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Dear Customer,

Hutchinsons Covid 19 Coronavirus Statement

As a valued customer of the Hutchinsons Group, we appreciate the trust you place in us to make sure all of your agronomy and product delivery services continue to operate effectively at all times and especially during this spring following the adverse autumn/winter weather conditions and with the additional complication of the impact of the risks posed by Coronavirus on all of our lives and businesses.

We are committed to an evidence-led and common-sense approach to containing the Covid 19 Coronavirus outbreak and mitigating its impact on customers, colleagues and our wider business operations.

Please be re-assured that we already have plans in place for our business with you to continue as normal with a high percentage of spring stock in each depot. We have operational continuity plans in place to minimise the risk of infection and make sure that we can continue to deliver business-as-usual service to our customers should an infection occur at any of our premises. These include implementing clear guidelines for colleagues, providing support and advice for anyone who needs to self-quarantine, and issuing guidance on following safe hygiene practices across the organisation. We have also implemented a social distancing policy in all offices and depots and are urging everyone to follow hygiene advice. Hand sanitisers have been installed in all offices and vehicles.

Many of our colleagues, including agronomists, work from home and have the technology to provide service continuation remotely if necessary.

As always, we remain committed to supporting your business with an unparalleled level of service and we pride ourselves that we are involved in UK food production, especially now with the critically important need to feed our nation. We will do everything that we can to support front-line growers to provide safe and reliable food supplies through this difficult time.

If you have any questions, please get in touch with your normal Hutchinson contact or the main office number and a member of our team will be happy to help.

With best wishes.

Yours sincerely,

David Hutchinson
Chairman