



## BANANA CONSIGNMENTS SENT FROM NORTH QUEENSLAND

04-January-2017

**Week Number**                    51  
**Week Ending**                    Sunday 25th December 2016

| MARKET       | QLD     | NSW     | VIC     | SA     | WA     | TAS    |
|--------------|---------|---------|---------|--------|--------|--------|
| <b>Total</b> | 146,664 | 145,978 | 144,164 | 25,650 | 44,639 | 11,160 |

**Number of ( cartons sent Week:                    51                    2016                    518,255**  
**Number of ( cartons sent Week:                    50                    2016                    512,376**

**Comparative Result:                    increase                    5,879**

ABGC asked transport operators to provide consignment numbers in kilograms (rather than cartons) so that growers had a more accurate view on production levels. There were various responses e.g. some operators advised they do not count the number of kilograms. Consequently, the following kilogram figures and the chart of them, has been constructed by converting carton numbers advised by transport operators to kilograms by assuming 70% are 15 kg and 30% are 13 kg.

**Number of kg\* sent Week:                    51                    2016                    7,462,872**  
**Number of kg\* sent Week:                    50                    2016                    7,378,214**

**Comparative Result:                    increase                    84,658**

**Jim Pekin**  
Chief Executive Officer

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*Blenners; J.A.T. Refrigerated Services; Lindsay Transport; QR National/Aurizon; Toll; S&K Transport; Nolan's; Bradco Transport; Todd's Transport*