

MUDGEES

SHOW AND RODEO



1ST AND 2ND MARCH
2024



ANIMALS SCHEDULE

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MUDGEES SHOW SOCIETY



MUDGEES RODEO

Mudgee Show and Rodeo

Show Day Competition Guide



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The Mudgee Show Society Office will
be open at the Showground prior to
the show on the below days:

Mon 26th Feb10am - 2pm
Tue 27th Feb10am - 2pm
Wed 28th Feb 10am - 2pm
Thur 29th Feb10am - 2pm
Fri 1st Mar 10am - close of show
Sat 2nd Mar 9am - close of show
Sun 3rd Mar 10am - 12pm

General Regulations for Mudgee Show

1. Gate Entrances: (a) Exhibitors in Ring Events are to enter through the Madeira Road gate. (b) Sheep and Goat Exhibitors are to enter through the bottom gate on Douro Street. (c) Cattle Exhibitors are to enter through the gate near the corner of Douro Street and Nicholson Street. (CO Commercial Exhibitors and Dog Exhibitors are to enter through the main gate in Nicholson Street. (e) Members and members of the Public are able to enter through the middle gate on Douro Street or the Nicholson Street gate.
2. All Exhibitors must comply with the conditions of the section to which they have entered and to the extent that there may be any inconsistency between such conditions and these general regulations, then these regulations shall apply.
3. All exhibits during the show shall be under the control of the chief steward of the appropriate section who shall have the power to expel from the showground any person who in his or her opinion is interfering unnecessarily with any exhibit.
4. If in the opinion of a judge any exhibit in his or her section should be disqualified for any reason whatsoever he or she may pass the exhibit without comment but may report the matter to the chief steward of the section.
5. No person other than officials or competitors are to be allowed in the judging area during competition without the consent of the judge.
6. Should there be any reason to suspect that any exhibit is either diseased or dangerous the society reserves the right of refusing admission to or removing the exhibit from the Showground at the expense of the exhibitor.
7. The society reserves the right to postpone the show or any event thereof at any time as a result of inclemency of weather or any other sufficient cause to a date or dates deemed to be suitable by the society and no entrance fees shall be refundable in the event of such postponement. The reasonableness of the cause or causes for postponement shall be determined by the society and such determination shall be conclusive.
8. The society may abandon the show or any event thereof as a result of inclemency of weather or any other sufficient cause and in such event exhibitors shall be entitled to the return of the entrance fees paid by them but the society shall not be liable to pay any damages or other form of compensation to any exhibitor by reason of the abandonment of the show. The reasonableness of the causes for the abandonment of the show shall be determined by the society and its determination shall be conclusive. Notwithstanding the time fixed for the collection of exhibits as sent out in the schedule, The society reserved the right to retain all or any exhibit for such further time as it may consider necessary and no exhibit shall be removed from the show without a formal permit from the chief steward of the section or the secretary of the society.
9. Any person interfering with an official or any exhibitor refusing in any way to carry out the instructions of any official may be, along with his or her exhibit or exhibits, disqualified from exhibiting at the show and may be removed from the showground at the discretion of the society.
10. An exhibitor who makes a false report or gives misleading information or suppresses necessary information respecting any exhibit may be disqualified and any prize money awarded to such exhibitor shall be forfeited.
11. The decision of a judge shall be final unless a protest against an award should be lodged in writing with the chief steward of the section within one (1) hour of the award being made or if the award is made before the commencement of the show, then within one (1) hour of the commencement of the show. The protest must state the reason for the protest and must be accompanied by a fee of \$50.00 to be forfeited if the protest is unsuccessful. The protest will be determined as soon as practicable by a protest committee appointed by the society and the protest committee's decision shall be final.
12. In the event of there being only one exhibit in any class the awarding of a prize will be left to the discretion of the judge.
13. Prize money will be paid in accordance with the awards entered in the award book and signed by the judge and shall be payable at the show except in cases where protests are entered. All prize money not claimed before April 1 next following the show will be forfeited to the Mudgee Show Society.
14. Any person entering the showground during the duration of the show shall comply with all proper directions of any official of the society and in particular without affecting the generality shall comply with such directions as to the driving and parking of motor vehicles and bicycles and the riding of any horse or other animal within the showground.

Conditions of Entry for Mudgee Show

1. Mudgee Show Society Inc. (The Society) reserves the right to refuse any application or to cancel any entry, without being required to give any reason.
2. Applications will not be accepted unless accompanied by the appropriate entrance fee.
3. The Exhibitor shall abide by the conditions of the section(s) to which he or she has entered, and the General Regulations for Mudgee Show as set out in the schedule. The Exhibitor acknowledges that he or she has had the opportunity to inspect the schedule by arrangement with the Secretary of the Society before making this application.
4. The Exhibitor warrants that the exhibit(s) entered for competition is/are and will remain the property of the Exhibitor whilst the exhibit(s) is/are in the possession of the Society.
5. The Exhibitor acknowledges that the exhibit(s) is/are accepted and held by the Society at the risk of the Exhibitor and the Exhibitor releases the Society, its officer, members, servants and agents, from any claims, demands, actions, suits, judgements, and accounts whatsoever in respect of any injury, loss or damage occasioned to any exhibit arising out of any act or omission of the Society, its officers, members, servants, or agents, or any member of the public whilst the exhibit is in the possession of the Society and whether or not such injury loss or damage is caused or contributed to by the negligence of the Society, its officers, members, servants or agents.
6. The Exhibitor hereby indemnifies and agrees to keep indemnified, the Society, its officers, members, servants and agents, from and against all claims, demands, actions, suits, proceedings, judgements and accounts, whatsoever, for any injury, loss or damage to any person or property occasioned by or arising out of the operation or use of any exhibit entered by the Exhibitor or occasioned by or arising out of any act or omission by the Exhibitor.
7. The Exhibitor acknowledges that these conditions of entry may be pleaded as a bar to any claim, demand, action, suit or proceeding, that may be brought by the Exhibitor against the Society or any officer, member, servant or agent.
8. Where the application is made by a person under the age of eighteen (18) years or under any other legal incapacity, The parent or guardian who signs this application, in consideration of the Society accepting the application at his or her request, indemnifies and agrees to keep indemnified, the Society, its officers, members, servants and agents from and against, all claims, demands, actions, suits, proceedings, judgements and accounts whatsoever, whether brought or recovered by any person (including the Exhibitor) or corporation in respect of any injury, loss or damage to any person or property (including any exhibit) occasioned by or arising out of the operation or use of any exhibit entered by the Exhibitor or occasioned by or arising out of any act or omission by the Exhibitor or whilst the exhibit is in the possession of the Society and whether or not such injury, loss or damage, was in any way caused or contributed to by the negligence of the Society, its officers, members, servants or agents.

Risk Acknowledgement and Waiver

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETIES COUNCIL OF NEW SOUTH WALES LIMITED PARTICIPANT RISK ACKNOWLEDGEMENT & WAIVER

Event Name (Subsequently referred to as "the Event"): _____

Event Date: _____

Participant Name: _____

Participant Address: _____

Participant Contact Number: _____

Participant Email: _____

Section A – General Acknowledgement

Agricultural Societies Council of New South Wales Limited and (Name of Show) _____ (together the Suppliers) advise that participation (including passive participation) in animal handling or physical competitions or Event sat an agricultural show contains elements of risk, both obvious and inherent.

The handling of animals if applicable is a dangerous recreational activity as animals can act in a sudden and unpredictable way, especially when frightened or hurt.

Physical competitions, activities and events of all types are dangerous recreational activities.

1. By signing this waiver I acknowledge that: 1.1 Participation in the Event is a recreational service for the purposes of section 139A of the Australian Competition and Consumer Act (Cth) 2010, and also a recreational activity for the purposes of section 5K of the Civil Liability Act (NSW) 2002; 1.2 Participation in the Event is a hazardous activity and involves a significant risk of physical harm and may result in injury, loss, damage or death to me; 1.3 Participation in the Event requires certain skills and experience. I declare that I have sufficient skills and experience to be able to safely and properly participate in the Event; 1.4 If applicable to the Event, animals can act in a sudden and unpredictable ways, especially if frightened or hurt, or if exposed to loud or unfamiliar noises; 1.5 The Event 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 animals used in the Event, if applicable; 1.6 If the Event is held outdoors, there are risks to me as a result of the weather conditions, including either extreme hot or cold weather, rain or wind; 1.7 Insects or other animals may cause animals used in the Event, if applicable, to become frightened and act in an unpredictable way; 1.8 If the Event involves the handling of animals, there is a risk of suffering injury including injuries caused by animals; 1.9 I am responsible for ensuring that I have and will wear equipment suitable for my safety in my participation the Event; 1.10 I am responsible for the condition of any tools and equipment and ensuring that they are appropriate for the Event; and 1.11 I use the facilities supplied for the Event entirely at my own risk, as I find them and with the prior acceptance of the risk of possible danger to me.

2. If I suffer personal injury or death while participating in an animal handling event, I will not hold the Suppliers, their employees or agents legally responsible for any personal injury or death 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 and/or activity I have participated in.

3. I acknowledge and agree that my participation in the event and associated activities is dangerous and may have inherent risks as a result of which personal injury (and sometimes death) may occur. I acknowledge that the event and associated activities carry with them a significant risk of physical harm. 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 may have for such personal injury or death against the Suppliers in any way whatsoever

4. At the time of participating in the Event, I have not been to any degree under the influence of alcohol or illicit drugs.

5. I will not consume any alcohol or illicit drugs while participating in the Event and agree that such use may result in my being excluded from the Event or other events with no entitlement to any refund of money paid for entry to the Suppliers.

6. I agree to be bound by the rules and guidelines of the Suppliers as varied from time to time.

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Section B – Horse Details and Acknowledgement

If there are no horses in this activity then leave this Section Blank. If there are horses in this event then this Section MUST BE COMPLETED.

Horse Name	Owner Name	Microchip / Reg No or Description (Sex, colour, brand)	PIC No	Last Event and Date

I, the owner/rider/exhibitor of the above horse/s, declare that, to the best of my knowledge, it is/they are fit and healthy and I agree that if found to be otherwise it/they will not be allowed to compete at this event.

Signature: _____ Dated: _____

Section C - Signature

Where the participant is 18 years of age and over: I agree that I have read and understood this waiver prior to signing it. I acknowledge that the Suppliers have permitted me to participate in the activity the subject of this document in reliance upon the matters acknowledged by me and the representations I have made herein.

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

I agree that this agreement, where relevant, will be binding on my heirs, next of kin, executors and administrators.

Signature _____ Dated: _____

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

Participant's Date of Birth _____ - I _____ (insert parent/guardian name), being a parent or legal guardian of the above named participant, hereby consent to my child participating in this event.

I confirm that I have read and understood and explained to the participant this waiver prior to signing it.

I acknowledge that the Suppliers have permitted the participant to participate in the activity the subject of this document in reliance upon the matters acknowledged by me and the representations that I have made herein.

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

I agree that this agreement, where relevant, will be binding on my (and his/her) heirs, next of kin, executors and administrators.

Signature: _____ Dated: _____

Livestock Entry Form

The Exhibitor applied for entry to the Mudgee Show in the class(es) set out below and acknowledges that such application and any acceptance thereof shall be subject to the conditions set out in the General Regulations for Mudgee Show and Conditions of Entry - Sections. The closing dates for entries and the entrance fees are as set out in the schedule.

Class No	Class Description / Registered Name of Animal / Tattoo No	Livestock Date of Birth	Ear Tag	Entry Fee
MUDGEESHOW SOCIETY PIC NUMBER: - ND433989			Total:	

Please Note: Before you sign this application you should read the General Regulations for Mudgee Show and Conditions of Entry - Sections.

Exhibitors Name (BLOCK LETTERS) _____

Postal Address _____ Phone _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Where the exhibitor is under 18 years of age or under any other legal incapacity, this application must be signed by a parent or guardian who acknowledges his or her obligation under Clause 8 of the Conditions of Entry.

Parent or Guardian's Name (BLOCK LETTERS) _____

Postal Address _____ Phone _____

Parent or Guardian's Signature _____ Date _____

Please Note: Exhibitors are required to pay for entry into the Mudgee Showground during the Show.

Return Entries to: The Secretary, Mudgee Show Society, PO Box 199, Mudgee NSW 2850.

Phone: 0412 815 827 Email: secretarymudgeeshow@gmail.com

Cattle

Entry through Douro Street Gate B | PIC details must be recorded

<u>Entry Fee</u>	\$10 per head, per class (bedding included)
<u>Entries close</u>	1st March 2024
<u>Chief Steward</u>	Peyton Ford - fordpeyton24@gmail.com
<u>Prize Money</u>	In addition to ribbons for the winners of each class, there are special prizes. If insufficient entries are received, some special prizes may not be awarded. This is at the discretion of the chief steward.

1. All cattle to be penned by 8.30am and ready for judging to commence at 9.30am on Saturday 2nd March 2024 with all appropriate paper-work to stewards including NLIS tag information. ALL TRUCKS/LIVESTOCK VEHICLES TO BE PARKED AWAY FROM THE LIVESTOCK AREA PRIOR TO 8AM SATURDAY MORNING. VEHICLES WILL BE TOWED IF THEY REMAIN IN THE AREA.
2. No animals to be removed from the ground before 3.30pm
3. All bulls over 12 months of age must be paraded with a ring
4. All broad ribbon winners must be in the Grand Parade be eligible for trophies
5. The decision of the chief steward / judge is final
6. Bovine Brucellosis/Tuberculosis requirements - cattle are not eligible for entry if from a property under quarantine or suspected of brucellosis/tuberculosis
7. Bovine Johne's Disease - cattle must be from herds not under suspicion of BJDAND from MAP herds (MN1) or better) - Certificate Number OR from herds in the BJD Protected Zone (MN1 equivalent) OR from herds in the BJD Control Zone, with a negative Herd Check Test (50 head) (Veterinary Certificate to be shown)
8. All cattle must have a Pesti Virus Test
9. The age of the cattle will be taken as the first day of the month of the Mudgee Show and will be determined by months not teeth. Birth dates are to be shown on the entry form.
10. A copy of the Registration Certification for each animal must accompany the entry form. Where one breed is represented in a class by 4 or more exhibits, that breed will be judged separately for that particular class.

Part One - Junior Bulls

- 13101 Bull 6 months and under 12 months
- 13102 Bull 12 months and under 16 months
- 13103 Bull 16 months and under 20 months

Champion Junior Bull

Reserve Champion Junior Bull

Part One - Senior Bulls

- 13104 Bull 20 months and under 24 months
- 13105 Bull 24 months and under 30 months
- 13106 Bull 30 months and over

Champion Senior Bull

Reserve Champion Senior Bull

Part One - Junior Female

- 13107 Female 6 months and under 12 months
- 13108 Female 12 months and under 16 months
- 13109 Female 16 months and under 20 months

Champion Junior Female

Reserve Champion Junior Champion

Part One - Senior Female

- 13110 Female 20 months and under 24 months
- 13111 Female 24 months and under 30 months
- 13112 Female 30 months and over

Champion Senior Female

Reserve Champion Senior Female

Part Two

- 13201 Group of three - all breeds
Both sexes to be represented
All to be owned and bred by the exhibitor
- 13202 Led Steer or Heifer - any breed
- 13203 Junior Parader Competition (under 25yr)
Of any age

Grand Champion Bull of the Mudgee Show

AD Cousins Perpetual Trophy

Grand Champion Female of the Mudgee Show

Supreme Exhibit

Malcolm House Shield

Cattle - Feature Breed - Speckle Park

Entry through Douro Street gate | PIC details must be recorded

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<u>Chief Steward</u>	Peyton Ford - fordpeyton24@gmail.com
<u>Prize Money</u>	In addition to ribbons for the winners of each class, there are special prizes. If insufficient entries are received, some special prizes may not be awarded. This is at the discretion of the chief steward.

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Speckle Park - Junior Bull

- 13113 Bull 6 months and under 12 months
- 13114 Bull 12 months and under 16 months
- 13115 Bull 16 months and under 18 months
- 13116 Bull 18 months and under 20 months

Champion Speckle Park Junior Bull

Reserve Champion Speckle Park Junior Bull

Speckle Park - Senior Bull

- 13117 Bull 20 months and under 24 months
- 13118 Bull 24 months and over

Champion Speckle Park Senior Bull

Reserve Champion Speckle Park Senior Bull

Grand Champion Speckle Park Bull

Junior Herdsperson Award

Awarded to a person under 18yrs at discretion of the chief steward, who has shown the most enthusiasm, commitment and professionalism during the showing of the Speckle Park breed.

Speckle Park - Junior Female

- 13119 Female 6 months and under 12 months
- 13120 Female 12 months and under 16 months
- 13121 Female 16 months and under 18 months
- 12122 Female 18 months and under 20 months

Champion Speckle Park Junior Female

Reserve Champion Speckle Park Junior Female

Speckle Park - Senior Female

- 13123 Female 20 months and under 24 months
- 13124 Female 24 months and over

Champion Speckle Park Senior Female

Reserve Champion Speckle Park Senior Female

Grand Champion Speckle Park Female

- 13125 Led Speckle Park Steer over 6 months

Supreme Speckle Park Exhibit

NATIONAL CATTLE HEALTH DECLARATION

V: 8/10/22

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

1. Has the owner owned all the cattle in this consignment since birth? Y N

2. Does the property of origin have a completed on-farm biosecurity plan? Y N

3. Have these cattle been tested for the presence of bovine viral diarrhoea virus (BVDV, pestivirus)? Y N
If tested, were any cattle found to be persistently infected? Y N

4. Have these cattle been tested for the presence of BVDV (pestivirus) antibody? Y N
Test results

5. Has the source herd had a test for Johne's disease (JD)? Y N
If so, which test? Check Test Sample Test HEC Test (dairy only)
Was the result negative? Y N Pending Date ____ / ____ / ____

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

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

8. Any other relevant health information

Treatments

Treatment for	Product name and type (e.g., pour-on, drench)	Date of treatment within last 6 months
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 (Siltrum):	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):	Date ____ / ____ / ____

Declaration (see explanatory notes for further information)

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

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*

*Only the person whose name appears above may sign this declaration, or make amendments which must be initialed

Date ____ / ____ / ____

Tel. No. ()

Email

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 Enteric 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.

QUESTIONS 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.

QUESTION 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.

QUESTIONS 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 risks for all your livestock.

TREATMENTS & VACCINATIONS

Provide details on any cattle treatments in 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 recommendation 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/isitfitoload.

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