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Passing of former Director, Max Jelbart

Dear Suppliers

It is with great sadness I inform you of the passing of our former Director, Mr Max Jelbart earlier this morning. I'd like to pay tribute to Max and acknowledge that his wealth of knowledge about the dairy industry will be greatly missed.

Max was a deeply valued member of our Board and his loss will be felt throughout our company. His astute industry insights, gained from decades of successfully managing his Gippsland and Caldermeade properties, were invaluable to our Board.

He was respected by all who knew him for his innovations in dairy farming and earlier this year he was presented with a 2016 Order of Australia Medal for his services to the industry and community.

Max was first elected to the Board of MG in 2012. He was re-elected as a Supplier Director by Gippsland Region supplier/shareholders for a further three-year term in 2016. As a member of the Board, Max served on the Compliance and Supplier Relations Committees. He was a Nuffield Farming Scholar, a member of the Nuffield Australia Investment Committee and a Board member of Marcus Oldham College. Max resigned from the Board of MG on 2 May 2016.

A memorial service will be held at 2.30pm, Friday 3 June in the garden at "Willy Willy", 60 Nicholas Road, Leongatha South.

We have lost a dear friend and at this difficult time we extend our sincere condolences to Max's family and friends.

Yours sincerely

Philip Tracy
Chairman