# Introducing NEXDOC

Video description and transcript

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## Introduction

This is the accessible text transcript for the Introducing NEXDOC video.

## Screen 1

[Video description: David Hazlehurst, Deputy Secretary, Agricultural Trade Group, speaking directly to camera.]

My name is David Hazlehurst, and I’m the Deputy Secretary for the Agricultural Trade Group at the Australian Government Department of Agriculture Water and the Environment.

The big focus for me and my team is making the most of significant investments the government has made in modernising our regulatory services to agricultural exporters.

## Screen 2

[Video description: tractor watering an aisle of green plants, farmer moving boxes onto a truck, small orange fruit going into a blue box, close up of lemons on a tree and container ship with multiple coloured containers on board.]

We want to help farmers, processors and exporters get our safe, high quality agricultural produce to consumers across the globe, faster and with less red tape.

## Screen 3

[Video description: David Hazlehurst, looking directly to camera.]

One way we’re doing this is through a new web based export management systems, which will streamline and strengthen the international reputation of our exports.

It’s called NEXDOC and its revolutionising our processes, equipping our farmers and exporters with a modern technical platform.

## Screen 4

[Video description: milk production line and still image of white and black dairy cows]

Dairy was the first commodity to be transitioned onto NEXDOC on Monday the 17th of May.

## Screen 5

[Video description: David Hazlehurst, looking directly to camera, transitions to a phone over a QR code.]

One of the key new technologies in NEXDOC is QR codes, which have become familiar to all of us during COVID.

## Screen 6

[Video description: David Hazlehurst, looking directly to camera, transitions to a phone over a QR code.]

The impact they can have on our exports processes is truly remarkable.

## Screen 7

[Video description: black and white dairy cows in a green field.]

Beginning with dairy exports, NEXDOC will automatically generate export certifications with a unique QR code as well as a certificate number.

## Screen 8

[Video description: farmer working on grape harvest, transitions to multiple images of agricultural production with grain being poured, wheat on conveyor belt and pumpkins being harvested.]

With this increased visibility across all points of the export supply chain, the enhanced tool provides improved product traceability and security.

## Screen 9

[Video description: David Hazlehurst, looking directly to camera, transitions to a phone over a QR code.]

In turn, the QR technology serves to reinforce the competitiveness and value o our Australian goods overseas.

## Screen 10

[Video description: woman looking at computer screen, return to David Hazlehurst. Video then shows request for export paper form]

On Monday 31st of May, the NEXDOC portal went live for dairy exporters, providing them with the ability to lodge requests for exports, or REXs, which were previously known as request for permits, or RFPs, directly with the department.

## Screen 11

 [Video description: David Hazlehurst looking at camera]

I’m excited about this new technology.

A better export documentation system means a better experience for our farmers and exporters, a faster and lower cost pathway to markets.

## Screen 11

[Video description: short video footage of grain container ship, then return to David Hazlehurst.]

Stay tuned, there’s lots more to come.

## Screen 12

Logo for the Department of Agriculture, Water and the Environment.

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