

1 Board of Animal Health

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3 Adopted Permanent Rules Relating to Disease Control

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5 Rules as Adopted

6 IMPORTATION OF CATTLE AND BISON

7 1700.0100 DEFINITIONS.

8 Subpart 1. **Scope.** The definitions in this part apply to
9 this chapter.

10 [For text of subps 2 to 5, see M.R.]

11 Subp. 6. **Breeding cattle.** "Breeding cattle" means all
12 cattle except steers, spayed heifers, and heifers of beef breed
13 between the ages of six and 18 months imported for feeding
14 purposes, or slaughter cattle as defined in subpart 17.

15 [For text of subps 7 and 8, see M.R.]

16 Subp. 8a. **Certificate of veterinary inspection.**

17 "Certificate of veterinary inspection" means a certificate
18 issued by an accredited veterinarian after a physical
19 examination, stating that the cattle described are free from
20 symptoms of contagious, infectious, or communicable disease, and
21 must include a statement of the origin of the cattle and the
22 name and address of the consignee.

23 [For text of subps 9 to 11, see M.R.]

24 Subp. 12. [See repealer.]

25 [For text of subp 13, see M.R.]

26 Subp. 14. **Official calfhood vaccinate.** "Official calfhood
27 vaccinate" means a female bovine animal vaccinated against
28 brucellosis with an approved Brucella vaccine while from four to
29 ten months (120 to 299 days) of age, permanently identified as a
30 vaccinate, and reported at the time of vaccination to the
31 appropriate state or federal agency cooperating in the
32 eradication of bovine brucellosis.

33 [For text of subp 15, see M.R.]

34 Subp. 16. **S-branded cattle.** "S-branded cattle" means
35 cattle that have been identified by branding with a hot iron the

1 letter "S" at least two by two inches on the left jaw or high on
2 the tailhead over the fourth to seventh coccygeal vertebrae.

3 [For text of subp 17, see M.R.]

4 1700.0200 CATTLE CONSIGNED TO PUBLIC STOCKYARDS, APPROVED
5 MARKETS, OR SLAUGHTERING ESTABLISHMENTS.

6 Cattle of any class may be consigned without a certificate
7 of veterinary inspection or tests to a public stockyard or
8 market approved under parts 1715.0780 to 1715.1250.

9 Cattle for immediate slaughter only may be consigned
10 without a certificate of veterinary inspection or tests to
11 slaughtering establishments where the federal government
12 maintains inspection.

13 1700.0500 SHIPMENTS OF CATTLE NOT NEEDING CERTIFICATES OF
14 VETERINARY INSPECTION.

15 The shipments of cattle in items A and B do not need
16 certificates of veterinary inspection:

17 A. cattle of any class consigned to the public
18 stockyards or markets approved under parts 1715.0780 to
19 1715.1250; and

20 B. slaughter cattle shipped directly to slaughtering
21 establishments under federal inspection.

22 1700.0550 CATTLE RETURNED TO MINNESOTA FROM PASTURE.

23 Cattle not under quarantine owned by Minnesota residents
24 who are not livestock dealers may be returned to the herd of
25 origin from pastures in other states without tests or
26 certificates of veterinary inspection if a permit is secured
27 from the board prior to movement.

28 Permits for return from pasture may be issued by the
29 executive secretary or a designee if the pasture is owned,
30 leased, or operated by the Minnesota resident, the pasture is
31 contiguous to Minnesota land owned by the applicant, only the
32 applicant's cattle are in the pasture, and the pasture has been
33 inspected by a representative of the board.

34 1700.0600 CERTIFICATES OF VETERINARY INSPECTION FOR CATTLE.

1 Cattle of any class consigned to individuals or to state
2 approved markets must be accompanied by a certificate of
3 veterinary inspection. Certificates of veterinary inspection
4 must show:

5 A. the consignee's name and address;

6 B. the status of the herd and area of origin;

7 C. all identity numbers of the animals in the
8 shipment where required by parts 1700.0100 to 1700.1500;

9 D. the results of all tests required in parts
10 1700.0700 to 1700.1050;

11 E. date of vaccination or ear tattoo of official
12 calfhood brucellosis-vaccinated cattle;

13 F. age, sex, and breed;

14 G. the purpose for which the cattle are to be moved;
15 and

16 H. permit number where required.

17 All certificates of veterinary inspection must be submitted
18 to the animal health office of the state of origin for approval
19 within one week of the issue date.

20 1700.0700 REQUIREMENT FOR BRUCELLOSIS TEST.

21 Official tests for brucellosis in the state of origin must
22 be used. All tests must be confirmed at a state-federal
23 cooperative laboratory. Cattle may commence movement based on
24 negative tests by authorized persons prior to laboratory
25 confirmation.

26 With the exception of items A to G, all cattle must be
27 negative to brucellosis tests within 30 days prior to movement
28 into Minnesota:

29 A. cattle from certified brucellosis-free herds or
30 certified brucellosis-free states not going through cattle
31 concentration points, as defined in part 1705.0060, subpart 2a;

32 B. calves under six months of age;

33 C. cattle shipped directly to the public stockyards
34 or markets approved under parts 1715.0780 to 1715.1250;

35 D. slaughter cattle going directly to a slaughtering

1 establishment under federal inspection;

2 E. official calfhood vaccinated dairy heifers under
3 20 months of age and official calfhood vaccinated beef heifers
4 under 24 months of age;

5 F. beef-type heifers under 18 months of age for
6 feeding purposes entering a Minnesota feedlot under permit from
7 the board; and

8 G. steers and spayed heifers.

9 1700.0800 REQUIREMENT FOR ANAPLASMOSIS TEST.

10 With the exception of items A to G, all cattle must be
11 tested negative to an official anaplasmosis test at an approved
12 laboratory within 30 days prior to movement:

13 A. calves under six months of age;

14 B. cattle shipped directly to a public stockyard or
15 markets approved under parts 1715.0780 to 1715.1250;

16 C. slaughter cattle going directly to a slaughtering
17 establishment under federal inspection;

18 D. beef-type heifers under 18 months of age for
19 feeding purposes entering a Minnesota feedlot under permit from
20 the board;

21 E. steers and spayed heifers;

22 F. cattle from Canada, states adjacent to Minnesota,
23 and the low incidence states determined by United States
24 Department of Agriculture annual survey; and

25 G. cattle that have been sampled for anaplasmosis,
26 the results of which are pending, provided a permit has been
27 secured from the board.

28 1700.1050 REQUIREMENT FOR TUBERCULOSIS TEST.

29 All bison six months of age and over must be negative to a
30 caudal fold tuberculin test within 60 days prior to movement
31 into Minnesota.

32 1700.1200 CATTLE UNDER QUARANTINE.

33 Cattle imported without a certificate of veterinary
34 inspection except where specifically exempted in parts 1700.0100

1 to 1700.1500, or imported when not in compliance with parts
2 1700.0100 to 1700.1500 are under quarantine. The cattle must be
3 examined and tested to meet the requirements of parts 1700.0100
4 to 1700.1500 by an accredited veterinarian at owner's expense
5 within 72 hours thereafter. Cattle that are not negative to
6 brucellosis or anaplasmosis must be sent to slaughter on permit
7 or returned to the herd of origin on a permit from the state of
8 origin. Cattle with other infectious, contagious, or
9 communicable disease must be sent to slaughter with permit,
10 returned to the point of origin with permit, or continued in
11 quarantine at the direction of the board.

12 1700.1300 PERMITS.

13 The types of cattle in items A to D may be imported with a
14 certificate of veterinary inspection for a stated purpose
15 provided a permit is obtained from the board prior to movement:

- 16 A. calves less than two months of age;
17 B. cattle from class B and class C states;
18 C. female feeding cattle of beef type and breed less
19 than 18 months of age entering for feeding purposes without
20 tests; or
21 D. cattle that have been sampled for anaplasmosis,
22 the results of which are pending.

23 1700.1400 CATTLE IMPORTED FROM STATES NOT CERTIFIED
24 BRUCELLOSIS-FREE.

25 Cattle may be imported from states that are not certified
26 brucellosis-free if the requirements in items A and B are met.
27 Cattle originating in Minnesota that are out of Minnesota for
28 less than 30 days for an exhibition or as embryo donors or
29 recipients are exempt.

- 30 A. Cattle from class A states require a negative test
31 within 30 days prior to movement.
32 B. Cattle from class B or class C states require a
33 permit, a negative test within 30 days prior to movement, and a
34 retest in not less than 45 nor more than 120 days following
35 arrival.

1 1700.1500 IMPORTING FEEDING CATTLE.

2 Feeding cattle may be imported as follows: steers, spayed
3 heifers, and calves under six months of age must be listed on a
4 certificate of veterinary inspection but need not be identified
5 or tested; heifers of beef type and breed under 18 months of age
6 must be listed on a certificate of veterinary inspection but
7 need not be identified or tested provided a permit is secured
8 from the board. Cattle of this class imported from states
9 classified with "B" or "C" status by Veterinary Services, United
10 States Department of Agriculture, must be branded on the jaw
11 with a hot iron with the letter "F" at least two inches high.
12 The cattle must be segregated from all other cattle except
13 steers, spayed heifers, like quarantined cattle, or cattle
14 purchased in accordance with a feeder affidavit quarantine as
15 provided in parts 1705.0060 to 1705.0540. Segregation must
16 consist of a drylot with no pasturing and grazing and double
17 fencing to prevent access to drainage and other cattle. The
18 cattle may be: retained in a feedlot for a period not to exceed
19 12 months; sold for further feeding under feeder affidavit
20 quarantine as provided in parts 1705.0060 to 1705.0540; sold for
21 slaughter; or moved to another state if the movement is in
22 compliance with state and federal regulations.

23 Upon application by the owner of quarantined cattle that
24 originated in states classified "A" or "Free" by Veterinary
25 Services, United States Department of Agriculture, the board at
26 its discretion may grant permission to the owner to make the
27 necessary tests at the owner's expense to relieve the
28 quarantine. The requirements for tests must not be less than
29 the tests required for breeding cattle.

30 IMPORTATION OF DOGS AND CATS

31 1700.1600 CERTIFICATES OF VETERINARY INSPECTION FOR IMPORTATION
32 OF DOGS AND CATS.

33 All dogs and cats imported into Minnesota must be
34 accompanied by a certificate of veterinary inspection issued by
35 an accredited veterinarian except:

- 1 A. performing dogs and cats in professional animal
2 acts;
- 3 B. dogs and cats for exhibition which are covered by
4 parts 1715.0010 to 1715.0190;
- 5 C. dogs and cats for research at educational and
6 scientific institutions; and
- 7 D. dogs and cats entering a veterinary facility for
8 treatment, surgery, or diagnostic procedures.

9 1700.1700 CONTENTS OF CERTIFICATES OF VETERINARY INSPECTION.

10 A certificate of veterinary inspection must certify that
11 the dog or cat has been inspected and is free of visible signs
12 of infectious, contagious, or communicable disease and certify
13 that if the dog or cat is three months of age or over, it has a
14 current rabies vaccination with a United States Department of
15 Agriculture licensed rabies vaccine according to the package
16 insert directions. The name of the vaccine, vaccine serial
17 number, and date of vaccination or revaccination are to be
18 entered on the certificate of veterinary inspection. A copy
19 must be forwarded to the Board of Animal Health by the approving
20 agency of the state of origin.

21 IMPORTATION OF GOATS

22 1700.1900 CERTIFICATE OF VETERINARY INSPECTION FOR GOATS.

23 All goats imported into Minnesota for purposes other than
24 slaughter must be accompanied by a certificate of veterinary
25 inspection showing individual identification by ear tag number,
26 tattoo, or registration number for all goats six months of age
27 and over.

28 A copy of the certificate of veterinary inspection approved
29 by the animal health official of the state of origin must be
30 immediately forwarded to the Board of Animal Health.

31 IMPORTATION OF HORSES, MULES, AND ASSES

32 1700.2100 DEFINITIONS.

33 Subpart 1. **Scope.** The definitions in this part apply to
34 parts 1700.2100 to 1700.2550.

1 [For text of subps 2 to 5, see M.R.]

2 Subp. 5a. **Official test.** "Official test" means the
3 Coggins test or other tests approved by the United States
4 Department of Agriculture conducted at a United States
5 Department of Agriculture approved laboratory.

6 Subp. 6. **Reactor.** "Reactor" means any horse which
7 discloses a positive reaction to an EIA test.

8 1700.2200 CERTIFICATES OF VETERINARY INSPECTION FOR HORSES.

9 All horses imported into Minnesota must be accompanied by a
10 certificate of veterinary inspection issued by an accredited
11 veterinarian within 30 days prior to date of importation except:

12 A. performing horses used by rodeos, circuses, and as
13 animal acts;

14 B. horses brought into the state for participation in
15 trail rides, exhibitions, and horse shows where the horses are
16 examined by an official veterinarian;

17 C. horses consigned to slaughtering establishments
18 under federal inspection; and

19 D. reactors consigned to a federally inspected
20 slaughtering establishment operated under the Federal Meat
21 Inspection Act that are officially identified and accompanied by
22 a shipping permit issued at the point of origin by a state or
23 federal veterinarian or an accredited veterinarian.

24 A test is not required for horses listed as exceptions in
25 this part or suckling foals accompanying a negative dam.

26 1700.2300 CONTENTS OF CERTIFICATE OF VETERINARY INSPECTION.

27 The certificate of veterinary inspection must certify that
28 the horses have been examined by an accredited veterinarian
29 within 30 days prior to importation and must include an accurate
30 and complete description of each horse in the shipment including
31 age, sex, color, and markings. Registered horses may be
32 identified by registration name and number.

33 The certificate of veterinary inspection must certify that
34 all horses in this shipment were negative to an approved test
35 for EIA conducted at an approved laboratory within 12 months

1 prior to date of importation. The test date and the name of the
2 laboratory must be recorded on the certificate of veterinary
3 inspection.

4 A copy of the certificate of veterinary inspection approved
5 by the chief livestock regulatory official of the state of
6 origin must be mailed to the board.

7 1700.2310 PERMITS.

8 If a blood sample has been drawn but there is insufficient
9 time to obtain the laboratory results of the EIA test prior to
10 the importation, a permit for the importation of horses without
11 final laboratory results may be obtained from the board if the
12 veterinarian requesting the permit agrees to submit the
13 laboratory results promptly to the board.

14 1700.2400 SALES.

15 Horses imported into Minnesota for sale or resale must be
16 accompanied by a certificate of veterinary inspection and must
17 be tested and negative for EIA before leaving the sale premises
18 if sold to remain in Minnesota, unless the certificate of
19 veterinary inspection certifies to a negative test for EIA
20 conducted at an approved laboratory within 12 months prior to
21 the date of sale.

22 1700.2450 REACTORS.

23 Reactors must be quarantined, destroyed, consigned for
24 slaughter to a slaughtering establishment under federal
25 inspection, or returned to the state of origin under a permit
26 issued by the state of origin. Reactors may not be moved
27 intrastate except on a permit issued by the board. Reactors may
28 only be moved interstate in accordance with Code of Federal
29 Regulations, part 75.

30 1700.2500 HORSES IMPORTED WITHOUT THE REQUIRED TEST FOR EIA.

31 Horses imported without the required test for EIA must be
32 quarantined for an immediate test at the owner's expense. The
33 test must be completed within 30 days of entry into Minnesota.

34 IMPORTATION OF POULTRY

1 1700.3110 DEFINITIONS.

2 Subpart 1. **Scope.** The definitions in this part apply to
3 parts 1700.3110 to 1700.4500.

4 Subp. 2. **Backyard chickens.** "Backyard chickens" means
5 chickens of any breed in a flock that contains less than 1,000
6 birds.

7 Subp. 3. **Board.** "Board" means the Board of Animal Health.

8 Subp. 4. **Control program.** "Control program" means one or
9 more of the state or state and federal cooperative programs for
10 the control or eradication of poultry diseases.

11 Subp. 5. **Disease control classification.** "Disease control
12 classification" means the negative status of a flock as
13 pertaining to one or more of the control program diseases.

14 Subp. 6. **Other domesticated fowl.** "Other domesticated
15 fowl" means fancy, exhibition, and game chickens, waterfowl, and
16 game birds maintained in captivity, excluding pigeons and doves.

17 Subp. 7. **Poultry.** "Poultry" means turkeys, chickens, and
18 other domesticated fowl.

19 1700.3400 POULTS, CHICKS, AND HATCHING EGGS.

20 Hatching eggs and poultry under five months of age may be
21 imported under the conditions in items A to C.

22 A. The importer must have a certificate of veterinary
23 inspection or National Poultry Improvement Plan Form VS 9-3.

24 B. The importer must have a permit from the board.
25 Annual permits are available. The application for a permit must
26 be endorsed by the official disease control agency of the state
27 of origin and must indicate the disease control classifications
28 of the flock of origin.

29 C. The flocks of origin must have the disease control
30 classifications as follows:

31 (1) turkeys, including wild and exhibition
32 turkeys: salmonella pullorum-typhoid, salmonella typhimurium,
33 mycoplasma gallisepticum, mycoplasma synoviae, and sanitation
34 monitored;

35 (2) egg-type chickens: salmonella

1 pullorum-typhoid, mycoplasma gallisepticum, mycoplasma synoviae,
2 and sanitation monitored;

3 (3) meat-type chickens: salmonella

4 pullorum-typhoid, mycoplasma gallisepticum, and mycoplasma
5 synoviae; and

6 (4) backyard chickens, exhibition, game, and
7 waterfowl: salmonella pullorum-typhoid.

8 1700.3600 SHIPPING CONTAINERS.

9 Only new or cleaned and disinfected poultry boxes or
10 containers may be used to ship poultry into Minnesota. The name
11 and address of the consignor and consignee, the breed, the
12 disease control classifications, and the Minnesota permit number
13 must be on the container or on the invoice that accompanies the
14 container.

15 1700.3700 EXCEPTIONS.

16 The board may waive the requirement for certain disease
17 classifications for obtaining a poultry importation permit if
18 the classification is no longer available.

19 Birds imported for immediate slaughter are exempt from
20 parts 1700.3400 and 1700.3800.

21 1700.3800 ADULT POULTRY.

22 Poultry over five months of age may be imported only under
23 the conditions in items A to C.

24 A. The importer must have an official certificate of
25 veterinary inspection certifying that the poultry are free from
26 evidence of any infectious, contagious, or communicable disease
27 and have not been exposed to such a disease.

28 B. The poultry must be tested for or have the
29 following disease control classifications:

30 (1) turkeys, including wild and exhibition
31 turkeys: salmonella pullorum-typhoid, salmonella typhimurium,
32 mycoplasma gallisepticum, mycoplasma synoviae, and sanitation
33 monitored;

34 (2) egg-type chickens: salmonella

1 pullorum-typhoid, mycoplasma gallisepticum, mycoplasma synoviae,
2 and sanitation monitored;

3 (3) meat-type chickens: salmonella
4 pullorum-typhoid, mycoplasma gallisepticum, and mycoplasma
5 synoviae; and

6 (4) backyard chickens, exhibition, game, and
7 waterfowl: salmonella pullorum-typhoid.

8 C. Upon arrival, all birds must be kept separate from
9 other poultry for at least 30 days. Retesting for their
10 respective disease control classifications is recommended.

11 IMPORTATION OF CERVIDAE

12 1700.4900 DEFINITIONS.

13 Subpart 1. **Scope.** The definitions in this part apply to
14 parts 1700.4900 to 1700.5300.

15 Subp. 2. **Cervidae.** "Cervidae" means all mammals of the
16 family Cervidae, including deer, elk, moose, caribou, and
17 reindeer.

18 1700.5000 REQUIREMENT FOR IMPORT PERMIT.

19 A permit must be obtained prior to the importation of any
20 Cervidae.

21 1700.5100 REQUIREMENT FOR CERTIFICATE.

22 All Cervidae imported into Minnesota must be accompanied by
23 a certificate issued by an accredited veterinarian.

24 1700.5200 REQUIREMENT FOR BRUCELLOSIS TEST.

25 All Cervidae six months of age and over must be negative to
26 a brucellosis test within 30 days prior to movement into
27 Minnesota.

28 1700.5300 REQUIREMENT FOR TUBERCULOSIS TEST.

29 All Cervidae six months of age and over must be negative to
30 a test for tuberculosis approved by the board within 90 days
31 prior to movement into Minnesota.

32 ERADICATION OF BOVINE AND BISON BRUCELLOSIS

33 1705.0060 DEFINITIONS.

1 Subpart 1. **Scope.** The definitions in this part apply to
2 parts 1705.0060 to 1705.0510.

3 Subp. 1a. **Board.** "Board" means the Minnesota Board of
4 Animal Health or its authorized agent.

5 Subp. 2. **Cattle.** "Cattle" means both bovine and bison.

6 Subp. 2a. **Cattle concentration point.** "Cattle
7 concentration point" means a facility or location where cattle
8 are assembled for sale or resale for feeding, breeding, or
9 slaughter purposes and where contact may occur between groups of
10 cattle from various sources. Cattle concentration point
11 includes, without limitation, a public stockyard, auction
12 market, state or federal market, consignment sale location, and
13 livestock dealer's yard, truck, and facilities.

14 Subp. 3. **Exposed cattle.** "Exposed cattle" means cattle
15 that are part of a known affected herd or have been in contact
16 with brucellosis reactors in marketing channels regardless of
17 the blood test results.

18 [For text of subps 4 and 5, see M.R.]

19 Subp. 6. **Market cattle test or MCT.** "Market cattle test"
20 or "MCT" means a brucellosis test conducted on marketed cattle.

21 Subp. 7. **Official brucellosis calfhooD vaccinate.**
22 "Official brucellosis calfhooD vaccinate" means female dairy
23 cattle under 20 months of age and female beef cattle under 24
24 months of age vaccinated against brucellosis using Brucella
25 abortus vaccine, strain 19, live culture, reduced dose while
26 they are from four to ten months (120 to 299 days) of age.

27 Subp. 8. **Owner.** "Owner" means the legal owner, the
28 owner's agents, and the person in possession of or caring for
29 the cattle.

30 [For text of subps 9 to 15, see M.R.]

31 Subp. 16. **Veterinarian.** "Veterinarian" means a
32 veterinarian licensed and accredited in Minnesota or a
33 veterinarian of the United States Department of Agriculture.

34 1705.0260 OFFICIAL VACCINATION.

35 Brucella vaccine must be licensed by the United States

1 Department of Agriculture. Vaccine must be sold to and
2 administered by veterinarians only. Vaccine must be
3 administered by the method and dosage described by the
4 manufacturer or the board.

5 Brucella abortus vaccine, strain 19, live culture, reduced
6 dose, may be administered to female dairy and beef cattle while
7 they are from four to ten months (120 to 299 days) of age.

8 1705.0310 CATTLE VACCINATED WITH BRUCELLA ABORTUS STRAIN 19
9 VACCINE.

10 Cattle vaccinated with Brucella abortus Strain 19 vaccine
11 other than females of authorized ages are not official
12 vaccinates, and, when tested, must be diagnosed as unvaccinated
13 cattle.

14 1705.0320 AREA PLAN PARTICIPATION.

15 The ring test must be conducted at least twice a year at
16 approximately equal intervals. Herds with suspicious ring tests
17 must be investigated within 30 days.

18 The board may collect blood samples for the brucellosis
19 test from breeding cattle two years of age and over at
20 concentration points, locker plants, and slaughtering
21 establishments. Reactors must be traced to herd of origin and
22 the herd investigated within 30 days.

23 1705.0430 SALES OF CATTLE AND LEASING OR LOANING CATTLE FOR
24 BREEDING.

25 All cattle over six months (209 days) of age passing
26 through a cattle concentration point must be tested negative for
27 brucellosis within 30 days prior to sale or lease or loan except:

28 A. cattle sold directly to a slaughtering
29 establishment for immediate slaughter;

30 B. cattle consigned to a public stockyards or state
31 and federal approved markets;

32 C. steers and spayed heifers;

33 D. official dairy vaccinates under 20 months of age
34 and beef vaccinates under 24 months of age not parturient or

1 postparturient;

2 E. female feeding cattle under 18 months of age of
3 beef type and breed sold in accordance with Minnesota Statutes,
4 section 35.245, subdivision 3, providing:

5 (1) the purchaser furnishes the seller and board
6 copies of complete affidavits as furnished by the board;

7 (2) the board may inspect the cattle and the
8 premises on which they are maintained at any reasonable time;
9 and

10 (3) there are facilities to maintain said cattle
11 separate and apart from all other cattle except steers, spayed
12 heifers, or other quarantined feeding cattle. The facilities
13 must include double fencing where the cattle are confined in
14 such a manner as to prevent access to other cattle in adjoining
15 yards, pastures, or fields, and such fencing as may be necessary
16 to prevent access of the quarantined cattle to water courses or
17 drainage ditches which flow through or discharge on such other
18 yards, pastures, or fields.

19 1705.0460 CERTIFICATES.

20 The vendor of all cattle passing through a cattle
21 concentration point and eligible for test sold, leased, or
22 loaned shall provide the purchaser or lessee a certificate with
23 a record of a negative brucellosis test, and, for official
24 vaccinates not eligible for test, a certificate of vaccination
25 or evidence of a legible official vaccination tattoo.
26 Certificates must be provided at the time possession of the
27 cattle is transferred.

28 1705.0510 TEST ELIGIBLE CATTLE WITHOUT NEGATIVE BRUCELLOSIS TEST.

29 Any test eligible cattle, passing through a cattle
30 concentration point, sold, leased, or loaned without a negative
31 brucellosis test within 30 days prior to sale, leasing, or
32 loaning must be quarantined to the premises of the person that
33 received the cattle. The quarantine must be in effect until the
34 cattle are tested for brucellosis at the expense of the vendor.
35 Cattle which do not pass the brucellosis test must be shipped

1 for slaughter or returned to the premises of the vendor by
2 permit issued by the board.

3 ERADICATION OF BOVINE TUBERCULOSIS

4 1705.0840 DEFINITIONS.

5 Subpart 1. **Scope.** The definitions in this part apply to
6 parts 1705.0840 to 1705.1085.

7 Subp. 1a. **Board.** "Board" means the Minnesota Board of
8 Animal Health or its authorized agent.

9 Subp. 1b. **Cervidae.** "Cervidae" means all mammals of the
10 family Cervidae, including deer, elk, moose, caribou, and
11 reindeer.

12 [For text of subps 2 to 11, see M.R.]

13 1705.1040 ESTABLISHMENT AND MAINTENANCE OF TUBERCULOSIS-FREE
14 ACCREDITED CATTLE HERD.

15 An agreement to comply with parts 1705.0840 to 1705.1085
16 must be signed and filed with the board by the owner.

17 1705.1081 ESTABLISHMENT AND MAINTENANCE OF TUBERCULOSIS-FREE
18 ACCREDITED CERVIDAE HERD.

19 An agreement to comply with parts 1705.0840 to 1705.1085
20 must be signed and filed with the board by the owner.

21 1705.1082 ACCREDITATION.

22 If all Cervidae over six months of age have been found
23 negative on an initial test for tuberculosis approved by the
24 board and on two retests at intervals of ten to 14 months on all
25 Cervidae over six months of age and all herd additions other
26 than natural additions have been found negative on a test for
27 tuberculosis approved by the board, the herd must be accredited
28 for a period of 24 months (730 days) and a certificate of
29 accreditation must be issued.

30 1705.1083 CANCELLATION OR SUSPENSION OF ACCREDITATION.

31 Accreditation must be canceled if additions are made
32 contrary to part 1705.1084 or an isolation of mycobacterium
33 bovis is made. Accreditation must be suspended if an animal in

1 the herd is positive to a test for bovine tuberculosis. This
2 suspension must end if a determination is made that the animal
3 is not infected with bovine tuberculosis.

4 1705.1084 ADDITION TO ACCREDITED HERDS.

5 Additions to accredited herds must be from an accredited
6 herd. Individual Cervidae from an untested herd that are to be
7 added to an accredited herd must be negative to a test for
8 tuberculosis approved by the board within 90 days prior to entry
9 and be kept isolated from all Cervidae in the accredited herd
10 until negative to a test for tuberculosis approved by the board
11 conducted at least 90 days after entry. Cervidae added under
12 the immediately preceding category must not receive accredited
13 herd status for sale purposes until they have been members of
14 the herd at least 90 days and included in a herd retest.

15 1705.1085 REACCREDITATION.

16 Herds must be reaccredited for 24 months from the
17 anniversary date of the accreditation if all animals over six
18 months of age and all additions other than natural additions
19 have been found negative to a test for tuberculosis approved by
20 the board and all natural additions have been individually
21 identified and recorded on the report of the test as members of
22 the herd at the time of the reaccreditation test. The test for
23 reaccreditation must be within a period of 22 to 26 months of
24 the anniversary date of the accreditation.

25 PUBLIC EXHIBITION OF LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY IN MINNESOTA

26 1715.0005 DEFINITIONS.

27 Subpart 1. **Scope.** The definitions in this part apply to
28 parts 1715.0005 to 1715.0162.

29 [For text of subps 2 and 3, see M.R.]

30 Subp. 3a. **Other domesticated fowl.** "Other domesticated
31 fowl" means fancy, exhibition, and game chickens, waterfowl, and
32 game birds maintained in captivity, excluding pigeons and doves.

33 Subp. 3b. **Poultry.** "Poultry" means turkey, chickens, and
34 other domesticated fowl.

1 [For text of subps 4 and 5, see M.R.]

2 Subp. 6. [See repealer.]

3 Subp. 7. **Turkeys.** "Turkeys" means domestic, exhibition,
4 and wild turkeys maintained in captivity.

5 1715.0072 EXHIBITION OF CATTLE.

6 Cattle must be examined by the official veterinarian on the
7 day they are admitted to the exhibition.

8 1715.0105 SWINE PSEUDORABIES.

9 All swine, except swine entered in a slaughter class
10 pursuant to part 1715.0060, must:

11 A. have had a negative pseudorabies test conducted
12 within 30 days prior to the opening date of the exhibition, a
13 record of which and the result must be entered on a test chart
14 or certificate of veterinary inspection and presented to the
15 official veterinarian at the time of entry; or

16 B. originate from a qualified pseudorabies negative
17 herd or a pseudorabies-controlled vaccinated herd pursuant to
18 parts 1705.2480 and 1705.2490, with the qualified herd number or
19 pseudorabies-controlled vaccinated herd number and date of last
20 qualifying test reported to the official veterinarian at the
21 time of entry.

22 1715.0110 EXHIBITION OF SHEEP.

23 Sheep must be examined by the official veterinarian on the
24 day they are admitted to the exhibition.

25 1715.0115 EXHIBITION OF GOATS.

26 Goats must be examined by the official veterinarian on the
27 day they are admitted to the exhibition.

28 1715.0130 EXHIBITION OF HORSES.

29 Horses must be examined by the official veterinarian on the
30 day they are admitted to the exhibition. Trail rides are exempt
31 from the requirements of part 1715.0040, items C and D, and this
32 part. Those horse shows which are programmed to be completed
33 within a period of 12 hours and at which horses are not stabled

1 overnight are exempt from the requirements of part 1715.0040,
2 items C and D, and this part. The commission veterinarian shall
3 enforce the provisions of this part on horses brought to a
4 racetrack licensed by the Minnesota Racing Commission. If no
5 commission veterinarian has been appointed, the management shall
6 employ an official veterinarian as defined in part 1715.0005,
7 subpart 3.

8 1715.0140 EXHIBITION OF POULTRY.

9 Poultry, except waterfowl and pigeons, must be individually
10 identified with a leg or wing band and accompanied by a form
11 approved by the board to show compliance with one of the
12 following: negative test for pullorum-typhoid disease conducted
13 within 90 days prior to the opening date of the exhibition;
14 originate directly from parent stock tested and found negative
15 for pullorum-typhoid disease within the last 12 months. In
16 addition, turkeys must be negative for salmonella typhimurium,
17 mycoplasma gallisepticum, and mycoplasma synoviae.

18 ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY ORIGINATING
19 OUTSIDE MINNESOTA

20 1715.0160 CATTLE, GOATS, SWINE, POULTRY, AND SHEEP.

21 All cattle, goats, swine, poultry, and sheep must meet all
22 requirements in parts 1715.0005 to 1715.0162 for livestock and
23 poultry originating in Minnesota and must also meet the board's
24 importation requirements of parts 1700.0100 to 1700.1500,
25 1700.1800 to 1700.2000, 1700.2600 to 1700.3010, 1700.3100 to
26 1700.3800, 1700.4600, and 1700.4700. Certificates of veterinary
27 inspection and required tests, except pseudorabies tests for
28 swine which must be made within 30 days, must be accepted if
29 issued and conducted within 90 days prior to the opening date of
30 the exhibition.

31 APPROVED MARKETS FOR CATTLE

32 1715.0780 DEFINITIONS.

33 Subpart 1. Scope. The definitions in this part apply to
34 parts 1715.0780 to 1715.1180.

1 [For text of subps 2 to 6, see M.R.]

2 Subp. 6a. **Certificate of veterinary inspection.**

3 "Certificate of veterinary inspection" means a certificate
4 issued by a veterinarian, on an official form of the state of
5 origin, certifying that the animals are free from visible signs
6 of contagious, infectious, or communicable disease. Statements
7 with reference to brucellosis status of area of origin and name
8 and address of consignee shall be included. Record of tests or
9 vaccination and individual identification must be recorded when
10 required.

11 [For text of subp 7, see M.R.]

12 Subp. 8. [See repealer.]

13 [For text of subps 9 and 10, see M.R.]

14 Subp. 11. **Official vaccinate.** "Official vaccinate" means
15 a female bovine animal vaccinated against brucellosis with an
16 approved Brucella vaccine while from four to ten months (120 to
17 299 days) of age, permanently identified as a vaccinate, and
18 reported at the time of vaccination to the appropriate state or
19 federal agency.

20 [For text of subp 12, see M.R.]

21 1715.0850 CERTIFICATES OF VETERINARY INSPECTION.

22 The official veterinarian shall examine and accept or
23 refuse certificates of veterinary inspection of all cattle
24 consigned to the sale, and prohibit the sale of cattle not
25 accompanied by proper certificates of veterinary inspection
26 until necessary examinations and required tests are completed.

27 1715.0870 MASTER TEST SHEET AND OTHER MARKET RECORDS.

28 Cattle moving through the market accompanied by
29 certificates of veterinary inspection must be listed on the
30 master test sheet, and along with data as to the certificate of
31 veterinary inspection. Certificates of veterinary inspection
32 accompanying cattle must be maintained with other market records.

33 1715.0960 PAVING WITH IMPERVIOUS MATERIALS.

34 Sales rings, alleys, testing chutes, and pens used for all

1 livestock, must be paved with cement or other impervious
2 materials.

3 1715.1100 CATTLE FROM OTHER STATES.

4 Cattle originating in other states may be consigned to the
5 market when accompanied by a certificate of veterinary
6 inspection complying with the Minnesota importation requirements
7 and certifying to origin in a modified certified brucellosis
8 area, or a certificate of veterinary inspection showing
9 individual identification, certifying to origin in a modified
10 certified brucellosis area, or a declaration signed by the owner
11 showing address of origin, description and number of cattle in
12 shipment, destination, and further stating cattle are not under
13 quarantine because of disease.

14 1715.1130 CERTIFICATE OF VETERINARY INSPECTION.

15 Cattle entering market accompanied by a certificate of
16 veterinary inspection certifying to origin in a modified
17 certified brucellosis area are subject to tests at the market.

18 1715.1140 CATTLE SOLD WITHOUT FURTHER TESTING.

19 Cattle entering market accompanied by certificate of
20 veterinary inspection with necessary tests for brucellosis
21 conducted within 30 days prior to date of importation and
22 recorded thereon, and certifying to origin in modified certified
23 brucellosis area, may be sold without further testing.

24 1715.1180 BRUCELLOSIS TEST EXCEPTIONS.

25 All dairy cattle over six months of age and all beef cattle
26 eight months of age and over must pass a negative test for
27 brucellosis prior to release from the market, except:

28 A. steers;

29 B. cattle from certified brucellosis-free herds;

30 C. cattle accompanied by a record of a brucellosis
31 test signed by a veterinarian showing the cattle have been
32 tested for brucellosis and found negative less than 30 days
33 before the date of sale while owned by the consignor;

34 D. official vaccinates of dairy breeds under 20

1 months of age and beef breeds under 24 months of age;

2 E. female cattle of beef type, under 18 months of age
3 sold for feeding and grazing purposes under permit or affidavit
4 and quarantine; and

5 F. cattle for immediate slaughter, identified with an
6 official backtag.

7 REPEALER. Minnesota Rules, parts 1700.0100, subpart 12;
8 1700.2000; 1700.3100; 1705.0470; 1715.0005, subpart 6;
9 1715.0070; 1715.0080; 1715.0100; 1715.0120; 1715.0180;
10 1715.0780, subpart 8; 1720.0820; 1720.0830; 1720.0840; and
11 1720.0850, are repealed.