

Nova Scotia's producer commodity boards

The Natural Products Marketing Council supervises the Province's commodity boards under the *Natural Products Act and Dairy Industry Act*.

Most producer commodity boards have been established under the *Natural Products Act*. These include Nova Scotia Egg Producers, Chicken Farmers of Nova Scotia, Turkey Farmers of Nova Scotia, Nova Scotia Cattle Producers, Pork Nova Scotia and Nova Scotia Potato Marketing Board.

Dairy industry governance is a unique case of regulated marketing in Nova Scotia. Unlike the other commodities which are regulated under the *Natural Products Act*, dairy products are regulated under the *Dairy Industry Act*. The *Dairy Industry Act* designates Dairy Farmers of Nova Scotia as the provincial commodity board and provides the organization with specific powers, subject to the supervisory jurisdiction of Council.

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