



## **Animal Welfare Statement**

**2022**

**Amalgamated Dairies Limited (ADL) and its producer-owners place top-priority on the care and well-being of each animal on the farm. The dairy industry’s prosperity and viability depend on the daily care and attention received by each animal on farm. ADL producer-owners know the health and well-being of their animals is tied to their success and sustainability.**

**ADL collaborates with Dairy Farmers of Prince Edward Island, Prince Edward Island Department of Agriculture & Land, and other industry stakeholders to ensure animal welfare laws, regulations and guidelines are appropriate and enforced.**

**Customers can expect that all milk that is received and processed by ADL into high quality products comes from farms that adhere to animal care and well-being industry standards including the Code of Practice for Dairy Cattle<sup>1</sup>. ADL will not accept milk from farms that are proven and credibly shown to be uncompliant with industry animal welfare laws and regulations.**

**ADL expects all farms shipping milk to ADL to conform, at minimum, to industry established Provincial and Canadian standards.**

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<sup>1</sup> Code of Practice for the care and handling of farm animals – Dairy Cattle, 2009. National Farm Animal Care Council, ISBN 979-0-9812240-1-5.