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## **Stock (Seller Liability and Declarations) Act 1993**

### NOTICE SPECIFYING FORM OF DECLARATION UNDER SECTION 18A

I, Chloe Munro, Secretary to the Department of Primary Industries, under section 18A of the **Stock (Seller Liability and Declarations) Act 1993** (the Act) —

1. specify that a declaration made by, or on behalf of, a seller of stock at the beef only herd sale at Euroa on 23 January 2004 that relates to the treatment, feed, husbandry or pasturing of that stock that is in, or to the like effect of, the form appearing in the Schedule below is a declaration to which section 18A of the Act applies; and
2. require that a selling agent who receives a declaration made under section 18A retain the declaration for a minimum of two years from the date of the sale to which the declaration relates.

This notice takes effect from 23 January 2004.

Dated 22 January 2004

CHLOE MUNRO  
Secretary

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**SPECIAL**

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**SCHEDULE**

**Animal Health Statement for Johne's disease status of beef cattle – Euroa - 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2004**

**ALL PARTS ARE COMPULSORY (Note: Stock agents cannot make this declaration on behalf of clients)**

<p><b>PART A:</b> I _____ of _____ _____ am the person with day to day responsibility for the husbandry of, the cattle described below.</p> <p><b>The cattle have been kept at</b> _____ (Name and location of property)</p> <p><b>This property is in a (tick applicable box):</b> Residual <input type="checkbox"/> Control <input type="checkbox"/> Zone for BJD</p> <p>Property Identification Code (PIC) or tail tag <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>National Vendor Declaration Number _____ Number of cattle _____ Brands, ear tags, earmarks, tattoos _____ Description age, sex, breed _____ (complete list overleaf if needed)</p> <p><b>The cattle described above, either (tick applicable boxes) were:</b> A.1 <input type="checkbox"/> bred, raised and have only resided on the property detailed above; or A.2 <input type="checkbox"/> purchased/introduced with an Animal Health Statement equivalent to: Part B or Part C or Part D or Part E</p> <p><i>Note: Making a false or misleading statement about the disease status of cattle for sale may make the signatory liable to prosecution and/or civil action under the Trade Practices Act 1974 and relevant State Legislation.</i></p> <p><b>Part B: Beef Only herds</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Applicable <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable. To be applicable ALL conditions listed in this section must be met. <b>The cattle owned or managed by me and presented for sale,</b></p> <p>1. Do not include animals that have been part of a herd which is classified as Infected (IN), Suspect (SU) or Restricted (RD) according to the National Johne's Disease Standard Definitions and Rules (SDR) for Cattle (4<sup>th</sup> Edition December 2002) and, 2. Are from a beef herd which has had no contact with dairy cattle or dairy-cross cattle at any time during the previous five (5) years, unless those dairy cattle were from a herd enrolled</p>	<p>in the Australian Johne's Disease Market Assurance Program for Cattle (Cattle MAP) and, 3. Are part of a herd that has not at any time, grazed on land that in the previous 12 months, had been grazed by adult dairy cattle (2 years old or older) except from CattleMAP herds and, 4. If introduced into the herd or onto the property(s), have come from herds which are of the same (Beef Only) or higher status (BC-TAS, MN1, MN2, MN3) for Bovine Johne's Disease (BJD) and came with a BJD vendor declaration, and 5. Are identified under the National Livestock Identification Scheme (NLIS).</p> <p><b>Part C: CattleMAP herds</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Applicable <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable. If applicable answer following question. The cattle herd has the following status in the CattleMAP: MN1 <input type="checkbox"/> MN2 <input type="checkbox"/> MN3 <input type="checkbox"/> _____ (insert year status obtained) Certificate No. _____ Expiry date: _____</p> <p><b>Part D: BC-TAS herds</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Applicable <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable. If applicable answer following question. The cattle herd is registered under the Beef cattle – trade assurance scheme and still complies with the requirements of that scheme: Certificate No. _____ Expiry date: _____ Year joined: _____</p> <p><b>Part E: Check-test or tested to MAP standard herds</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Applicable <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable. If applicable answer following questions. 1. I have no reason to suspect that Johne's disease is present in the herd of origin or on any land on which the herd has grazed. The property is not in quarantine or under movement restrictions on account of Johne's disease; AND 2. Herds tested to CattleMAP Standard (TMS): within the last 12 months, a herd test equivalent to a Sample Test under CattleMAP has been conducted by _____ a veterinarian approved by the State for Johne's disease programs, with negative results for Johne's disease Date of test: .../.../... Previous negative tests (years): 19... 20... OR 3. Within the last 12 months, at least 50 cattle in the herd of origin being from the older age groups bred in the herd and/ or introduced in the past 4 years, have been tested by a veterinarian approved by the State for JD Programs with negative results for Johne's disease. Date of test: .../.../... Previous negative tests (years): 19... 20...</p> <p><b>Part F: Declaration</b> Declared at: _____ Date: _____ Signed _____</p>
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