



MARKET ACCESS ADVICE

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This Market Access Advice (MAA) updates information provided in MAA2014-01.

The Department of Agriculture (the department) reminds all exporters that the 'educational period' introduced by the Republic of Korea in relation to trade in processed and semi-processed organic products concludes on 30 June 2014.

Pending finalisation of an equivalence arrangement between Australia and the Republic of Korea, any processed and semi-processed organic products exported to the Republic of Korea on or after 1 July 2014 must be in full compliance (under conformity assessment arrangement) with the organic import requirements formally introduced by the Republic of Korea on 1 January 2014.

Please direct any enquiries regarding this matter to the contacts listed above.

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