



Application for EUCAS accreditation of farms

Form approved under the *Export Control Act 2020*

Section A: General information

Purpose of this form For managers to apply for European Union Cattle Accreditation Scheme (EUCAS) accreditation of farms.

Before completing this form See Chapter 3 of the Export Control (Meat and Meat Products) Rules 2020
See EUCAS rules for farms

To complete this form

Electronically
Save the PDF file to your computer. You will need the latest version of Adobe Acrobat Reader to save changes to your document.

Manually
Use black or blue pen
Print in BLOCK LETTERS
Mark boxes with a tick or a cross

Your application must include a completed and signed application form
a copy of a document showing the address of the property, such as a rates notice or a government property map

Post, email or fax your application Meat Exports Branch
European Union Cattle Accreditation Scheme (EUCAS)
Department of Agriculture, Water and the Environment
GPO Box 858
Canberra ACT 2601
Email eucas@awe.gov.au
Fax 02 6272 5442

For more information Phone **1800 305 544** (within Australia)
Email eucas@awe.gov.au
Web: <https://www.agriculture.gov.au/export/controlled-goods/meat/elmer-3/eucas>

Section B: Property details

1 Property Identification Code (PIC)

2 Farm name and location address of property to be accredited

Farm name

Street address

Suburb/town/city

State/territory

Postcode

3 Are hormonal growth promotants (HGP), Oestradiol or HGP/Oestradiol treated animals currently on the farm?

No

Yes

Important: you must remove any unused doses of HGP and Oestradiol and any HGP/Oestradiol treated animals from the property before the accreditation process can begin. If you have not removed them and continue with the accreditation process, you may be considered to have provided misleading evidence to a Commonwealth officer.

Section C: Manager details

4 Manager

Title

Given name(s)

Family name

5 Postal address (if the same as the address in section B, please write AS ABOVE)

Street address

Suburb/town/city

State/territory

Postcode

6 Contact details

Work phone (include area code)


Mobile phone

Email

Fax

7 Have you ever withdrawn or had EUCAS accreditation revoked for the property?

No

Yes  Attach relevant documents to the application

8 Have you ever been prosecuted, fined or issued with a warning letter for HGP or livestock identification offences?

No

Yes Attach relevant documents to the application

9 Do you own or manage other PICs? Please include both EU and non-EU PICs

No

Yes If yes, please list the other PICs

Section D: Identification of animals

10 List the number of animals and unused tags currently active on your property. This information will be checked against the National Livestock Identification System (NLIS) database.

a Home-bred (white)

Animals

Unused tags

B Post-bred (orange)

Animals tagged

Unused tags

C Introduced (white)

Breeding bulls tagged

Steers born on other PIC under your management
(homebred on a different PIC to the one you are applying for)

Breeding females tagged

EU-accredited animals tagged (animals that were previously
EU accredited on an EU PIC)

Section E: Consent to debt assessment

11 I consent to the department conducting a debt assessment on any outstanding liabilities to the commonwealth and understand outstanding liabilities may affect my ability to gain accreditation at this time

No

Please note your application will not be able to be finalised without a debt assessment being conducted

Yes

Section F: Authorisations

12 Do you authorise any other persons to sign EU vendor declarations or contact EUCAS on your behalf?

No  Go to Section G

Yes

Person 1

Given name(s)

Family name

Work phone (include area code)

Mobile phone

Email

Fax

Person 1 signature (type or sign your name)

Date (dd/mm/yyyy)

Person 2

Given name(s)

Family name

Work phone (include area code)

Mobile phone

Email

Fax

Person 2 signature (type or sign your name)

Date (dd/mm/yyyy)

Section G: Manager declaration

To be completed by the person listed in section B.

I give the following undertakings to the Secretary of the Department of Agriculture, Water and the Environment in relation to the property listed in section B of this application:

- I/we do not/will not use HGP on any animals that are/will be held on the property listed in section B.
- I/we have not received/will not receive any animals that have been treated with HGP at the property listed in section B.
- I/we will receive animals of the bovine species (other than ineligible breeding bulls or ineligible breeding cows) from other accredited properties only.
- I/we will gain approval of the secretary before receiving ineligible breeding bulls and ineligible breeding cows from a non-accredited property.
- I/we will ensure that all non-EUCAS breeding bulls and females that enter the property will be HGP free, vendor bred and lifetime traceable in the NLIS database.
- I/we will only receive eligible animals on an EUVD and only issue an EUVD for eligible cattle.
- I/we will notify the department as soon as practicably possible if we cease to manage the property.
- I/we consent to audits being undertaken as described in Chapter 9 Part 1 - Audits of the Export Control (Meat and Meat Products) Rules 2020
- I/we give the undertakings to the secretary that I/we will continue to meet the conditions of accreditation as prescribed in Chapter 3 Part 3-10 of the Export Control (Meat and Meat Products) Rules 2020

I declare that the information I have provided is true and correct. I understand that it is a criminal offence under the *Criminal Code Act 1995* to knowingly give false or misleading information to a Commonwealth officer exercising powers under Commonwealth law. This offence carries a maximum penalty of 12 months' imprisonment.

Section H: Privacy notice

'Personal information' means information or an opinion about an identified, or reasonably identifiable, individual

By completing and submitting this form you consent to the collection of all personal information, contained in this form.

The Department of Agriculture, Water and the Environment collects your personal information (as defined in the *Privacy Act 1988*) in relation to this form for the purposes of assessing your application and related purposes. If you fail to provide some or all of the personal information requested in this form, the department will be unable to process your application.

The department may disclose your personal information to other Australian Government agencies, persons or organisations where necessary for the purposes described, provided the disclosure is consistent with relevant laws, particularly the Privacy Act. Your personal information will be used and stored in accordance with the Australian Privacy Principles.

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Signature (enter signature or type your name)

Date (dd/mm/yyyy)

Full name