

**IDAPA 02
TITLE 04
CHAPTER 19**

02.04.19 - RULES GOVERNING DOMESTIC CERVIDAE

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004. INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE.

The following documents are incorporated by reference and copies of these documents may be obtained from the Idaho State Department of Agriculture central office. (4-7-11)

01. Bovine Tuberculosis Eradication, Uniform Methods and Rules, Effective January 22, 1999-2005. This document can be viewed online at http://www.aphis.usda.gov/animal_health/animal_diseases/tuberculosis/downloads/tb-umr.pdf http://www.aphis.usda.gov/animal_health/animal_diseases/tuberculosis/downloads/bovtbumr.pdf (4-2-03) ()

02. Code of Federal Regulations, Title 9, Part 161, January 1, 2016-04. This document can be viewed online at <http://www.ecfr.gov/cgi-bin/text-idx?SID=aded48cc1dcc4e565ec54ad6aefd2f27&mc=true&node=pt9.1.161&rgn=dv5> http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/cfr/waisidx_04/9cfrv1_04.html. (4-6-05) ()

03. Code of Federal Regulations, Title 9, Part 55, January 1, 2016-04. This document can be viewed online at <http://www.ecfr.gov/cgi-bin/text-idx?SID=aded48cc1dcc4e565ec54ad6aefd2f27&mc=true&node=pt9.1.55&rgn=dv5> http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/cfr/waisidx_04/9cfrv1_04.html. (4-6-05) ()

04. Code of Federal Regulations, Title 9, Subchapter A, Part 1 and 2, January 1, 2016-04. This document can be viewed online at <http://www.ecfr.gov/cgi-bin/text-idx?SID=aded48cc1dcc4e565ec54ad6aefd2f27&mc=true&tpl=/ecfrbrowse/Title09/9CISubchapA.tpl> http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/cfr/waisidx_04/9cfrv1_04.html. (4-6-05) ()

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201. ANNUAL INVENTORY REPORT.

01. Inventory Report. All owners of domestic cervidae ranches shall annually submit, to the Administrator, a complete and accurate inventory of all ~~live~~ animals held no later than December 31st of each year, ~~on a form approved by the Administrator.~~ The annual inventory report shall contain the following minimum information: (4-2-03) ()

- a. Name and address of the domestic cervidae ranch. (4-2-03)
- b. Name and address of the owner of the domestic cervidae ranch. (4-2-03)
- c. Date the inventory was completed. (4-2-03)

02. Individual Domestic Cervidae. For each individual domestic cervidae that was located on the domestic cervidae ranch during the year for which the report is being made, the following information shall be provided: (4-2-03)

- a. All types of official and unofficial identification; (4-2-03)
- b. Species; (4-2-03)
- c. Sex; (4-2-03)
- d. Age or year born; (4-2-03)
- e. ~~Disposition, including the date of sale, death, or purchase, and~~ (4-2-03)
- f. ~~Name and address of the owner of the domestic cervidae.~~ (4-2-03)

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205. NOTICE OF DEATH OF DOMESTIC CERVIDAE.

~~The death of all~~ Notice of death of domestic cervidae twelve (12) months or older and all domestic cervidae officially identified and inventoried that died on a ranch or at an Approved Slaughter or Custom Exempt Slaughter Establishment, over one (1) year of age and all domestic cervidae that have been officially identified and inventoried must be ~~reported~~ submitted by the owner or operator to the division on a report approved by the Administrator. (4-2-08)(_____)

~~**01. Reports.** The initial report of a cervidae death may be made by telephone, facsimile, or electronic mail, and then followed by the submission of the death certificate.~~

021. Submission of Death Certificates. A complete and accurate copy of all CWD sample submission forms/death certificates shall be submitted to the division by regular mail, facsimile, electronic mail or by other means as approved by the Administrator within ten (10) business days of when the owner or operator knew or reasonably should have known of the death. The CWD sample submission form/death certificate shall contain the following minimum information: (4-6-05)(_____)

- a. Name and address of the domestic cervidae ranch; and
- b. Name and address of the owner of the domestic cervidae ranch.

02. Individual Domestic Cervidae. For each individual domestic cervidae death, the following minimum information shall be provided:

- a. All individual identification numbers;
- b. Sex;
- c. Age or year born;
- d. Date and Time of Death;
- e. Cause of death;
- f. Specify animals submitted for CWD testing
- g. Dated Signature.

~~**03. Reporting Deaths at Domestic Cervidae Ranches.** The owner or operator of a domestic cervidae ranch shall notify the division within five (5) business days of when the owner or operator knew or reasonably should have known of the death.~~

~~**04. Reporting Deaths at Approved and Custom Exempt Slaughter Establishments.** The owners of cervidae that are slaughtered shall report the death within five (5) business days of the date that the cervidae was slaughtered.~~

~~206. CWD SAMPLE SUBMISSION FORM/DEATH CERTIFICATE.~~

~~The owner or operator of a domestic cervidae ranch shall submit, to the Administrator, a complete and accurate copy of all CWD sample submission forms/death certificates at the same time that CWD samples are submitted to an approved laboratory.~~

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208. INTRASTATE MOVEMENT CERTIFICATE.

All owners of domestic cervidae ranches who move cervidae, from one premises to another, including movement from one (1) premises to another premises owned, operated, leased, or controlled by the owner, within the state of Idaho shall submit, to the Administrator, a complete and accurate intrastate movement certificate signed by the owner, within ~~five (5)~~ ten (10) business days of the movement. The Administrator shall provide blank intrastate movement certificates to the owners of domestic cervidae ranches upon request. (4-6-05)(_____)

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250. INTRASTATE MOVEMENT OF DOMESTIC CERVIDAE.

All live domestic cervidae moving from one premises to another premises within the state of Idaho shall be officially identified, except calves during the year of birth accompanying their dam, and accompanied by: (4-6-05)

01. TB Test. An official negative test for tuberculosis of all cervidae over twelve (12) months of age, conducted within the last ninety (90) days, or written permission from the Administrator, except: (4-2-03)

a. Animals originating from an accredited, qualified or monitored herd, as described in "Bovine Tuberculosis Eradication, Uniform Methods and Rules," effective January ~~22, 1999~~ 2005, if they are accompanied by a certificate signed by an accredited veterinarian or the Administrator stating such domestic cervidae have originated directly from such herd; or (4-2-03)(_____)

b. Those domestic cervidae consigned directly to an approved slaughter establishment or domestic cervidae approved feedlot; or (4-2-03)

c. Those domestic cervidae moving from one premises to another premises owned, operated, leased, or controlled by the same person. (4-6-05)

02. Intrastate Movement Certificate. All intrastate movements of live domestic cervidae, including movement from one premises to another premises owned, operated, leased, or controlled by the same person, shall be accompanied by a complete and accurate intrastate movement certificate, which has been signed by the owner or operator of the domestic cervidae ranch where the movement originates and includes a statement of the CWD and TB status of the cervidae. (4-6-05)

03. Movement of Cervidae Between Accredited AZA or USDA Licensed Facilities. Movement of cervidae between accredited AZA and USDA licensed facilities is exempt from the requirements of this chapter. All other movement from AZA accredited or USDA licensed facilities shall comply fully with all of the provisions of this chapter. (4-2-03)

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450. TUBERCULOSIS.

01. Change of Ownership. All domestic cervidae that are sold, or are in any way transferred from one person to another person in Idaho are required to be tested negative for TB within ninety (90) days prior to the change of ownership or transfer, except: (4-2-03)

a. Animals originating from an accredited, qualified or monitored herd, as described in “Bovine Tuberculosis Eradication, Uniform Methods and Rules,” effective January ~~22, 1999~~ 2005, if they are accompanied by a certificate signed by an accredited veterinarian or the Administrator stating such domestic cervidae have originated directly from such herd; or (4-2-03)(_____)

b. Those domestic cervidae consigned directly to an approved slaughter establishment or domestic cervidae approved feedlot. (4-2-03)

c. The Administrator, following an evaluation, may grant exceptions to the provisions of this Section on a case-by-case basis. (4-4-13)

02. Rules and UM&R. Owners of domestic cervidae ranches shall comply with IDAPA 02.04.03, “Rules of the Department of Agriculture Governing Animal Industry,” that apply to domestic cervidae, and the Bovine Tuberculosis Eradication, UM&R, Effective January ~~22, 1999~~ 2005.. (4-2-03)(_____)

451. -- 499. (RESERVED)

500. SURVEILLANCE FOR CWD.

01. Slaughter Surveillance. Brain tissue from no less than ten percent (10%) of all domestic cervidae sixteen (16) months of age or older that are slaughtered at approved slaughter establishments or custom exempt slaughter establishments shall be submitted annually by the owner of the slaughtered cervidae to official laboratories to be tested or examined for CWD as provided for in these rules. If ten (10) or less cervids on a domestic cervidae ranch are slaughtered in a calendar year, at least one (1) testable brain sample must be submitted to meet the annual CWD surveillance requirement. Tissues samples submitted to an official laboratory that are untestable or are given an indeterminate test result shall not count towards the tissue submission requirement. (4-6-15)(_____)

02. Domestic Cervidae Ranch Surveillance. ~~Unless a domestic cervidae ranch is operating with a ranch management plan approved by the Administrator, B~~brain tissue from no less than ten percent (10%) of all domestic cervidae sixteen (16) months of age or older that are ~~H~~harvested on domestic cervidae ranches shall be submitted for CWD testing annually. If ten (10) or less cervids on a domestic cervidae ranch are Harvested in a calendar year, at least one (1) testable brain sample must be submitted to meet the annual CWD surveillance requirement. In addition to the tissue samples from the Harvested domestic cervidae, brain tissue from one hundred percent (100%) of all domestic cervidae sixteen (16) months of age or older that die for any reason other than being Harvested shall also be submitted for CWD testing annually. Reindeer and fallow deer shall be exempt from CWD testing unless the reindeer and fallow deer are part of a CWD positive, exposed, trace, source, or suspect herd or part of an elk herd. The owner or operator of the domestic cervidae ranch shall submit all tissue samples to an official laboratory to be tested for CWD, as provided for in these rules. Tissues samples submitted to an official laboratory that are untestable or are given an indeterminate test result shall not count towards the tissue submission requirement. In the event a domestic cervidae ranch cannot submit a testable brain sample, the domestic cervidae ranch shall submit, ~~on a form approved by the Administrator, a CWD Sample Submission Waiver Request within forty eight (48) hours~~ ten (10) business days of determining that a testable brain sample cannot be submitted. (4-6-15)(_____)

501. Collection Of Samples For CWD Testing.

Only accredited veterinarians, state and federal animal health officials, and other persons, approved by the Administrator, shall collect brain or other tissue samples for CWD testing. Samples shall be collected immediately upon discovery of the death of a domestic cervid. (4-2-03)

01. Brain Samples. Only persons trained by state or federal animal health officials, and approved by the Administrator, may remove the ~~brain stem containing~~ the obex portion of the brainstem for submission as the sample for CWD testing. (4-6-05)(_____)

02. Submission of Head. Only persons trained by state or federal animal health officials, and approved by the Administrator, may submit a head with the official identification attached to the head as the sample for CWD testing. (4-6-05)

03. Handling of Samples. All CWD samples shall be handled in a manner that prevents degradation of the sample. (4-2-03)

04. Sample Submission Time. Fresh samples for CWD testing shall be submitted, to an approved laboratory, within seventy-two (72) hours of the date of collection. Formalin preserved samples shall be submitted, to an approved laboratory, within ~~five (5)~~ ten (10) business days of the date of collection. (~~4-2-03~~)(_____)

05. Non-Testable or Samples That Do not Contain Appropriate Tissues. The Administrator may conduct an investigation to determine if a domestic cervidae ranch is complying with the provisions of Section 500 if: (4-2-03)

a. The owner or operator of a domestic cervidae ranch submits samples for CWD testing which are non-testable; or (4-2-03)

b. The owner or operator of a domestic cervidae ranch submits samples for CWD testing that do not contain the obex portion of the brainstem or other appropriate tissues, if available, for CWD testing. (~~4-2-03~~)(_____)

c. The owner or operator of a domestic cervidae ranch submits samples for CWD testing which cannot be identified to the animal of origin. (4-6-05)

06. Failure to Meet Annual CWD Tissue Submission Requirement~~Submit Samples for CWD Testing~~. An owner or operator of a domestic cervidae ranch that fails to submit samples for CWD testing and/or fails meet the annual tissue submission requirements of as required in this chapter is in violation of these rules, except the Administrator may approve, in writing, a variance from sample submission requirements on a case specific basis. (~~4-2-03~~)(_____)

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