



31 October 2019

NOTICE TO GROWERS - END OF SEASON NOTICE

In accordance with the terms of the Cane Supply and Processing Agreement, we hereby give notice that the 2019 season crushing operations are anticipated to finish **no earlier than the 2nd December 2019 on a basis of the 3 mill average**. This date assumes continuing dry weather and does not include an allowance for wet weather stops. It also assumes we are able to equalise the 3 mills' finish dates which depends upon how the crops cut out in each mill area and relative mill performance.

This date takes into account a slight fall in crop estimate and current mill performance. We may continue beyond this date provided that the weather is suitable for harvesting and sufficient supply of acceptable quality cane is available for crushing to sustain reasonable daily throughput.

We are currently working hard to align groups with the projected finish date. To aid in this process, we ask all growers to notify the field office of any cane that you are **not intending to cut or if you have any paddocks that are marked as under cane and are actually not under cane, in the next week**.

At the end of the season we will be undertaking a complete analysis of all paddocks on all farms to determine what was harvested compared to what was declared as under cane on farm maps at the beginning of the season. This will assist in management and control of harvesting equity for future seasons.

Yours faithfully,

Jason Walton
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