



<b>EXPORT ADVISORY NOTICE – 2007- 18</b>			<b>9 August 2007</b>
<b>Title:</b>	<b>Description of animals on export permit and health certificates</b>		
<b>Species:</b>	<b>Livestock</b>		
<b>Country:</b>	<b>All</b>	<b>File No.</b>	<b>2007/00655</b>
<b>Relevant to:</b>	<b>Livestock Exporters</b> <b>Livecorp /Australian Livestock Exporters Council</b> <b>AQIS Live Animal Export Officers</b>		

**Purpose**

To inform exporters of a change to the AQIS health certificate and export permit format.

**Background**

In the past, the description of animals section of the export permit and health certificate includes “species” and “breed”.

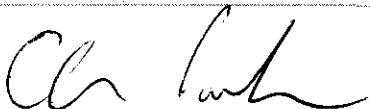
Often consignments of animals are multiple or mixed breed animals.

**Instruction**

The breed of animal is a commercial matter to be managed outside of the health certificate and export permit process. AQIS will not be providing the description of breed in future export permits and health certificates. AQIS officers must not include the breeds of animals on export certification.

For example the description of the animals section of the export permit and health certificate for feeder cattle will appear as follows:

<b>Description of Animals</b>			
<u>Number</u>	<u>Kind (Species)</u>	<u>Class (Companion, competition, breeder etc)</u>	<u>Identification (microchip, eartags etc)</u>
<b>1234</b>	<b>CATTLE</b>	<b>FEEDER</b>	

  
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