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Dear fellow rice growers,

## **RE: SunRice Grower Reference Group**

We are encouraged by the strong response received to our recent call for Expressions of Interest (EOI) to join SunRice's Grower Reference Group (GRG). The number and caliber of applications received was high and a shared passion for our company, industry and future was evident.

On Friday, the Grower Services Committee met to review the EOIs against the Selection Criteria and we are pleased to advise the following growers have been appointed to the inaugural GRG:

## **RGA** appointees:

- Rob Massina
- Denise Kelly
- Debbie Buller
- Chris Morsehead
- Scott Williams

## SunRice appointees:

- Kylie Brill
- Kristian Bonetti
- Julie Frankling
- Simone Hughes
- Roger Reynoldson
- Nathan Hehir
- Ian Blight

While we initially intended to appoint 10 growers, you will note the final committee comprises 12 members. On review of the applications, we considered that the GRG's composition would benefit from the expanded membership, especially during its establishment.

Our thanks to everyone who expressed their interest in joining the GRG and sharing their voice, particularly given the tight timeframes in place to allow our inaugural meeting to occur before harvest.

We strongly encourage those growers who were not selected this time to put themselves forward for future intakes and of course to continue engaging with both SunRice and the RGA in the months ahead through our established forums.

Thank you again and if you have any questions, you are welcome to contact each of us at any time.

Yours sincerely,

Laurie Arthur Chairman SunRice

Jeremy Morton **President** 

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