Nova Scotia Crop and Livestock Insurance Commission Wildlife Compensation Policy for Compensation of Losses to Bumblebee Quads

The following is the Nova Scotia Crop and Livestock Insurance Commission Policy for settling compensation claims for bumblebee quads. Provided all other requirements for compensation are met, damage to bumblebee quads will be covered according to the following.

- a) Full compensation (80%) will be paid where 0 to 50% of bloom in a field has expired at the time of damage.
- b) 50% compensation will be paid where between 50-80% of bloom in a field has expired at the time of damage.
- c) No compensation will be paid where 80% or more of the bloom in a field has expired at the time of damage.

As an exception to the requirements above, compensation may be paid in the event that the quads were intended for another use after the blueberry bloom if:

- a) The producer can provide a contract for the sale of the quads;
- b) A statement is provided by another party confirming the intended sale; or
- c) The producer is able to show Commission Staff the new destination field requiring pollination.

Quads intended for another field must be moved from the original fields immediately after bloom. Where quads that have been used on a second crop field experience wildlife damage, compensation will be limited to 50% or less and will be determined on a case by case basis by the Commission's Field Agent.