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TABLE VII

COMPARATIVE TRANSPORTATION COSTS FOR GRAINS AND MEAT FROM PRAIRIES TO EASTERN CANADA AND B.C.

FROM:	ITEM	WOODSTOCK, Ont.	GRANBY, Que.	ABBOTSFORD, B.C.
		-- dollars --		
	(PORK versus BARLEY)			
Winnipeg	One tonne of barley a/	37.47	42.36 f/ g/	
	465 lbs of pork b/	25.99 g/	30.55 i/	
	Advantage to Western pork	11.48	11.81	N/A
Saskatoon	One tonne of barley a/	39.23 e/ g/	44.41 f/ g/	45.14 g/d
	465 lbs of pork b/	34.22 i/	38.27 i/	22.79 h/
	Advantage to Western pork	5.01	6.14	22.35
Calgary	One tonne of barley a/	40.11 e/ g/	45.29 f/ g/	21.55 g/
	465 lbs of pork b/	39.57 i/	43.29 i/	18.69 h/
	Advantage to Western pork	.54	2.00	2.86
	(BEEF versus BARLEY)			
Winnipeg	One tonne of barley a/	37.47 e/ g/	42.36 f/ g/	
	315 lbs of beef c/	17.61 i/	20.70 i/	
	Advantage to Western beef	19.86	21.66	N/A
Saskatoon	One tonne of barley a/	39.23 e/ g/	44.41 f/ g/	45.14 g/d
	315 lbs of beef c/	23.18 i/	25.92 i/	15.44 h/
	Advantage to Western beef	16.05	18.49	29.70
Calgary	One tonne of barley a/	40.11 e/ g/	45.29 f/ g/	21.55 g/
	315 lbs of beef c/	26.81 i/	29.33 i/	12.66 h/
	Advantage to Western beef	13.30	15.96	8.89

a/ Barley transportation and handling costs are based on the least-cost route (rail or water) as of June 1, 1982.

b/ Conversion is based on a feed requirement of 640 lbs of barley to product a market hog, of which 135 pounds (or less) is shipped.

c/ Beef conversion factor is seven pounds of barley per pound of beef. Beef transportation costs are published rail tariffs for suspended carcasses, 60 thousand pound minimum.

d/ Freight rates for wheat, barley and oats at the moment amount to $49.60 per tonne before subsidy. This is a combination rate over Calgary.

e/ Primary elevator charge $7.04 per tonne plus Crow rate plus water rates to the Bayports effective April 1/82 plus trucking $6.42 per tonne.

f/ Primary elevator charge $7.04 per tonne plus cost based on Crow rail rate to Thunder Bay water rate to Montreal April 1, 1982 - $3.30 per tonne loading at Montreal and $6.90 per tonne trucking.

g/ Includes $7.04 per tonne primary elevator handling charges.

h/ Meat rates to Abbotsford, B.C. based on Vancouver and published in Midland Superior Express Ltd. packing house tariff January 1, 1982.

i/ Meat rates to Eastern destinations based on 60,000 lbs packing house products published in rail tariff CFA 103U - item 5180 January 1/82.

N/A Not applicable.