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Modification History

Release	Comments
Release 1	This version released with AMP Australian Meat Processing Training Package Version 8.0.

Performance Evidence

An individual demonstrating competency must satisfy all of the elements and performance criteria in this unit.

There must be evidence that the individual has managed animal identification data and systems to receive and process at least one lot of livestock in a meat processing premises, including:

- checked animal identification devices, Property Identification Codes (PICs), National Vendor Declarations (NVDs), electronic NVDs (ENVDs)
- identified status alerts and taken corrective actions
- downloaded or compiled reports utilising animal identification data.

The individual must manage National Livestock Identification System (NLIS) data for stock identified with Radio Frequency Identification Devices (RFIDs) from the point of arrival at an abattoir and whilst they are in lairage.

The individual must have:

- received stock
- used mathematical skills to verify stock arriving against number listed on NVD/Post Sale Summary (PSS)
- checked NLIS devices
- communicated issues/matters arising to internal management
- read and interpreted a pre-sale catalogue or vendor declaration
- read and interpreted an NVD and PSS
- used communication skills relevant to work instructions and standard operating procedures (SOPs) to interact with agents or transporters, and raise and explain issues and problems
- used negotiation skills to resolve issues such as problems with original location, incomplete NVDs or PICs
- taken appropriate steps to minimise workplace health and safety risks when working with livestock.

Knowledge Evidence

An individual must be able to demonstrate the knowledge required to perform the tasks outlined in the elements and performance criteria of this unit. This includes knowledge of:

- the animal identification system in use at site, including the origin and nature of the system, its commercial importance, its role in food safety and importing country requirements, and its role in traceability
- national and state regulatory requirements for animal tags for animal species received at worksite
- movement documents, including NVD, PSS, waybill, and documents used in state jurisdictions such as Transported Stock Statement (TSS), a buyer's reconciliation provided by the saleyard, or a permit issued by an authorised officer
- database operations and how to download reports for various outputs
- where to go for assistance with database issues
- the animal identification system tagging, which may include RFIDs and boluses for NLIS system, or tags and tattoos for pigs
- purpose, nature of and regulations underpinning the use of PICs
- purpose of NVDs and ENVDs and the information included
- purpose, nature of and regulations underpinning the use of PICs
- animal identification system devices, including scanners
- PIC status codes, abbreviations and what they mean, and the required actions to be taken in response
- issues that can arise with original location, incomplete NVDs or PICs, and associated corrective actions
- the role of pre-sale catalogues and PSSs from saleyards
- the role of animal identification on kill sheets.

Assessment Conditions

Assessment of the skills in this unit of competency must take place under the following conditions:

- physical conditions:
 - skills must be demonstrated in a meat processing workplace or an environment that accurately represents workplace conditions
- resources, equipment and materials:
 - animal identification system (NLIS or PigPass) and associated devices
 - tagged livestock
 - relevant movement documents
- specifications:
 - standard operating procedures associated with animal identification system.

Assessment for this unit must include at least three forms of evidence.

Assessors of this unit must satisfy the requirements for assessors in applicable vocational education and training legislation, frameworks and/or standards.

Links

Companion Volumes, including Implementation Guides, are available at VETNet: -

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