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New Canadian Champions for Production

Brantford, ON – Holstein Canada is pleased to announce six new *Canadian Champions* for 2017. *Canadian Champions* are awarded to Holstein cows (75% pure or higher) that surpass the previous all-time highest performance for milk, fat, protein, or total BCA in their age at calving category. If more than one animal in a given year exceeds the previous highest level, only the top individual will be recognized as a new *Canadian Champion*.

If you wish to view the current list of the all-time highest production *Canadian Champion* cows, visit Holstein Canada's web site under Awards and Shows, Cow Award Lists.

Congratulations to the breeders and owners of the new Canadian Champions for 2017!

HOCANF11431796 SEAVALLEY A MARILYNS AFFAIR VG-86-2YR-CA Born: 12 Jul 2014

Owners: Brownsonlea Farm, Marmora, ON

Courtney Ray, Corbyville, ON

Seavalley Holsteins, Campbellford, ON

Breeders: <u>Signature Holsteins</u>, Morrisburg, ON

Seavalley Holsteins, Campbellford, ON

New Canadian Champion as a Yearling for Milk, Protein and Total Performance

<u>Milk</u> <u>Fat</u> <u>Protein</u> <u>Total</u>

Production (kg) 01-10 305 21581 729 3.4 707 3.3

BCA (Deviation) 589(+280) 536 (+222) 599 (+290) 1724 (+792)

HOCANF107868165 A-B FARM MCCUTCHEN CADILLAC VG-87-3YR-CAN Born: 10 Mar 2013

Owners: Ferme Maryclerc Inc, Ste. Claire, Qc

Guillaume & Etienne Lessard, St. Honore De Shenley Qc

Breeders: Antony Boutin, St. George De Beauce, Qc

Marie-Christine Leclerc, Ste. Claire, Qc

New Canadian Champion as a 3-year old for Protein

 Milk Production (kg)
 Milk 03-03
 Milk 21315
 Fat 1090 5.1
 Protein 879 4.1
 Total 879 4.1

 BCA (Deviation)
 476(+120)
 657 (+253)
 610 (+248)
 1743 (+621)

HOCANF106756986 PETITCLERC ATWOOD MIST EX-90-2E-CAN Born: 30 Jul 2010

Owner & Breeder: Ferme Jean-Paul Petitclerc & Fils Inc, St. Basile Qc

New Canadian Champion as a 5-year old for Fat and Total Performance

 Production (kg)
 05-11
 305
 Milk 20887
 Fat 1315
 Protein 6.3
 Total 712
 3.4

 BCA (Deviation)
 420 (+166)
 711 (+417)
 451 (+187)
 1582 (+770)