

NATIONAL CATTLE HEALTH DECLARATION EXPLANATORY NOTES

OVERVIEW

The Cattle Health Declaration is a legal document. Please complete accurately before signing.

Cattle Health Declarations are a way for producers to provide information about the health status of the cattle they are selling. Buyers should ask vendors for a Declaration and use the information provided to determine the health risks associated with the animals on offer.

Some states/territories require testing or certification additional to that outlined in this document. e.g. Johne's disease (JD) in WA and for Enzootic Bovine Leucosis (EBL) in Tasmania. Please check the entry requirements for any interstate movements at: www.animalhealthaustralia.com.au/what-we-do/endemic-disease/livestock-movements.

The original of this form is to be attached to the National Vendor Declaration (NVD) form accompanying the cattle, if applicable. A duplicate remains with the vendor; it is recommended the vendor retains a copy of this declaration for seven (7) years.

QUESTION 3 & 4: BOVINE VIRAL DIARRHOEA VIRUS (PESTIVIRUS) TESTING

Persistently infected animals can be detected by conducting a pestivirus antigen test. This test only needs to be conducted once in an animal's life. Cattle that test positive in most cases are persistently infected animals. Pestivirus antibody testing may be done to check the pestivirus status of the herd. Dairy Cattle may be tested through bulk milk testing. Contact your veterinarian for assistance. Producers who don't know the answer to these questions should tick the 'N' box.

QUESTIONS 5: JOHNE'S DISEASE TESTING

Note: JD is a notifiable disease, so it is important to answer these questions.

Check test - testing of 50 adult animals in the herd (or all eligible animals in a herd if less than 50 adult animals) biased to increase the probability of detecting infection, tested by (pooled) faecal culture or (pooled) HT-J faecal PCR. An ELISA test is available but is not recommended and also not accepted for entry of cattle to WA.

Sample test - screening of the adult herd or a large representative sample of the adult herd by an approved test (pooled) faecal culture or (pooled) HT-J faecal PCR. See note above for ELISA test.

Herd Environmental Culture (HEC) Check Test (for dairy cattle) – a test of a representative sample of faecal material from the yard (see JD in [Cattle Definitions & Guidelines](#) for details). Details are available at www.animalhealthaustralia.com.au/jd-cattle-tools

QUESTION 6 & 7: JOHNE'S DISEASE

Occurrence of JD refers to clinical disease in the herd or on the property(s). Clinical disease is an infected animal with chronic diarrhoea and weight-loss that does not respond to treatment.

The Johne's Beef Assurance Score (J-BAS) is a voluntary tool developed for JD risk profiling. Details are available at www.animalhealthaustralia.com.au/jd-cattle-tools. The J-BAS is an initial guide and purchasers should ask for more information about JD in the origin herd (see the JD in Cattle Biosecurity Checklist on the 'JD in cattle' webpage). *The National Farm Biosecurity Reference Manual - Grazing Livestock Production* provides a template to use for the property biosecurity plan. All plans should include the JD in Cattle Biosecurity Plan Checklist.

The Johne's Disease Dairy Score (JDDS) is a voluntary tool for JD risk profiling in dairy cattle. Information is available at www.dairyaustralia.com.au/bjd

Grazing of non-bovine species – Buyers of cattle from this consignment may consider the grazing of other JD-susceptible species (sheep, goats, alpacas) on the source property as important to their risk-management decisions. These buyers are entitled to seek information on how you have managed disease risk for all your livestock.

TREATMENTS AND VACCINATIONS

Provide details on any cattle treatments within the last six (6) months and vaccinations within the last twelve (12) months.

Some manufacturers include more than one of the categories listed in the same vaccine, known as a combination vaccine. If you use a combination vaccine, each agent(s), as appropriate, should be detailed.

For vaccinations to be current, you must have followed the manufacturer's recommendations for vaccination. Typically, young animals or first time vaccinated animals need two (2) doses, followed by annual boosters. As variations to this general rule do occur (e.g. Silirum is given once only), you must use the manufacturer's recommendations.

At the date the declaration is made and as a result of the Vaccination(s) given, the animals are considered protected from the diseases marked as treated.

DECLARATION

This section must only be completed by the owner or person responsible for the husbandry of the cattle in the consignment.

For more information on what is fit to travel, please see MLA's *is it fit to load?* At www.mla.com.au/isitfittoload.

For more information on biosecurity go to www.farmbiosecurity.com.au

NATIONAL CATTLE HEALTH DECLARATION

V. 24/10/22

Property Identification Code (PIC) of this property
This MUST be the PIC of the property that
the stock is being moved from

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Attached to accompanying NVD/Waybill No. _____

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No. of cattle in consignment _____

Biosecurity and health information

- Has the owner owned all the cattle in this consignment since birth? Y N
- Does the property of origin have a completed on-farm biosecurity plan? Y N
- Have these cattle been tested for the presence of bovine viral diarrhoea virus (BVDV, pestivirus)?
If tested, were any cattle found to be persistently infected? Y N
- Have these cattle been tested for the presence of BVDV (pestivirus) antibody?
Test results: _____ Y N
- Has the source herd had a test for Johne's disease (JD)?
If so, which test? Check Test Sample Test HEC Test (dairy only)
Was the result negative? Y N Pending Date: ____/____/____ Y N

6. Has the property of origin had an occurrence of clinical JD in any species in the past five years?
JDD5 of _____ J-BAS of _____ Y N Unsure

7. BEEF CATTLE: On the property of origin, have cattle been co-grazed with dairy cattle?
See explanatory note for advice on co-grazing with non-bovine species Y N Unsure

8. Any other relevant health information _____

Treatments	Product name and type (e.g., pour-on, drench)	Date of treatment within last 6 months
Treatment for		
Parasites		/ /
Ticks		/ /
Pain relief		/ /
Other treatments		/ /

Current vaccinations for the cattle being moved (see explanatory note)

Clostridial (e.g. 5 in 1):	Y <input type="checkbox"/>	Date	/ /
Leptospirosis (e.g. 7 in 1):	Y <input type="checkbox"/>	Date	/ /
Pestivirus:	Y <input type="checkbox"/>	Date	/ /
JD (Sillrum):	Y <input type="checkbox"/>	Date	/ /
Botulism:	Y <input type="checkbox"/>	Date	/ /
Bovine ephemeral fever:	Y <input type="checkbox"/>	Date	/ /
Tick fever:	Y <input type="checkbox"/>	Date	/ /
Vibrio:	Y <input type="checkbox"/>	Date	/ /
Infectious bovine rhinotracheitis:	Y <input type="checkbox"/>	Date	/ /
Mannheimia haemolytica:	Y <input type="checkbox"/>	Date	/ /
Other vaccinations (specify):	Y <input type="checkbox"/>	Date	/ /

Declaration (see explanatory notes for further information)

I, _____ (Full name)
 _____ (Address) _____ (Town/suburb) _____ (State) _____ (Postcode)

I declare that I am the owner or the person responsible for the husbandry of the cattle and that all the information in this document is true and correct. I also declare that I have read and understood all the questions that I have answered, that I have read and understood the explanatory notes, and that I have inspected the animals and deem them to be healthy, free of signs of disease and fit to travel.

Signature* _____ Date: ____/____/____
*Only the person whose name appears above may sign this declaration, or make amendments which must be initialed

Tel. No. () _____ Email _____

Signature _____

Date _____

NATIONAL CATTLE HEALTH STATEMENT

As a competitor at the 2023 Yea Show, I hereby certify the statement below is correct.

PART A - ENTRY FORM – OFFICE COPY

YEAAP & HASSOCIATION INC - SHOW 2023 P0 Box 201, Yea 3717

Enquiries ring 0488 557 958 Website www.yeashow.org.au

PLEASE COMPLETE BOTH FORMS. DO NOT SEPARATE.

PART B WILL BE MAILED BACK WITH YOUR ENTRY TICKETS WHERE APPLICABLE

All entrants must read and sign Privacy Notice, see reverse

Cattle exhibitors must complete the National Cattle Health Statement, and the

ANIMAL SPORTS PARTICIPANT RISK ACKNOWLEDGMENT & WAIVER

Section	Class No	Office Use	Nature of Exhibit	Entry Fee
FEES MUST ACCOMPANY ENTRIES enclosed			Total	

Please enclose **STAMPED SELF-ADDRESSED ENVELOPE** for return mail. Any queries contact Emily on 0488 557 958

NAME (block letters) _____

ADDRESS (block letters) _____

EMAIL (print clearly) _____

PHONE _____ MOBILE _____

Entries to the Secretary, PO Box 201 YEA 3717
 Direct Deposit to Bendigo Bank, BSB Number: 633-000 Account Number: 147034698.

Please include PESTI VIRUS certificate. For animal exhibits, please sign Waiver and Exhibitor Disclosure Statement

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VICTORIAN AGRICULTURAL SHOWS LIMITED
Yea Agricultural, Pastoral & Horticultural Association Inc.
SPORTS PARTICIPANT RISK ACKNOWLEDGMENT & WAIVER

Name of participant:

Address:.....Postcode.....Phone.....

Victorian Agricultural Shows Ltd and Yea A. P. & H Association (together "the Suppliers") advise that participation in horse sports at an agricultural show or horse competition contains elements of risk, both obvious and inherent. Horse sports are dangerous recreational activities and horses can act in a sudden and unpredictable way, especially when frightened or hurt.

By signing this waiver I acknowledged that:

participation in horse sports is a hazardous activity and may result in injury, loss, damage or death to me; participation in horse sports requires certain skills. I declare that I have sufficient skills to be able to safely and properly participate in the events; horses can act in a sudden and unpredictable way, especially if frightened or hurt, or if exposed to loud or unfamiliar noises;

if held at an agricultural show, the horse sports will be held in close proximity to rides and large groups of people, and that there may be loud and unfamiliar noises which can frighten horses;

as the event is held outdoors, there are risks to me and to my horse as a result of the weather conditions, including either extreme hot or cold weather, rain or wind; insects or other animals may cause my horse or other horses to become frightened and act in an unpredictable way;

there is inherent in horse riding events the risk of suffering injury including falling from my horse;

I am responsible for ensuring that I have and will wear equipment suitable for safely and properly participating in the event; and

I use the facilities of [name of show society] entirely at my own risk, as I find them and with the prior acceptance of the risk of possible danger to me.

If I suffer harm while participating in a horse event, I will not hold the Suppliers, their employees or agents legally responsible for any injuries I suffer. I will not sue the Suppliers, their employees or agents for any claims, costs, damages or liability. I agree to release the Suppliers and their employees from legal responsibility for the services I have been provided.

I acknowledge and agree that my participation in the horse Sports and associated Activities are a danger and may have inherent risks as a result of which personal injury (and sometimes death) may occur and I accept and assume all such risks of personal injury or death in anyway whatsoever arising from these activities and hereby waive my individual right to sue the Suppliers for all claims I or my representatives may have for such personal injury or death against the Suppliers in any way whatsoever arising from or in connection with these activities.

I will not consume any alcohol or illicit drugs while participating in the horse sports and agree that such use may result in me being excluded from an event with no entitlement to any refund of money paid for entry to the Suppliers.

I agree to be bound by the rules and guidelines of Victorian Agricultural Shows Ltd as Varied from time to time.

Where the participant is over 18 years of age:

I agree that I have read and understood this waiver prior to signing it and agree that this waiver will be binding on my heirs, next of kin, executors and administrators.

I agree that this waiver shall be governed in all respects by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of Victoria.

Signature:Dated:.....

Where participant is under 18 years of age (to be completed by a parent or guardian):

Ibeing a parent or legal guardian of the above named participant hereby consent to my child participating in horse sports. I confirm that I have read and understood and explained to the participant, this waiver prior to signing it and agree that this agreement will be binding on my (and their) heirs, next of kin, executors and administrators. I agree that this waiver shall be governed in all respects by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of Victoria.

Signature:Dated:

WARNING UNDER THE FAIR TRADING ACT 1999

Under the Australian Consumer Law (Victoria), several statutory guarantees apply to the supply of certain goods and services. These guarantees mean that the supplier named on this form is

required to ensure that the recreational services it supplies to you—

- are rendered with due care and skill; and
- are reasonably fit for any purpose which you, either expressly or by implication, make known to the supplier; and
- might reasonably be expected to achieve any result you have made known to the supplier.

Under section 32N of the Fair Trading Act 1999, the supplier is entitled to ask you to agree that these statutory guarantees do not apply to you. If you sign this form, you will be agreeing that your rights to sue the supplier under the Fair Trading Act 1999 if you are killed or injured because the services provided were not in accordance with these guarantees, are excluded, restricted or modified in the way set out in this form.

NOTE: The change to your rights, as set out in this form, does not apply if your death or injury is due to gross negligence on the supplier's part.

Gross Negligence is defined in the Fair Trading (Recreational Services) Regulations 2004. Yea A.P&H 25 November 2023 Horse Section

IMPORTANT PRIVACY NOTICE

Please read and sign this privacy notice and return with your entry form

EXHIBITOR DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

By completing the entry form you will be supplying information such as your name, address, phone/mobile number, email address and ABN number (carcase competition only). Without this information we will not be able to process your entry form. We collate this information for the following purposes:

- Processing your entry form
- Forwarding your Entry ID tags
- Forwarding any additional information pertaining to your entry
- Recording your details in order to send you a Yea Show Schedule in subsequent years and to notify you of other events held by us
- Major championships and award winner names may be published in relevant media and will be on website: www.yeashow.org.au

We may disclose your information to Central & Upper Goulburn Agricultural Societies Group and Victorian Agricultural Societies Inc. for the purpose of regional and state competitions.

If legal, health or safety issues arise, we may be required to disclose information to relevant organizations who deal with these matters.

Name (please print)

Signature

Date Email.....