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Ms. Joyce Reynolds
Senior VP – Government Affairs
Canadian Restaurant and Food Services Association (CFRA)
316 Bloor Street West
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Dear Ms. Reynolds:

Re: National Food Safety Training Program (NFSTP)

Thank you for your request to have the National Food Safety Training Program (NFSTP) re-evaluated for equivalency pursuant to the requirements of Section 10 of the *British Columbia Food Premises Regulation*.

Attached is the evaluation rating which was used to assess the National Food Safety Training Program (NFSTP) for equivalency to FOODSAFE™. The evaluation concluded a final score of 95%. A minimum level of 90% is required to gain equivalency to FOODSAFE™. **As such, the National Food Safety Training Program (NFSTP) is granted equivalency to FOODSAFE™.** However, for the purposes of satisfying the requirements of Section 10 of the *British Columbia Food Premises Regulation*, the health authorities will be directed to only consider those NFSTP student certificates with an expiry date of January 1, 2011 or later as being valid.

If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact me.

Yours truly,

Larry Copeland
Director –
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Attach.



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March 22, 2011

Mr. Kevin Freeborn
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Dear Kevin Freeborn:

RE: National Food Safety Training Program - On-line Course: Application for Equivalency to BC FoodSafe Level 1

Thank you for your application for equivalency to BC FoodSafe Level 1 for the National Food Safety Training Program - On-line Course. The course has been evaluated by the Equivalency Committee and is considered equivalent to BC FoodSafe Level 1. A detailed scoring sheet is attached for your review.

If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact me at 604.707.2455.

Yours truly,

Mr. Lynn Wilcott
Acting Program Director
Food Protection Services

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Attachment

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