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### COVID-19 Vaccine Update

Dear Farm Owner/Operator:

On March 1, 2021 Governor Murphy announced that farmworkers will be eligible for the COVID-19 vaccine starting March 15, 2021.

We understand that the ag community is anxious to have everyone on their farm vaccinated as soon as possible, especially since some of you already have workers in the field.

Here is how the vaccination program will roll out over the next week:

- The Department of Health (DOH) will send out a vaccine Q&A.
- A brief survey will be included in that email that will help them with supply and delivery planning. Survey questions will include:
  - Business location
  - Contact person for scheduling vaccinations
  - Number of workers to be vaccinated
  - Logistic considerations
- Once you receive the survey, please fill it out and return it as directed to the DOH.
- A Health official will follow up with your contact person to schedule vaccinations either on your farm or at a standing location.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "D. H. Fisher".

Douglas H. Fisher  
Secretary