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AMPA3013 Make second leg opening cuts

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Application

This unit describes the skills and knowledge required to perform second leg opening cuts on the hind leg of cattle, buffalo, camels, horses and deer.

This unit is applicable to abattoirs and knackeries.

All work should be carried out to comply with workplace procedures, customer requirements and product specifications.

This unit applies to individuals who work under broad direction and take responsibility for their own work including limited responsibility for the work of others. They provide and communicate solutions to a range of predictable problems.

No occupational licensing, legislative or certification requirements are known to apply to this unit at the time of publication.

This unit must be delivered and assessed in the context of Australian meat processing standards and regulations.

Pre-requisite Unit

AMPX209 Sharpen knives

AMPA3010 Overview legging operation

Unit Sector

Elements and Performance Criteria

Element	Performance criteria
Elements describe the essential outcomes.	Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element.
1. Make second leg cuts	1.1 Remove strip of hide along the hock of the second leg in accordance with work instructions 1.2 Open hide down the inside of the second leg with minimum

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	contamination in accordance with work instructions 1.3 Identify and comply with workplace health and safety requirements for the legging area 1.4 Wash hands and sterilise knives before and after trimming 1.5 Trim contamination and dispose of waste in accordance with work instructions

Foundation Skills

Foundation Skills essential to performance are explicit in the performance criteria of this unit of competency.

Range of Conditions

Unit Mapping Information

This unit is equivalent to MTMP3013C Make second leg opening cuts.

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=5e2e56b7-698f-4822-84bb-25adbb8443a7>

Assessment Requirements for AMPA3013 Make second leg opening cuts

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Performance Evidence

The candidate must perform second leg opening cuts on the hind leg of cattle, buffalo, camels, horses or deer.

The candidate must:

- demonstrate methods used to achieve a hide with good shape and consistency
- follow the requirements of the relevant work instruction
- dispose of any trimmings in accordance with work instructions
- apply communication skills relevant to work instructions and Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs)
- apply relevant regulatory and workplace requirements

Knowledge Evidence

The candidate must demonstrate a factual, technical, procedural and theoretical knowledge of:

- anatomical features of livestock relevant to second leg opening cuts
- second leg operations and work instructions
- equipment sterilisation requirements
- relevant workplace health and safety requirements
- enterprise quality requirements for hides
- relevant regulatory and workplace requirements

Assessment Conditions

Assessment has to be conducted in an operating meat processing plant.

Competency must be demonstrated at the normal chain speed over a period of time.

As a minimum, the following three forms of assessment must be used:

- quiz of underpinning knowledge
- workplace demonstration
- workplace referee or third-party report of performance over time

Assessors must satisfy the current standards for RTOs.

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