



Call for Submissions & Terms of Reference

GIWA STANDARDS REVIEW 2020

11 May 2020

In response to issues raised by industry through the GIWA Commodity Councils in 2019, the Grain Industry Association of Western Australia (GIWA) Inc is undertaking a review of grain standards (excluding wheat standards which are managed directly by Grain Trade Australia) in Western Australia in Q1 and Q2 2020. The current 2019/2020 CBH Public Receival Standards Western Australia and most recent GIWA Standards Review 2018 tolerances can be found at <http://www.giwa.org.au/standards>.

GIWA is a member of Grain Trade Australia, Australian Oilseeds Federation, Pulse Australia, western council contributing to Barley Australia, and supports the grain industry's national self-regulated Grain Trade Australia Standards Submissions process http://www.graintrade.org.au/commodity_standards

Purpose

The purpose of the review is to ensure that Western Australian grain standards are fit-for-purpose for end user requirements, supporting the translation of market signals back to the production sector.

First Round Submissions – Close Monday 16 March 2020

Open Thursday 13th February 2020 to close of business Monday 16 March 2020

Interim Industry Advice Notice – Published 11 May 2020

Interim GIWA Standards Review 2020 Industry Advice Notice will be made available 7 May 2020 <http://www.giwa.org.au/standards>.

Second Round Submissions – Close Friday 22 May 2020

Responses to the Interim Industry Advice Notice and new submissions, please submit by email to ltaylor@giwa.org.au with the subject line, "SUBMISSION GIWA Standards Review 2020: *COMPANY OR INDIVIDUAL NAME*"
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Final Industry Advice Notice – Published Monday 29 June 2020

Submissions Template

Attached below as pages 4-5 of this document, or download from <http://www.giwa.org.au/standards>.

Terms of Reference & GIWA Standards Review Committee

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Terms of Reference GIWA Standards Review 2020

1. **All standards in Western Australia will be considered for review, with the exception of wheat standards which are dealt with directly through the Grain Trade Australia standards review process.**

Standards describe the particular qualities and characteristics of grades of various grain commodities with reference to common characteristics, such as protein, moisture and screenings.
2. **Industry Good Service** The standards review process is an industry good service provided by GIWA to the export oriented Western Australian grain industry. Submissions are welcome from any organisation or individual, regardless of their financial membership status of GIWA.
3. **Commercial Prerogative** Standards set by GIWA are not necessarily the same as the GTA trade standards. Bulk handlers and container exporters reserve the right to adjust tolerances in response to seasonal or commercial conditions.
4. **Acknowledgement and Confidentiality** All submissions will be acknowledged by return email. Unless a specific request is received to treat a submission as commercial in confidence, submissions will be published on the GIWA website.
5. **Final Industry Advice Notice GIWA Standards Review 2020**
Will be published week beginning Monday 29 June 2020 on the [GIWA website](#), after ratification by the GIWA Board.
6. **Planting Impact = Two Harvest Timeline 2021/22** Standards changes arising from the review which affect planting decisions in Western Australia will be implemented in two harvests' time ie in the 2021/22 harvest.
7. **Reference Information for Making Submissions**

Western Australian Grain Standards <http://www.giwa.org.au/standards>.

Grain Trade Australia information can be found in the Guide To The GTA Trading Standards at http://www.graintrade.org.au/commodity_standards.
8. **Membership of GIWA Standards Review Committee** The GIWA Standards Committee has balanced export grain supply chain representation, including the Chairs of the respective GIWA Commodity Councils (listed below), and invited participants:
 - Gerard McMullen, Committee Chair
Technical Standards Advisor to Grain Trade Australia
Chair, National Working Party for Grain Protection

Committee members continued:

- Vince Moroney, CBH Quality Manager
- Simon Little, Bunge Quality Manager
- Mitch Beazer, Boortmalt (formerly Cargill Malt) Plant Manager
- Simon Gellert, Glencore Agriculture
- John Orr, Premium Grain Handlers
- Duncan Young, WA Farmers Grains Council representative
- Doug Smith, WA Grain Growers representative

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GIWA Standards Review 2020 Submission Template

The Terms of Reference for the GIWA Standards Review 2020 can be found at:
<http://www.giwa.org.au/standards>

Submissions Process: Emailed in pdf or word format to ltaylor@giwa.org.au with the title, **“SUBMISSION GIWA Standards Review 2020: INSERT COMPANY OR INDIVIDUAL NAME”**.

All submissions will be acknowledged by return email. Please indicate below if confidentiality is requested, otherwise all submissions will be published on the GIWA website.

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Date:		
First Round Submission: 13 February to 16 March 2020		
Second Round Submission: 11 May to 22 May 2020		
Submission From: <i>(name of organisation or individual)</i>		
Contact Person:		
Position:		
Email:		
Phone and Mobile:		
Postal Address:		
GIWA Member:	Yes	No

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Submission Number:	
Date Received:	

ISSUE	Describe grain standards issue (number multiple issues 1, 2, 3 etc)

IMPACT	Describe how the issue/s affects your business operations

RECOMMENDATIONS	Detail your recommendation/s for addressing this issue



Tick here if you request for your submission to remain confidential. All submissions will be published on the GIWA website unless marked here as confidential.

Signed:

Print Name:

Date: