
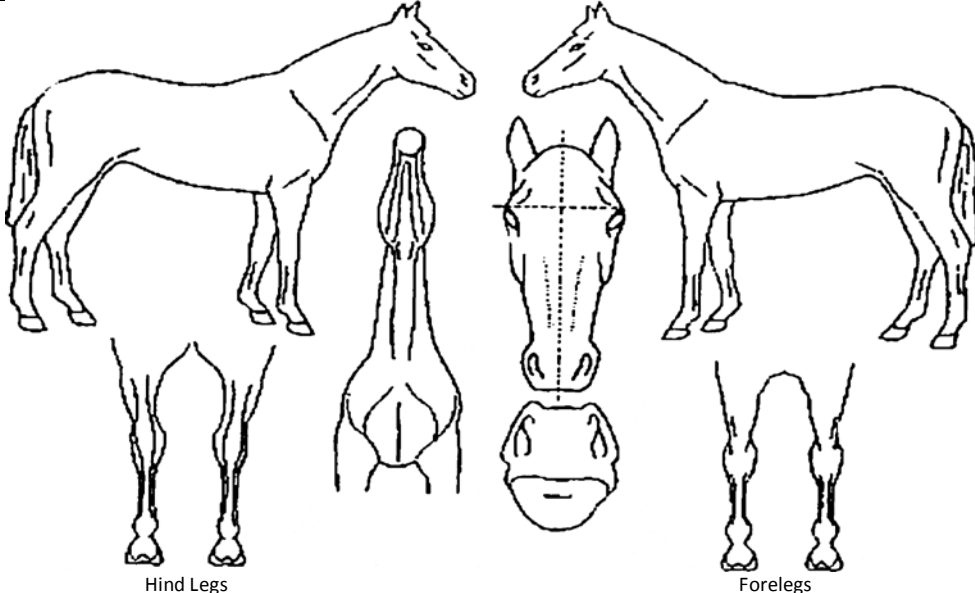


Ministry for Primary Industries Manatū Ahu Matua			
SUPPLEMENTARY ANIMAL STATUS DECLARATION Horses intended for the slaughter for human consumption for European Union			
<p>Declaration: I declare that I have read and understood the requirements of this declaration and that the information in this declaration is true and accurate.</p> <p>Whilst it was in my care, the horse described in Part A was kept in New Zealand and has not been treated, nor known to be treated in its lifetime, with a substance in the current version of the “List of Substances Prohibited in Horses Intended for Slaughter for Human Consumption”¹.</p> <p>I have listed all treatments of the horse described in Part A and covered by this declaration with any drug or chemical, including antibiotics and worm remedies, for the last six months that the horse was in my care.</p>			
PART A Description of the horse			
Registered name (if available)	Colour	Sex ²	Record legible brands/tattoos):
Record all features and locations of brands, including the colour of each on the diagram.			
			

¹The current version of the List of Substances Prohibited in Horses Intended for Slaughter for Human Consumption is available at <http://www.foodsafety.govt.nz/password-protected/omars/eun/animal-products/other/horse-declaration-list-of-substances.pdf>

²M = mare; F = filly; G = gelding; C = colt; S = stallion

PART B to be completed by ALL the persons responsible for the care of the horse in the six months prior to slaughter		
Period of ownership from/...../..... to/...../.....		
Signature	Name (print)	Phone
		E-mail
Postal address		Date / /
Period of ownership from/...../..... to/...../.....		
Signature	Name (print)	Phone
		E-mail
Postal address		Date / /
The final owner supplying the horse for slaughter must complete the section below		
Period of ownership from/...../..... to/...../.....		
Collar number		ASD number
Signature	Name (print)	Phone
		E-mail
Postal address		Date / /
Operator declaration for horses held more than 10 days		RMP number
Period or ownership from/...../..... to/...../.....		
Signature	Name (print)	ASD number
		Date / /

Copies of this supplementary animal status declaration must be kept by the person in charge for one year.

The ‘Requirements for the Animal Status Declaration’ reproduced on the back of the ASD, and referenced above, apply where relevant to this supplementary animal status declaration. Consult a veterinarian for advice on the use of substances cited in the List of Substances Prohibited in Horses Intended for Slaughter for Human Consumption.

Warning

It is an offence under the Animal Products Act 1999 to falsify, alter or misrepresent any declaration required by this Act, with the intent to deceive or for the purposes of obtaining any material benefit or avoiding any material detriment.

Privacy Act Statement

The Privacy Act 1993 provides rights of access to, and correction of, personal information held in readily retrievable form. The information is held by the receiver of the supplementary ASD.

RECORD ALL TREATMENTS THAT HAVE BEEN ADMINISTERED TO THE HORSE IN THE LAST SIX MONTHS

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Explanatory notes:

Background

All horses being sent for slaughter must be accompanied by an animal status declaration (ASD). In addition, horses being sent for slaughter for the EU market must be accompanied by a **supplementary animal status declaration** covering treatments administered in the six months prior to slaughter and declarations that prohibited substances have not been administered to the horse.

PART A

Declaration

Signing the supplementary animal status declaration has legal significance. Legal action may be taken by the Ministry for Primary Industries, and purchasers may seek damages if any information is incorrect. Before signing you must be absolutely satisfied that the description of the horse is accurate and that you understand all elements of the document and these explanatory notes.

Description of the horse

Give an accurate description of the colour and sex of the horse. The location of all brands, should be indicated on the diagram. If they are legible, record the official, registered brand or tattoo. The location and colour of all marks must be indicated on the diagram. Each signatory is confirming that the information is correct for the described horse.

PART B

Ownership

All owners of the horse in the six-month period prior to slaughter must complete PART B. The final owner supplying the horse for slaughter must obtain signatures from previous owners and complete the section for the final owner. When horses are held at a meat processing plant for more than ten days the final section of PART B must be completed by the operator.

Collar seal number and ASD number (final owner only)

Each horse must have a uniquely-identified, tamper-evident collar. Record the unique identification number in the space provided and ASD number in the space provided.

Treatment information

The remedy used, treatment date and withholding period applicable to horses must be completed for ALL treatments received by the horse. Treatments must also include those that were not administered by a veterinarian.

Withholding period

A horse may not be submitted for slaughter if it is within a withholding period for any remedy used in its treatment. Check the withholding period for horses for any remedy used. If the remedy used is registered for use in food producing animals but does not have a withholding period for horses, a 63 day withholding period applies. Many treatments that are administered to horses have a six month withholding period applied by the EU. Remedies for eye conditions, heart conditions, pain killers, fungal conditions, tranquilisation or local and general anaesthesia often require a six month withholding period for the EU. Check with a veterinarian whether a six month withholding period applies to any remedy used.

Prohibited substances

The remedies listed in the current version of the “List of Substances Prohibited in Horses Intended for Slaughter for Human Consumption” are prohibited from use in food producing animals in the EU.

You must sign that the horse has not received any of these remedies whilst it has been in your care and, to the best of your knowledge, in the horse's lifetime. If you are unsure whether a horse has received a prohibited substance assume that it has and do not complete this supplementary animal status declaration.