SENATE BILL No. 687

November 8, 1989, Introduced by Senator N. SMITH and referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A bill to amend sections 6, 9, 12, 14, 15, 17, 23, 25, 28, 33, 37, 40, and 42 of Act No. 466 of the Public Acts of 1988, entitled

"Animal industry act of 1987,"

being sections 287.706, 287.709, 287.712, 287.714, 287.715, 287.717, 287.723, 287.725, 287.728, 287.733, 287.737, 287.740, and 287.742 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Section 1. Sections 6, 9, 12, 14, 15, 17, 23, 25, 28, 33,
- 2 37, 40, and 42 of Act No. 466 of the Public Acts of 1988, being
- 3 sections 287.706, 287.709, 287.712, 287.714, 287.715, 287.717,
- 4 287.723, 287.725, 287.728, 287.733, 287.737, 287.740, and 287.742
- 5 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, are amended to read as follows:
- 6 Sec. 6. (1) "Official calfhood vaccinate" means female
- 7 cattle that are vaccinated by an accredited veterinarian with a

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- 1 United States department of agriculture approved brucella abortus
- 2 vaccine in accordance with procedures and at an age approved by
- 3 the director.
- 4 (2) "Official certificate of record for sale" or "AH-275"
- 5 means a certificate issued by the director that certifies that
- 6 the health status of the individual animal identified on the cer-
- 7 tificate meets the requirements of this act, and that the indi-
- 8 vidual animal may be moved or sold to another person in this
- 9 state. The certificate shall be valid for a period of time, as
- 10 determined by the director.
- 11 (3) "Official ear tag" means an identification tag approved
- 12 by the United States department of agriculture or the -Michigan-
- 13 department. -of agriculture.-
- 14 (4) "Official interstate health certificate" or "official
- 15 interstate certificate of veterinary inspection" means a printed
- 16 form adopted by any state that records the information required
- 17 under section 20 and that is issued within 30 days before impor-
- 18 tation of the livestock it describes. A photocopy of an official
- 19 interstate health certificate or an official interstate certifi-
- 20 cate of veterinary inspection is an official copy if certified as
- 21 a true copy by the issuing veterinarian or a livestock health
- 22 official of the state of origin.
- 23 (5) "Official test" means a sample of specific material col-
- 24 lected from an animal by an accredited veterinarian and analyzed
- 25 by a laboratory certified by the United States department of
- 26 agriculture or the -Michigan- department -of-agriculture to
- 27 conduct the test, or a diagnostic injection administered and

- 1 analyzed by an accredited veterinarian. An official test shall
- 2 be conducted only by an accredited veterinarian except under spe-
- 3 cial permission by the director.
- 4 (6) "Official vaccination" means a vaccination that the
- 5 director has designated as reportable. An official vaccination
- 6 shall be administered by an accredited veterinarian and reported
- 7 on a form supplied by the department.
- 8 (7) "Over 19 months of age" means cattle that have the first
- 9 pair of permanent incisor teeth visibly present unless the owner
- 10 can document the exact age. Parturient or postparturient heifers
- 11 regardless of their age shall be considered over 19 months of
- 12 age.
- 13 (8) "Person" means an individual, partnership, corporation,
- 14 cooperative, association, joint venture, or other legal entity,
- 15 including, but not limited to, contractual relationships.
- 16 (9) "Poultry" means chickens, quinea fowl, turkeys, water-
- 17 fowl, pigeons, doves, and game birds that are propagated and
- 18 maintained under the control of a person.
- 19 (10) "Preapproved interstate health certificate" or
- 20 "preapproved interstate certificate of veterinary inspection"
- 21 means an official certificate attesting to the health of the
- 22 livestock that bears the endorsement of approval of the chief
- 23 animal health official of the state of origin prior to the ship-
- 24 ment of the livestock.
- 25 (11) "Prior entry permit" means a number that is obtained
- 26 from the department for specific species of livestock imported
- 27 into the state that is recorded on the official interstate health

- 1 certificate or official interstate certificate of veterinary
- 2 inspection.
- 3 (12) "Pullorum" means a disease of poultry caused by salmo-
- 4 nella pullorum.
- 5 (13) "Pullorum-typhoid clean flock" means a flock that
- 6 receives and maintains this status by fulfilling the requirements
- 7 prescribed in the NPIP.
- 8 (14) "REASONABLE ASSISTANCE" MEANS SAFELY AND COMFORTABLY
- 9 CONTROLLING AN ANIMAL BY CORRALLING, STABLING, KENNELING, HOLD-
- 10 ING, TYING, OR CONFINING BY HALTER OR LEASH OR CROWDING THE
- 11 ANIMAL IN A SAFE AND SENSIBLE MANNER SO AN EXAMINATION OR TESTING
- 12 PROCEDURE CONSIDERED NECESSARY BY THE DIRECTOR CAN BE PERFORMED.
- 13 (15) -(14)- "Reportable disease" means a disease in animals
- 14 in this state that poses a serious threat to the livestock indus-
- 15 try, public health, or human food chain.
- 16 (16) -(15) "Slaughter swine" means swine consigned for
- 17 slaughter purposes only.
- 18 (17) -(16)— "Sow" means any female swine that has weaned 1
- 19 litter or more.
- 20 (18) -(17)— "State veterinarian" means the chief animal
- 21 health official of the state as appointed by the director under
- 22 section 7.
- 23 (19) -(18) "Swine finishing facility" means a facility
- 24 approved by the director that is used only for swine weighing 120
- 25 pounds or more at the time of their entry.
- 26 (20) "TOXIC SUBSTANCE" MEANS ANY SUBSTANCE IN CONCENTRATIONS
- 27 WHICH ALONE OR IN COMBINATION PRESENTS A SIGNIFICANT THREAT TO

- 1 THE HEALTH, SAFETY, OR WELFARE TO HUMAN OR ANIMAL LIFE OR WHICH
- 2 HAS THE CAPACITY TO PRODUCE INJURY OR ILLNESS THROUGH INGESTION,
- 3 INHALATION, OR ABSORPTION THROUGH THE BODY SURFACE.
- 4 (21) -(19)- "U.S. registered shield" means a tattoo autho-
- 5 rized and approved by the United States department of agriculture
- 6 for use by an accredited veterinarian to designate cattle that
- 7 have been vaccinated for brucellosis.
- 8 (22) (20) "Veterinarian" means a person licensed to prac-
- 9 tice veterinary medicine under article 15 of the public health
- 10 code, Act No. 368 of the Public Acts of 1978, being sections
- 11 333.16101 to 333.18838 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, or under a
- 12 state or federal law applicable to that person.
- 13 (23) -(21) "Veterinary biological" means a product of bio-
- 14 logical origin used in the diagnosis, prevention, or treatment of
- 15 animal disease, including, but not limited to, serums, vaccines,
- 16 antitoxins, bacterins, and antigens.
- 17 (24) -(22) "Wild animal" means those animals that are not
- 18 traditionally domestic to North America or any cross of those
- 19 animals not traditionally domestic to North America.
- Sec. 9. (1) A person who discovers, suspects, or has reason
- 21 to believe that -livestock AN ANIMAL is either affected with a
- 22 reportable disease or contaminated with a toxic substance shall
- 23 immediately report that fact, suspicion, or belief to the
- 24 director. The director shall take appropriate action to investi-
- 25 gate the report. A person possessing -livestock- AN ANIMAL
- 26 affected with, or suspected of being affected with, a reportable
- 27 disease or contaminated with a toxic substance shall allow the

- 1 director to examine the -livestock ANIMAL or collect diagnostic
- 2 specimens. THE DIRECTOR MAY ENTER PREMISES WHERE ANIMAL PRODUCTS
- 3 OR ANIMAL FEEDS ARE SUSPECTED OF BEING CONTAMINATED WITH AN
- 4 INFECTIOUS, CONTAGIOUS, OR TOXICOLOGICAL DISEASE AND SEIZE,
- 5 IMPOUND, OR DISPOSE OF THE ANIMAL PRODUCTS OR FEED LOCATED ON THE
- 6 PREMISES. THE DIRECTOR MAY WITHHOLD A CERTAIN AMOUNT FROM
- 7 DESTRUCTION FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONTROLLED RESEARCH AND
- 8 EXPERIMENTATION. A person who knowingly possesses affected or
- 9 suspected -livestock- ANIMALS shall not expose other -livestock-
- 10 ANIMALS to the affected or suspected -livestock ANIMALS or oth-
- 11 erwise move the affected or suspected -livestock- ANIMALS except
- 12 with permission from the director.
- 13 (2) A person owning -livestock- ANIMALS shall provide rea-
- 14 sonable assistance to the director -by-confining and restraining
- 15 livestock for DURING THE examination and necessary testing
- 16 procedures.
- 17 (3) The director may call upon a law enforcement agency to
- 18 assist in carrying out the director's orders.
- 19 (4) A person shall not remove or alter the identification of
- 20 an animal for the purpose of misrepresentation of the animal's
- 21 identity or the ownership of the animal. A person shall not make
- 22 misrepresentations concerning the animal's health status to a
- 23 potential buyer.
- Sec. 12. (1) The director may declare a quarantine on ani-
- 25 mals in any district or region of this state for the purpose of
- 26 controlling or preventing the spread of an infectious,
- 27 contagious, or toxicological disease. A person shall not move

- 1 animals that are under guarantine without permission from the
- 2 director. A person shall not allow animals under quarantine to
- 3 mingle or have contact with animals not under quarantine without
- 4 permission by the director. The director may prescribe proce-
- 5 dures for the identification, inventory, separation, mode of han-
- 6 dling, treatment, feeding, and caring for the quarantined animals
- 7 to prevent the quarantined animals from infecting nonquarantined
- 8 animals. A PERSON SHALL NOT IMPORT INTO THIS STATE AN ANIMAL
- 9 FROM ANOTHER STATE OR JURISDICTION IF THAT ANIMAL IS UNDER QUAR-
- 10 ANTINE BY THE OTHER STATE OR JURISDICTION UNLESS THAT PERSON
- 11 OBTAINS PRIOR PERMISSION FROM THE DIRECTOR.
- 12 (2) An animal found running at large in violation of this
- 13 quarantine may be killed by a law enforcement agent. The direc-
- 14 tor may ask for the cooperation of a law enforcement agency to
- 15 enforce the provisions of this quarantine. An agent killing an
- 16 animal due to a quarantine under this section is not -subject to
- 17 liability for LIABLE TO THE OWNER OF the animal.
- 18 Sec. 14. (1) If it is determined by the director that the
- 19 control or eradication of a disease or condition of livestock
- 20 warrants the slaughter, destruction, or other disposition of the
- 21 livestock, the director shall order the slaughter, destruction,
- 22 or other disposition of the livestock. If the director has
- 23 signed an order for the slaughter, destruction, or other disposi-
- 24 tion of livestock, the director shall notify the attorney general
- 25 of the order. The attorney general shall notify the house and
- 26 senate appropriations committees and the department of management
- 27 and budget on the issue of indemnity under this section. THE

- 1 DIRECTOR MAY APPROVE FACILITIES FOR THE ORDERLY DISPOSAL OF
- 2 ANIMALS, ANIMAL PRODUCTS, AND ANIMAL FEEDS FOR THE PURPOSE OF
- 3 CONTROLLING OR PREVENTING THE SPREAD OF AN INFECTIOUS, CONTA-
- 4 GIOUS, OR TOXICOLOGICAL DISEASE. THE DIRECTOR MAY SELECT A SITE
- 5 FOR THE DISPOSAL WITH THE ADVICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPART-
- 6 MENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES.
- 7 (2) The director may, under rules promulgated by the depart-
- 8 ment, allow indemnification for the slaughter, destruction, or
- 9 other disposition of animals due to livestock diseases or toxico-
- 10 logical contamination. If the director has signed an order for
- 11 the slaughter, destruction or other disposition of livestock, the
- 12 owner may apply for indemnification. All animals shall be
- 13 treated as grade status animals for purposes of indemnification.
- 14 The director shall appraise and inventory the condemned
- 15 livestock. The appraisals and inventories shall be on forms
- 16 approved by the director. The director shall use state agricul-
- 17 tural statistical service pricing information to determine the
- 18 value of condemned livestock. If state agricultural statistical
- 19 service pricing information is not available, the director shall
- 20 use agricultural pricing information from commercial livestock
- 21 auction markets and other livestock market information as deter-
- 22 mined by the director to determine the value of condemned
- 23 livestock. Indemnification shall be based upon 75% of the fair
- 24 market value of that type of livestock on the date of the
- 25 appraisal as if the livestock was grade status and marketable for
- 26 the purpose for which the livestock was intended, not to exceed
- 27 \$1,000.00 for each animal, less any compensation received, or to

- 1 be received, from any other source including, but not limited to,
- 2 indemnification by the United States department of agriculture,
- 3 insurance, or salvage value. The owner shall furnish to the
- 4 department all records indicating other sources of indemnity. An
- 5 affidavit signed by the owner attesting to the amount of compen-
- 6 sation for the livestock received or to be received from any
- 7 other source shall accompany the appraisal certificate prior to
- 8 indemnification under this section.
- 9 (3) Indemnification pursuant to this section shall be
- 10 subject to annual appropriations by the legislature and shall not
- 11 be paid from department funds. Any agreement entered into
- 12 between the department and an owner of livestock shall contain a
- 13 provision indicating that notwithstanding the terms of the agree-
- 14 ment, indemnification shall be subject to appropriations by the
- 15 legislature.
- 16 (4) Acceptance of indemnification under this section does
- 17 not enlarge or diminish the owner's civil remedy against a person
- 18 responsible for the owner's loss except that acceptance of the
- 19 indemnity constitutes a release of the claim of the owner against
- 20 the state.
- 21 (5) The right to indemnity from the state for animals con-
- 22 demned and ordered slaughtered, destroyed, or otherwise disposed
- 23 of by the director applies only to native livestock. An owner is
- 24 not entitled to indemnity from the state for an animal that comes
- 25 into the possession of the owner with the owner's knowledge that
- 26 the animal is diseased or is suspected of having been exposed to
- 27 an infectious, contagious, or toxicological disease. IN

- 1 ADDITION, THE DIRECTOR SHALL NOT INDEMNIFY AN OWNER FOR ANIMALS
- 2 THAT HAVE BEEN EXPOSED TO AN ANIMAL THAT COMES IN TO THE POSSES-
- 3 SION OF THE OWNER WITH THE OWNER'S KNOWLEDGE THAT THE ANIMAL IS
- 4 DISEASED OR IS SUSPECTED OF HAVING BEEN EXPOSED TO AN INFECTIOUS,
- 5 CONTAGIOUS, OR TOXICOLOGICAL DISEASE.
- 6 (6) A premises that has been depopulated shall be cleaned
- 7 and disinfected if prescribed by the director.
- 8 (7) Repopulation of the premises, -other than EXCEPT AS
- 9 approved by the director, shall not -be eligible CONFER
- 10 ELIGIBILITY for future indemnity UNDER THIS SECTION.
- 11 (8) The department may cooperate and coordinate with the
- 12 secretary of the United States department of agriculture or the
- 13 secretary's authorized representative regarding indemnification
- 14 under this section.
- 15 Sec. 15. (1) The state shall not indemnify an owner of
- 16 livestock for the loss of the livestock due to an infectious,
- 17 contagious, or toxicological disease until the owner executes and
- 18 signs a subrogation agreement assigning to the state the rights
- 19 of the owner to a cause of action to recover damages for the loss
- 20 up to the amount of indemnification paid to the owner under this
- 21 act, and presents all necessary documents, including registration
- 22 papers, a statement of names and addresses of all persons to whom
- 23 or from whom the owner has transferred animals within a time
- 24 period determined by the director, and signed permission allowing
- 25 the breed association to disclose information requested by the
- 26 director.

- 1 (2) The attorney general may bring a civil OR CRIMINAL
- 2 action -to-recover the cost to the state- against a person
- 3 responsible for -intentionally or negligently UNLAWFULLY intro-
- 4 ducing an infectious, contagious, or toxicological disease into
- 5 -livestock ANIMALS, ANIMAL PRODUCTS, OR ANIMAL FEEDS in this
- 6 state.
- 7 Sec. 17. (1) The department -of-agriculture is authorized
- 8 and directed to SHALL cooperate with the United States depart-
- 9 ment of agriculture in the control and eradication of brucellosis
- 10 and pseudorabies in all porcine species in this state and to pro-
- 11 vide assistance to pseudorabies AND BRUCELLOSIS quarantined herds
- 12 for the PURPOSE OF elimination of pseudorabies AND BRUCELLOSIS
- 13 and removal of quarantines. THE DEPARTMENT MAY PARTICIPATE IN
- 14 THE MARKET SWINE IDENTIFICATION PROGRAM AS SET FORTH IN TITLE 9
- 15 OF THE CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS AND THE UNIFORM METHODS AND
- 16 RULES FOR BRUCELLOSIS ERADICATION APPROVED BY VETERINARY SERVICES
- 17 OF THE ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH INSPECTION SERVICE OF THE UNITED
- 18 STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE WHICH BECAME EFFECTIVE ON
- 19 JULY 1, 1986, AND ALL AMENDMENTS THEREAFTER ADOPTED PURSUANT TO
- 20 RULES PROMULGATED BY THE DIRECTOR, OR MAY TEST FOR PSEUDORABIES
- 21 OR BRUCELLOSIS IN ANY SAMPLES OF PORCINE BLOOD OR TISSUE COL-
- 22 LECTED AT A UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE OR DEPARTMENT
- 23 APPROVED SLAUGHTER FACILITY, ANY LIVESTOCK COLLECTION OR MARKET
- 24 FACILITY, OR ANY SAMPLE OR PORCINE BLOOD OR TISSUE SUBMITTED FOR
- 25 DIAGNOSTIC PURPOSES TO A UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
- 26 OFFICIALLY APPROVED LABORATORY. THE SLAUGHTER FACILITY,
- 27 LIVESTOCK COLLECTION OR MARKET FACILITY, OR LABORATORY SHALL

- 1 PROVIDE ADEQUATE ROOM TIME, AND SAFE CONDITIONS FOR THE
- 2 COLLECTION OF BLOOD OR TISSUE SAMPLES. ANY REMODELED OR NEW
- 3 SLAUGHTER FACILITIES, LIVESTOCK COLLECTION OR MARKET FACILITIES,
- 4 OR LABORATORIES CONSTRUCTED AFTER JANUARY 1, 1990, SHALL SUBMIT
- 5 PLANS TO THE DIRECTOR PRIOR TO REMODELING OR BUILDING FOR
- 6 APPROVAL OF BLOOD OR TISSUE COLLECTION AREAS, WHICH PLANS SHALL
- 7 PROVIDE FOR ADEQUATE ROOM AND SAFE CONDITIONS FOR THE COLLECTION
- 8 OF BLOOD OR TISSUE.
- 9 (2) All feeder -swine PIGS sold within this state, except
- 10 those exempted by the state veterinarian, must originate from
- 11 herds that have tested negative for pseudorabies. A percentage
- 12 of the breeding swine in a herd shall be tested according to a
- 13 schedule as prescribed by the director.
- 14 (3) A producer of feeder -swine PIGS whose sow herd has
- 15 tested negative for pseudorabies, in a county with no known pseu-
- 16 dorabies infection as determined by the director, may sell feeder
- 17 swine PIGS for 3 consecutive calendar years from the date of
- 18 the negative test, and shall have the feeder -swine- PIGS tested
- 19 for pseudorabies on the expiration of the third consecutive cal-
- 20 endar year. When pseudorabies infection is discovered in a
- 21 county, all feeder pig producers shall have a percentage of their
- 22 breeding swine in the herd pseudorabies tested on an annual basis
- 23 according to a schedule prescribed by the director.
- 24 (4) When a positive pseudorabies herd is identified, all
- 25 swine herds within 1-1/2 miles shall, upon the request of the
- 26 director, submit their swine for an official pseudorabies test
- 27 for the detection of pseudorabies and shall provide the necessary

- 1 assistance as required by the director. The department shall be
- 2 responsible for all costs and personnel for the collection and
- 3 analyses of test samples under this subsection.
- 4 (5) Except as otherwise provided, a producer shall be
- 5 responsible for all costs of tests required under this act. Upon
- 6 the testing of a sow herd, a producer shall receive a certificate
- 7 of compliance on a form prescribed by the director.
- 8 (6) Brucellosis or pseudorabies positive swine shall be
- 9 traced back to the farm of origin. The farm of origin shall be
- 10 notified within 60 days -of- AFTER the date the department is
- 11 notified of positive swine.
- 12 (7) When the farm of origin has been identified, the owner
- 13 of the swine herd in this state shall, upon request by the direc-
- 14 tor, submit their swine for an official test for the detection of
- 15 brucellosis or pseudorabies and shall provide the necessary
- 16 facilities for handling and restraining the swine, and shall
- 17 render any REASONABLE assistance required by the director. The
- 18 department shall provide personnel and assume expense for the
- 19 collection and analysis of blood samples.
- 20 (8) Following positive brucellosis or pseudorabies tests
- 21 results, a quarantine shall be issued on the swine herd at the
- 22 farm.
- 23 (9) The department permits federal pseudorabies virus vacci-
- 24' nated controlled herd status AS DEFINED IN TITLE 9 OF THE CODE OF
- 25 FEDERAL REGULATIONS.

- Sec. 23. (1) Except as exempted in section 24, cattle
- 2 entering the state shall meet -at least 1 OR MORE of the
- 3 following requirements:
- 4 (a) Originate directly from an accredited tuberculosis-free
- 5 state AS DEFINED IN TITLE 9 OF THE CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS
- 6 AND THE UNIFORM METHODS AND RULES FOR BOVINE TUBERCULOSIS ERADI-
- 7 CATION APPROVED BY VETERINARY SERVICES OF THE ANIMAL AND PLANT
- 8 HEALTH INSPECTION SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF
- 9 AGRICULTURE WHICH BECAME EFFECTIVE ON MARCH 31, 1988, AND ALL
- 10 AMENDMENTS THEREAFTER ADOPTED PURSUANT TO RULES PROMULGATED BY
- 11 THE DIRECTOR.
- 12 (b) Originate directly from an accredited tuberculosis-free
- 13 herd AS DEFINED IN TITLE 9 OF THE CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS AND
- 14 THE UNIFORM METHODS AND RULES FOR BOVINE TUBERCULOSIS ERADICATION
- 15 APPROVED BY VETERINARY SERVICES OF THE ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH
- 16 INSPECTION SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
- 17 WHICH BECAME EFFECTIVE ON MARCH 31, 1988, AND ALL AMENDMENTS
- 18 THEREAFTER ADOPTED PURSUANT TO RULES PROMULGATED BY THE
- 19 DIRECTOR.
- (c) Have a negative tuberculosis test within 60 days before
- 21 importation.
- (2) Female cattle over 19 months of age and bulls over 6
- 23 months of age shall test negative to an official brucellosis test
- 24 within 30 days before importation or originate directly from a
- 25 certified brucellosis-free herd AS DEFINED IN TITLE 9 OF THE CODE
- 26 OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS AND THE UNIFORM METHODS AND RULES FOR
- 27 BRUCELLOSIS ERADICATION APPROVED BY VETERINARY SERVICES OF THE

- 1 ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH INSPECTION SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES
- 2 DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE WHICH BECAME EFFECTIVE ON JULY 1, 1986,
- 3 AND ALL AMENDMENTS THEREAFTER ADOPTED PURSUANT TO RULES PROMUL-
- 4 GATED BY THE DIRECTOR.
- 5 (3) Female cattle over 4 months of age shall be officially
- 6 calfhood vaccinated against brucellosis and the vaccination
- 7 tattoo shall be visibly present. The vaccination status and vac-
- 8 cination tattoo shall be recorded on the official interstate
- 9 health certificate or official interstate certificate of veteri-
- 10 nary inspection. The vaccination tattoo shall be observed by the
- 11 accredited veterinarian preparing the certificate and shall be
- 12 considered legible if the letter "V", surrounded by a
- 13 U.S. registered shield, can be identified.
- 14 (4) Except as provided in section 24, all cattle shall test
- 15 negative to an official bluetonque test within 30 days before
- 16 importation or permission shall be obtained from the director to
- 17 import the cattle without an official bluetongue test.
- 18 (5) Dairy or breeding cattle shall have a prior entry
- 19 permit. Female dairy or breeding cattle over 19 months of age or
- 20 bulls over 6 months of age imported from states classified bru-
- 21 cellosis B and C by the United States department of agriculture
- 22 shall be quarantined at the destination. Unless otherwise pro-
- 23 vided for by the director, female cattle over 19 months of age
- 24 and bulls over 6 months of age imported from states classified
- 25 brucellosis B and C by the United States department of agricul-
- 26 ture, shall test negative to an official brucellosis test not
- 27 sooner than 45 days nor more than 120 days after movement to the

- 1 destination for release from quarantine. The dairy or breeding
- 2 cattle shall not be sold or moved from the premises where they
- 3 are quarantined, without permission from the director.
- 4 Sec. 25. (1) Swine, other than swine consigned directly to
- 5 a slaughterhouse or to an approved livestock market for sale as
- 6 slaughter swine, shall not be imported into this state without a
- 7 prior entry permit from the director.
- 8 (2) Swine brought into this state for slaughter shall be
- 9 delivered only to a slaughterhouse approved by the director to
- 10 receive livestock for slaughter, or to a collection facility spe-
- 11 cifically approved by the director to receive swine for
- 12 slaughter. The swine shall be killed within 48 hours after
- 13 arrival at the slaughterhouse.
- 14 (3) Breeding swine, 4 months of age or older and brought
- 15 into this state, shall be accompanied by proof that the swine
- 16 have tested negative to an official test for brucellosis in the
- 17 1:25 dilution, conducted in a state or federal laboratory within
- 18 30 days before importation, or shall originate directly from a
- 19 validated brucellosis-free herd of swine AS SET FORTH IN TITLE 9
- 20 OF THE CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS AND THE UNIFORM METHODS AND
- 21 RULES FOR BRUCELLOSIS ERADICATION APPROVED BY VETERINARY SERVICES
- 22 OF THE ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH INSPECTION SERVICE OF THE UNITED
- 23 STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE WHICH BECAME EFFECTIVE ON
- 24 JULY 1, 1986, AND ALL AMENDMENTS THEREAFTER ADOPTED PURSUANT TO
- 25 RULES PROMULGATED BY THE DIRECTOR.
- 26 (4) Breeding swine, 4 months of age or older and imported
- 27 into this state, shall test negative to an official pseudorabies

- 1 test conducted within 30 days before importation, or shall
- 2 originate directly from a pseudorabies qualified negative herd as
- 3 defined by the uniform methods and rules of the United States
- 4 department of agriculture IN TITLE 9 OF THE CODE OF FEDERAL
- 5 REGULATIONS.
- 6 (5) Breeding swine brought into this state shall be guaran-
- 7 tined at their destination. The breeding swine shall be released
- 8 from the quarantine upon receipt of an official negative pseudo-
- 9 rabies test result. The test shall be conducted not less than 30
- 10 nor more than 60 days following the date of importation.
- 11 (6) Swine imported into this state shall be identified by
- 12 ear tag or tattoo which includes the United States department of
- 13 agriculture code for the state of origin.
- 14 (7) The importation of swine vaccinated for pseudorabies is
- 15 prohibited except upon a special permit issued by the director.
- 16 (8) A person shall not bring swine into this state from auc-
- 17 tion sales or other collection facilities where slaughter swine
- 18 are handled. This subsection does not apply to a person import-
- 19 ing swine for slaughter purposes only.
- 20 (9) Feeder -swine- PIGS imported into this state shall meet
- 21 1 of the following requirements:
- 22 (a) Originate directly from a pseudorables-qualified nega-
- 23 tive herd or a pseudorables-controlled vaccinated herd as defined
- 24 by the uniform methods and rules of the United States department
- 25 of agriculture IN TITLE 9 OF THE CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS.
- 26 (b) Originate directly from a state which participates in a
- 27 pseudorabies testing program that is approved by the director.

- 1 (c) Originate directly from a pseudorabies-qualified free
- 2 state as designated by the United States department of
- 3 agriculture.
- 4 Sec. 28. (1) Goats, other than goats consigned directly to
- 5 a slaughterhouse or to an approved livestock market for sale as
- 6 slaughter goats, shall not be imported into this state without a
- 7 prior entry permit from the director.
- 8 (2) Goats shall test negative to an official tuberculosis
- 9 test within 60 days before importation or originate directly from
- 10 a herd that is accredited tuberculosis-free AS DEFINED IN THE
- 11 UNIFORM METHODS AND RULES FOR BOVINE TUBERCULOSIS ERADICATION
- 12 APPROVED BY VETERINARY SERVICES OF THE ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH
- 13 INSPECTION SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
- 14 WHICH BECAME EFFECTIVE ON MARCH 31, 1988, AND ALL AMENDMENTS
- 15 THEREAFTER ADOPTED PURSUANT TO RULES PROMULGATED BY THE
- 16 DIRECTOR.
- 17 (3) Goats, except wethers, shall test negative to an offi-
- 18 cial test for brucellosis within 30 days before importation or
- 19 originate directly from a herd that is certified brucellosis-free
- 20 BY THE STATE OF ORIGIN.
- 21 (4) Goats shall test negative to an official bluetongue test
- 22 within 30 days before importation unless permission is obtained
- 23 from the director to import the goats without an official blue-
- 24 tongue test.
- Sec. 33. (1) Except upon permission from the director,
- 26 female dairy or breeding cattle, 4 months of age or older, or
- 27 bulls 6 months of age or older, within this state, shall not be

- 1 sold, leased, or moved to associate with cattle of another owner,
- 2 unless each animal is accompanied by either an official certifi-
- 3 cate of record for sale form or, if a vaccinated female under 20
- 4 months of age, a brucellosis certificate of record of official
- 5 calfhood vaccination form issued by the department. The certifi-
- 6 cate required by this section shall not be necessary in the case
- 7 of native cattle for exhibition not under guarantine and origi-
- 8 nating from a certified brucellosis-free area of the state AS
- 9 DEFINED IN TITLE 9 OF THE CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS AND THE
- 10 UNIFORM METHODS AND RULES FOR BRUCELLOSIS ERADICATION APPROVED BY
- 11 VETERINARY SERVICES OF THE ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH INSPECTION
- 12 SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE WHICH
- 13 BECAME EFFECTIVE ON JULY 1, 1986, AND ALL AMENDMENTS THEREAFTER
- 14 ADOPTED PURSUANT TO RULES PROMULGATED BY THE DIRECTOR.
- 15 (2) An official certificate of record for sale form may be
- 16 obtained if 1 of the following occurs:
- 17 (a) When cattle originate directly from a brucellosis
- 18 certified-free herd AS DEFINED IN TITLE 9 OF THE CODE OF FEDERAL
- 19 REGULATIONS AND THE UNIFORM METHODS AND RULES FOR BRUCELLOSIS
- 20 ERADICATION APPROVED BY VETERINARY SERVICES OF THE ANIMAL AND
- 21 PLANT HEALTH INSPECTION SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT
- 22 OF AGRICULTURE WHICH BECAME EFFECTIVE ON JULY 1, 1986, AND ALL
- 23 AMENDMENTS THEREAFTER ADOPTED PURSUANT TO RULES PROMULGATED BY
- 24 THE DIRECTOR or a herd that has received a complete negative herd
- 25 test within the last 12 months and, in the case of females over 4
- 26 months of age, shall be official calfhood vaccinates. THE
- 27 VACCINATION TATTOO SHALL BE OBSERVED BY THE ACCREDITED

- 1 VETERINARIAN AND SHALL BE CONSIDERED LEGIBLE IF THE LETTER "V",
- 2 SURROUNDED BY A U.S. REGISTERED SHIELD, CAN BE IDENTIFIED. Only
- 3 cattle tested on the complete herd test, or a natural addition to
- 4 the herd, can comply with this subdivision.
- 5 (b) When a vaccinated female over 19 months of age or a bull
- 6 over 6 months of age that does not meet the requirements of sub-
- 7 division (a) tests negative to an official brucellosis test
- 8 within 90 days before movement and, in the case of females over 4
- 9 months of age, is an official calfhood vaccinate WITH THE VACCI-
- 10 NATION TATTOO VISIBLY PRESENT. THE TATTOO SHALL BE CONSIDERED
- 11 LEGIBLE IF THE LETTER "V", SURROUNDED BY A U.S. REGISTERED
- 12 SHIELD, CAN BE IDENTIFIED.
- 13 (3) Cattle shall be individually identified by an official
- 14 ear tag. For individual identification other than the official
- 15 ear tag, approval shall be obtained from the director prior to
- 16 movement to associate with other cattle. The seller, seller's
- 17 agent, or lessor has the responsibility for furnishing an AH-275
- 18 or AH-005 form.
- 19 (4) Dairy or breeding cattle accompanied by an AH-275 form
- 20 or, if under 20 months of age, an AH-005 form, may be sold at
- 21 livestock -auctions licensed under Act No. 284 of the Public Acts
- 22 of 1937, being sections 287.121 to 287.131 of the Michigan
- 23 Compiled Laws AUCTION MARKET. Dairy or breeding cattle shall be
- 24 handled and housed in facilities and pens in a manner approved by
- 25 the director. The alleys and sale rings used for dairy or breed-
- 26 ing cattle shall be cleaned and disinfected before each sale.
- 27 After cleaning and disinfecting, they shall not be used by

- 1 untested slaughter cattle or reactor cattle before use by dairy
- 2 or breeding cattle. The pens, facilities, and the procedures for
- 3 cleaning and disinfecting shall be approved by the director.
- Sec. 37. (1) For the purpose of this act, a public stock-
- 5 yard, auction sale yard, livestock yard, garbage feeding
- 6 premises, and slaughterhouse premises shall be considered as
- 7 infected with the organisms of infectious diseases of swine.
- 8 (2) Swine shall not be moved or sold from a public stock-
- 9 yard, auction sale yard, livestock yard, garbage feeding lot or
- 10 premises, or slaughterhouse premises except for immediate
- 11 slaughter.
- 12 (3) Swine, including feeder pigs, that are sold or moved
- 13 within this state to associate with swine of another owner shall
- 14 be identified individually by an official ear tag or tattoo.
- 15 (4) Breeding swine which are sold or moved within this state.
- 16 to associate with swine of another owner shall be accompanied by
- 17 1 of the following:
- (a) Proof that the swine originate directly from a pseudora-
- 19 bies qualified-negative herd or a controlled vaccinated herd as
- 20 defined by the uniform methods and rules of the United States
- 21 department of agriculture IN TITLE 9 OF THE CODE OF FEDERAL
- 22 REGULATIONS. Proof may consist of a copy of a valid certificate.
- 23 issued by the department stating that the herd meets the require-
- 24 ments for a pseudorabies qualified-negative herd or a controlled
- 25 vaccinated herd.

- 1 (b) An official swine test report that indicates that the
- 2 swine have been tested for pseudorabies within 30 days before
- 3 sale or movement and have received negative results.
- 4 (5) A person who moves or sells swine shall, upon request,
- 5 present for inspection the documents required by subsection (4),
- 6 and a person who sells breeding swine shall provide to the pur-
- 7 chaser a copy of the documents.
- 8 Sec. 40. (1) A fair shall have an accredited veterinarian
- 9 on call whenever there are animals on the premises during the
- 10 fair. A FAIR, EXHIBITION, OR SHOW AUTHORITY SHALL DO BOTH OF THE
- 11 FOLLOWING:
- 12 (A) NOTIFY EXHIBITORS OF HEALTH TESTS AND CERTIFICATES
- 13 REQUIRED FOR IMPORTATION AND EXHIBITION IN THIS STATE.
- 14 (B) EXAMINE AND APPROVE REQUIRED HEALTH CERTIFICATES AND
- 15 SHOW PAPERS PRIOR TO THE LIVESTOCK EXHIBITION.
- 16 (2) Livestock with clinical signs of infectious, contagious,
- 17 or toxicological disease shall be removed from the fair.
- 18 (3) Swine shall be individually identified by an official
- 19 ear tag or, only for registered swine accompanied by registration
- 20 papers, by ear notches.
- 21 (4) Swine for exhibition in this state shall be accompanied
- 22 by 1 or more of the following:
- 23 (a) Proof that the swine originate directly from a pseudora-
- 24 bies qualified-negative herd as defined by the uniform methods
- 25 and rules of the United State department of agriculture. Proof-
- 26 IN TITLE 9 OF THE CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS, WHICH PROOF may
- 27 consist of a copy of a valid certificate issued by the department

- 1 stating that the herd meets the requirements for a pseudorables
- 2 qualified-negative herd.
- 3 (b) Unless the swine are piglets nursing a pseudorabies neg-
- 4 ative sow, an official swine test report that indicates the swine
- 5 have been tested for pseudorabies within 45 days before exhibi-
- 6 tion and have tested negative.
- 7 (5) Upon request, a person who exhibits swine shall present
- 8 for inspection the reports required by this section to accompany
- 9 the swine.
- 10 Sec. 42. (1) Whenever an official test is conducted or an
- 11 official vaccination is administered, livestock shall, unless
- 12 exempted by the director, be permanently identified in a manner
- 13 approved by the director.
- 14 (2) The result of an official test shall be reported on a
- 15 form supplied by the department. If a tissue sample is submitted
- 16 for analysis, a properly completed sample submission form sup-
- 17 plied by the department shall accompany the sample. A tissue
- 18 sample shall be obtained and submitted only by a licensed,
- 19 accredited veterinarian. A form used to report the results of an
- 20 official test, sample submission, or official vaccination shall
- 21 be properly prepared and completed BY THE VETERINARIAN as desig-
- 22 nated by the director.
- (3) An official brucellosis calfhood vaccination shall be
- 24 performed by an accredited veterinarian in compliance with the
- 25 method outlined in TITLE 9 OF THE CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS AND
- 26 the -brucellosis eradication uniform methods and rules FOR
- 27 BRUCELLOSIS ERADICATION APPROVED BY VETERINARY SERVICES OF THE

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- 3 AND ALL AMENDMENTS THEREAFTER published by the United States
- 4 department of agriculture AND ADOPTED PURSUANT TO RULES PROMUL-
- 5 GATED BY THE DIRECTOR.
- 6 (4) Except upon special permission from the director, offi-
- 7 cial brucellosis calfhood vaccination shall be performed only on
- 8 female cattle between the ages of 4 and 8 months.
- 9 (5) A person shall not tattoo any animal with the official
- 10 brucellosis vaccination tattoo unless the animal is an official
- 11 brucellosis calfhood vaccinate.
- 12 (6) Testing and surveillance for brucellosis and tuberculo-
- 13 sis shall be as follows:
- 14 (a) A brucellosis ring test shall be conducted on each herd
- 15 shipping milk to a dairy plant in this state. The test shall be
- 16 conducted as outlined in TITLE 9 OF THE CODE OF FEDERAL REGULA-
- 17 TIONS AND the brucellosis eradication uniform methods and rules
- 18 FOR BRUCELLOSIS ERADICATION APPROVED BY VETERINARY SERVICES OF
- 19 THE ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH INSPECTION SERVICE OF THE UNITED
- 20 STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE WHICH BECAME EFFECTIVE ON
- 21 JULY 1, 1986, AND ALL AMENDMENTS THEREAFTER published by the
- 22 United States department of agriculture AND ADOPTED PURSUANT TO
- 23 RULES PROMULGATED BY THE DIRECTOR.
- 24 (b) Disease surveillance for tuberculosis and brucellosis
- 25 shall be conducted through the market cattle identification pro-
- 26 gram as set forth in TITLE 9 OF THE CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS
- 27 AND the UNIFORM METHODS AND RULES FOR brucellosis eradication

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- 4 AFTER ADOPTED PURSUANT TO RULES PROMULGATED BY THE DIRECTOR and
- 5 -tuberculosis eradication THE uniform methods and rules FOR
- 6 BOVINE TUBERCULOSIS ERADICATION APPROVED BY VETERINARY SERVICES
- 7 OF THE ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH INSPECTION SERVICE OF THE UNITED
- 8 STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE WHICH BECAME EFFECTIVE ON
- 9 MARCH 31, 1988, AND ALL AMENDMENTS THEREAFTER published by the
- 10 United States department of agriculture AND ADOPTED PURSUANT TO
- 11 RULES PROMULGATED BY THE DIRECTOR.
- 12 (7) THE DEPARTMENT MAY PARTICIPATE IN THE PROGRAMS DESCRIBED
- 13 IN SUBSECTION (6) AND MAY TEST FOR BRUCELLOSIS AND TUBERCULOSIS
- 14 IN ANY SAMPLE OF CATTLE BLOOD OR TISSUE COLLECTED AT A UNITED
- 15 STATES DEPARTMENT OR DEPARTMENT APPROVED SLAUGHTER FACILITY, ANY
- 16 LIVESTOCK COLLECTION OR MARKET FACILITY, OR ANY SAMPLE OF CATTLE
- 17 BLOOD OR TISSUE SUBMITTED FOR DIAGNOSTIC PURPOSES TO A UNITED
- 18 STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE OFFICIALLY APPROVED LABORATORY.
- 19 THE SLAUGHTER FACILITY, LIVESTOCK COLLECTION OR MARKET FACILITY,
- 20 OR LABORATORY SHALL PROVIDE ADEQUATE ROOM, TIME, AND SAFE CONDI-
- 21 TIONS FOR THE COLLECTION OF BLOOD OR TISSUE SAMPLES. ANY REMOD-
- 22 ELED OR NEW SLAUGHTER FACILITIES, LIVESTOCK COLLECTION OR MARKET
- 23 FACILITIES, OR LABORATORIES CONSTRUCTED AFTER JANUARY 1, 1990,
- 24 SHALL SUBMIT PLANS TO THE DIRECTOR PRIOR TO REMODELING OR BUILD-
- 25 ING FOR APPROVAL PROVIDING THAT BLOOD OR TISSUE COLLECTION AREAS,
- 26 WHICH PLANS SHALL PROVIDE FOR ADEQUATE ROOM AND SAFE CONDITIONS
- 27 FOR THE COLLECTOR OF BLOOD OR TISSUE.