

**THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF THE PROPOSED RULE FOR DOCKET NO. 02-0419-1301**

**123. DESIGNATED SURVEILLANCE AREA (DSA).**

All intact cattle and domestic bison within a DSA are subject to additional rule requirements for the prevention or eradication of brucellosis. (3-29-12)

**01. Individual Identification Requirements.** All intact cattle and domestic bison, regardless of age, that leave the DSA must be identified with official individual identification. (3-29-12)

**02. Testing Requirements Within The DSA.** The following official brucellosis test requirements apply to all test eligible cattle and domestic bison that are or have been located within the DSA at any time between January 1 and June 15 of any calendar year. (3-29-12)

**a.** All test eligible cattle and domestic bison must have a negative brucellosis test within thirty (30) days prior to a change of ownership, interstate movement or prior to leaving the DSA, except cattle or domestic bison moving directly to an approved Idaho livestock market or a federally-inspected slaughter plant that will test the animals for brucellosis on arrival. (3-29-12)

**b.** Variances or exceptions to the brucellosis testing requirements may be considered on an individual basis by the administrator, based upon a brucellosis herd management plan. (3-29-12)

**03. Permit Required for Movement out of the DSA.** In addition to the above testing requirements and prior to movement, all persons transporting sexually intact cattle over eighteen (18) months of age from within the DSA to a location outside the DSA, shall be required to obtain a movement permit via telephone from the Division of Animal Industries at least twenty-four (24) hours in advance. ( )

**a. Telephone Requests.** DSA movement permits may be requested by telephone at (208) 332-8540 or facsimile at (208) 334-4062. ( )

**b. Contents of a Permit Request.** The request for a movement permit shall include the following information:

**i.** Name and address of the consignor and consignee;

**ii.** Number and kind of animals;

**iii.** Origin of shipment;

**iv.** Final destination;

**v.** Date of required brucellosis test. ( )

**c. Period of Validity.** Permits shall be valid for no longer than fifteen (15) days from the date of issuance unless otherwise specified. ( )

**d. Penalties.** Any person that fails to obtain a permit prior to movement of cattle out of the DSA may be assessed penalties pursuant to Section 990 of this rule. ( )