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Memorandum

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From: Bob Savage Director, Climate Change Secretariat Date:: January 25, 2013

Subject: Notice to Termination of the Quantification Protocol for Including Edible Oils in Cattle Feeding Regimes.

The Quantification Protocol for Including Edible Oils in Cattle Feeding Regimes has been removed from the Alberta Offset System as a stand-alone greenhouse gas quantification protocol.

Feeding edible oils is a mechanism for increasing weight gain in beef cattle in feedlots. This activity is being incorporated into the *Quantification Protocol for Reducing Days on Feed of Beef Cattle*.

The revised *Quantification Protocol for Reducing Days on Feed of Beef Cattle* protocol will undergo a Stakeholder Review (facilitated webinar) and 30-day comment period consistent with Alberta Environment and Sustainable Resource Development's stated protocol review process.

Please direct any questions to <u>AENV.GHG@gov.ab.ca</u>.

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