



New Mexico Livestock Board

Movement and Shipping Requirements for BEEF Cattle and Bison

To comply with New Mexico Livestock Board Statutes and Rules the following requirements apply to cattle and bison:

1) **Interstate Movement** of BEEF cattle **INTO NEW MEXICO FROM ANOTHER STATE** will require:

- **Certificate of Veterinary Inspection** dated within **30 days** prior to entry into the State of New Mexico. (NMAC 21.32.4.8)
- **Trich Statement on the CVI** that cattle did not originate from a known Trichomoniasis-positive herd. **(NMAC 21.30.6.8.A. and B.)**
- **Effective May 4, 2015**

*Any livestock (equine, bovine, porcine, caprine, ovine, or cervidae) interstate movements **into** New Mexico from a county where vesicular stomatitis has been diagnosed in the last **fourteen (14) days**, or from a county that has livestock quarantined for vesicular stomatitis, shall be accompanied by an Interstate Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (ICVI), dated within the **fourteen (14) days** before entry, with the following veterinary verification statement:*

*"All animals identified on this certificate of veterinary inspection
were inspected and found to be free
from clinical signs of vesicular stomatitis."*

- **An entry permit** issued by the NMLB office (NMSA 77-9-28, NMAC 21.32.4.8). Please contact the NMLB permit line for an entry permit (800) 432-6889.
- **Tuberculin testing** of any BEEF cattle originating from any state, territory or area with **other than** Accredited Free status for bovine tuberculosis. (NMAC 21.30.4.11.A.)
- **A negative test for Brucellosis** within 30 days prior to entry into New Mexico, or proof of vaccination of females, is required of all sexually-intact BEEF cattle ≥ 6 months of age that originate from any state of **less than** Accredited Free status for Brucellosis. (NMAC 21.32.4.9) **A negative test or proof of vaccination for Brucellosis is also required** for sexually-intact BEEF cattle females originating from the following counties in the Greater Yellowstone Area (GYA) Designated Surveillance Zone for Bovine Brucellosis (NMAC 21.35.4.11.A.):

Idaho: Fremont, Teton, Bonneville and Caribou Counties

Montana: Park, Gallatin, Madison and Beaverhead Counties

Wyoming: Park, Teton, Hot Springs, Sublette, Lincoln and Fremont Counties

- **A single negative PCR test for bovine Trichomoniasis ("Trich") for all BEEF bulls ≥ 12 months of age** within 60 days prior to entry into New Mexico. (NMAC 21.30.6.8) In all cases tested bulls should be allowed NO sexual contact from the time of sampling until the bulls' entry into New

Mexico. BEEF bulls entering for exhibition purposes are exempt. The CVI for all cattle must bear a statement that "T. fetus has not been diagnosed in the herd of origin".

- ✓ **Please contact the NM State Veterinarian's Office for entry requirements for ANY BEEF cattle from a herd KNOWN to be Trich-positive.**
- **An import inspection and a Form-1** issued by an NMLB inspector for BEEF cattle that have entered New Mexico from another state, performed after arrival and **before** those cattle are commingled with any other cattle on the receiving premises.
(NMSA 77-9-28, NMAC 21.32.4.8)
- **PLEASE NOTE: Additional requirements for such movement of BEEF cattle may exist due to special circumstances such as a disease outbreak. Check with NM State Veterinarian's Office for the most current entry requirements before movement.**

*IN ADDITION, the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Title 9, Part 86 requires official identification for interstate movement for all sexually intact beef cattle 18 months of age and older, except if the cattle are being moved directly to a recognized slaughtering establishment or directly to no more than one approved livestock facility and then directly to a recognized slaughtering establishment, where they are harvested within 3 days of arrival; **OR** directly to an approved livestock facility that is also an official tagging site, where official identification is then to be applied before the cattle are commingled with any other cattle. Feeder heifers are currently exempted from this requirement.*

- 2) **Interstate Movement** of BEEF cattle **FROM THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO ANOTHER STATE** will require **at a minimum:**
- **An export inspection and NMLB Form 1 or Form 1A** issued by an NMLB livestock or brand inspector. (NMSA 77-9-31, NMAC 21.32.3.9)
 - **Must meet all entry requirements of the receiving state. PLEASE NOTE: The NM owner or their veterinarian should check with the State Veterinarian's Office in the state of destination for the most current entry requirements before movement.**

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- 3) **Intrastate Movement** of BEEF cattle **WITHIN THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO** and **crossing inspection district boundaries** requires an in state move **Form 1 or Form 1A** inspection by an NMLB livestock

inspector or brand inspector. Cattle and sheep bearing legal NM brand and horses bearing such brand or other otherwise identified by another means authorized by NM statute or rule may move to a NM licensed livestock auction market under a permit issued by the market (Form X). Additional requirements for such movement of BEEF cattle within the state may exist due to special circumstances such as a disease outbreak. Check with your local inspector or the NM State Veterinarian's Office before movement. (NMAC 21.32.3.9)

- 4) **Intrastate Movement** of BEEF cattle **WITHIN AN NMLB INSPECTION DISTRICT** may be done with proof of ownership, typically the owner's NM registered brand or a bill of sale. (NMAC 21.32.3.8)