

QUARTERLY PROGRESS SUMMARY: April to June 2015

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Summary of progress during this quarter

Marketing Premium Venison

- Implementation of the Non-seasonal Sales Trial of Cervena in the Netherlands
- Agreement on required direction for brand development research in China
- Development of Brief for Appellation Development project
- Agreement on brief for research in China

Market Led Production

- Completion of the Clean Bill of Health awareness boost.
- Appointment of a Feeding Group Project Manager
- Agreement of Feeding Group Terms of Reference
- Development of Annual Plans for the Feeding, and Genetics Groups
- Meeting with Animal Health experts to develop the Animal Health project plan.
- Presentation of Clean Bill of Health Project and national red meat vet conference.

Programme Management

- Primary Growth Partnership Agreement signed 19 May 2015
- I Moffat assumes Programme Manager Role
- Professional project management assistance engaged to build programme plan
- Marketing Working Group operating under agreed Terms of Reference.
- P2P Advisory Group updated on new structures and reporting requirements.

Key highlights and achievements

Cervena to Europe

- Sales of Cervena Venison are in-line with customer's requirements
- Venison Marketing Group giving consideration to further expansion of the concept.

Clean Bill Of Health





• Awareness programme achieved aims of increasing awareness of health issues impacting on profitability and engaging with veterinarians

Collaboration with other PGP programmes

- Discussing using FarmIQ as a recording tool for selected deer farmers
- Attending RMPP meetings on single farm quality assurance scheme
- Briefing from RMPP on data collection and utilisation projects
- Briefing from RMPP on farmer segmentation survey and engagement strategies.
- Ongoing collaboration with RMPP, FarmIQ and Marbled Grass-Fed Beef through mutual partners.



Collaboration with other Government Agencies

- Discussions with NZTE on co-funding aspects of the marketing premium venison projects
- On-going funding of the development of Advance Parties by MPI's Sustainable Farming Fund.

Upcoming

- Appointment of brand development agency to undertake Appellation development project
- Appointment of market research firm to conduct initial Chinese market scoping exercise
- Assess impact of Cervena non-seasonal trial
- Marketing Working Group to decide upon next steps in non-seasonal markets
- Seek agreement in principle from all marketing companies on the Industry Agreed Standards for onfarm quality assurance programme.
- Convene Animal Health Group
- Agree Animal Health work programme
- Appoint an Animal Health Champion
- Agree terms of professional development project with NZVA
- Convene P2P Genetics group, and agree priorities for market-led genetic breeding values
- Issue first tranche of Deer Fact Sheets
- Progress development of customised data provision for individual producers

Investment

Investment period	Industry contribution	MPI contribution	Total investment
During this Quarter	\$103,645	\$103,645	\$207,029
Programme To Date	\$103,645	\$103,645	\$207,029