsw.org.au.

Kind regards

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