

TRANSMITTAL OF RULES ADOPTED

FROM: Department of Agriculture  
(Name of Agency)

TO: CODE REVISER  
LEGISLATIVE BLDG (Southwest Corner, Ground Floor)  
Olympia 98501

The enclosed Permanent rules  , being order No. 1171  
Emergency rules   
relating to (Name of rules or description of subject matter)

Cattle, Goats - Brucellosis and Tuberculosis

(ALTERNATIVE A. Use only for adoption of permanent rules)

pursuant to Notice No. 2828 <sup>①</sup> filed with the code reviser  
on 11/9/70 <sup>②</sup> were regularly adopted as permanent rules of this  
(date)  
agency at Olympia, Washington on 12/1/70 and are herewith  
(place) (date)  
filed in the office of the code reviser pursuant to chapter 34.04  
RCW. The effective date of such rules shall be 1/14/71 <sup>③</sup>

(ALTERNATIVE B. Use only for adoption of emergency rules)

pursuant to its finding that the immediate adoption of  
these rules is necessary for the preservation of the public  
health, safety, or general welfare and that observance of the  
requirements of notice and opportunity to present views on  
the proposed action would be contrary to the public interest,  
were regularly adopted as emergency rules of this agency at  
\_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ and are herewith filed in  
(place) (date)  
the office of the code reviser pursuant to chapter 34.04 RCW.

Dated this fifteenth day of December, 1970.

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Department of Agriculture  
(AGENCY)

By DONALD W. MOOS  
Director of Agriculture  
State of Washington

Title

- ① NOTICE NUMBER AS APPEARS ON THE COPY OF NOTICE RETURNED TO YOU BY REVISER'S OFFICE (IF PROCEEDINGS WERE CONTINUED, USE NO. OF LAST NOTICE)
- ② STAMPED DATE AS APPEARS ON THE COPY OF NOTICE RETURNED TO YOU BY REVISER'S OFFICE (IF PROCEEDINGS WERE CONTINUED, USE DATE OF LAST NOTICE)
- ③ UNLESS A LATER DATE IS SPECIFIED IN THIS ORDER OR IS PRESCRIBED IN ANOTHER STATUTE, RULES ARE EFFECTIVE 30 DAYS AFTER FILING: RCW 34.04.040. LEAVE THIS SPACE BLANK EXCEPT IN SUCH SPECIAL CASES.

STATE OF WASHINGTON  
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
OLYMPIA

ORDER NO. 1171  
AMENDING ORDER NO. 956

EFFECTIVE JANUARY 14, 1971

REGULATIONS RELATING TO  
BRUCELLOSIS AND TUBERCULOSIS  
IN CATTLE AND GOATS

NEW

WAC 16-86-002 PROMULGATION. I, Donald W. Moos, Director of Agriculture of the State of Washington by virtue of the authority vested in me under Chapter 16.36 and 16.40 RCW, after due notice as provided under Chapter 34.04 and 42.32 RCW, and a public hearing held in Olympia on December 1, 1970, do promulgate the following regulations:

AMD

WAC 16-86-010 DEFINITION. For the purpose of this order "official calfhooed vaccination" means a female bovine animal of dairy breed three to eight months (90 to 239 days) of age or female bovine animal of beef breed three to ten months (90 to 299 days) of age vaccinated with an approved brucella vaccine. All vaccination must be done by a licensed accredited veterinarian or Federal or State employed veterinarian. Vaccinated animals must be permanently identified as vaccinates by a tattoo in the right ear. The tattoo shall be the U. S. Registered Shield and V preceded by a number indicating the quarter of the year and followed by a number corresponding to the last digit of the year in which vaccination was done. Owner or herd tattoo and/or official vaccination tag shall be used for individual animal identification. All brucella vaccinations shall be promptly reported to the Animal Industry Division, State of Washington.

WAC 16-86-020 QUARANTINE. All cattle or goats that are infected or suspected of being infected with brucellosis or tuberculosis after an accepted test shall be quarantined as provided by law. All cattle or goats, the owners of which refuse to allow the Department to test for the above diseases, shall be regarded as a menace to the health of livestock, and the premises on which they are kept shall be immediately quarantined and no animals or products of such animals shall be removed from the premises as outlined in Section 16.40.010 RCW.

AMD

WAC 16-86-030 SALE OF ANIMALS. (1) No person shall sell or offer for sale any cattle or goats for other than immediate slaughter or for consignment to a registered quarantine feed lot if animals are from a brucellosis quarantined herd.  
(2) Cattle from a tuberculosis quarantined herd shall not be sold or offered for sale except for immediate slaughter.

AMD            WAC 16-86-040    QUARANTINE AND RELEASE.    (1)    Brucellosis: Any herd of cattle or goats in which brucellosis reactors are found will be quarantined. Positive or reactor classification shall be based on standards listed in "U. S. Department of Agriculture Uniform Methods and Rules for Brucellosis Eradication." Animals positive to the brucellosis test shall not be sold or offered for sale except for immediate slaughter. The quarantine will be released when the entire quarantined herd has passed two consecutive blood agglutination tests without reactors, the first test to be not less than thirty days following removal of all reactors from the herd and the second test not less than thirty days nor more than one year following the date of the previous test. Steers, spayed heifers and officially vaccinated dairy animals under twenty months of age and officially vaccinated beef animals under twenty-four months of age need not be tested.

(2)    Tuberculosis: Any herd of cattle or goats in which tuberculosis reactors are found will be quarantined and the sale or removal of any animal out of such herds, except for immediate slaughter is prohibited. The quarantine will be released when the entire herd has passed two consecutive tests without reactors, the first to be not less than thirty days following removal of all reactors from the herd, and the second test not less than sixty days nor more than one year following the date of the previous test.

AMD            WAC 16-86-050    DISINFECTING PREMISES.    All stables, corrals and barns where brucellosis or tuberculosis reactors have been held must be thoroughly cleaned and disinfected within fifteen days after the reactors have been removed.

AMD            WAC 16-86-060    SALE OF BRUCELLOSIS REACTORS.    Reactors to a brucellosis test may be moved or sold only to a slaughtering establishment where State-Federal approved inspection is maintained or to a State-Federal approved market for sale to such slaughtering establishment. PROVIDED: That any reactor to brucellosis test must be marketed for slaughter within thirty days from the date of tagging and branding.

AMD            WAC 16-86-070    SALE OF TUBERCULOSIS REACTORS.    Reactors to a tuberculosis test may be moved or sold only to a slaughtering establishment where State-Federal approved inspection is maintained or to a State-Federal approved market for sale to such slaughtering establishment. PROVIDED: That any reactor to tuberculosis test must be marketed for slaughter within thirty days from the date of tagging and branding.

AMD            WAC 16-86-080    BRANDING AND TAGGING OF TUBERCULOSIS REACTORS.    Animals positive to the tuberculosis test will be branded by a State or Federal veterinarian or his authorized representative with the letter "T" on the left jaw, the brand to be not less than two inches nor more than three inches high, and to further identify the animal or animals by attaching to


the left ear a metal tag bearing an identifying number and the word "REACTOR." It shall be unlawful for the owner, or his authorized representative, to refuse the Director of Agriculture or his authorized representative the right to identify the reacting animal or animals by such branding and tagging.

AMD

WAC 16-86-090 BRANDING AND TAGGING OF BRUCELLOSIS REACTORS. Animals positive to the brucellosis test will be branded by a State or Federal veterinarian or his authorized representative with the letter "B" on the left jaw, the brand to be not less than two inches nor more than three inches high, and to further identify the animal or animals by attaching to the left ear a metal tag bearing an identifying number and the word "REACTOR." It shall be unlawful for the owner, or his authorized representative to refuse the Director of Agriculture or his authorized representative the right to identify the reacting animal or animals by such branding and tagging.

WAC 16-86-100 CRIMINAL PENALTY--CIVIL INJUNCTION. RCW 16.36.110 provides: A violation of or a failure to comply with any provisions of this Chapter shall be a misdemeanor. Each day upon which a violation occurs shall constitute a separate violation. Any person violating the provisions of RCW 16.36.005, 16.36.020, 16.36.103, 16.36.105, 16.36.107, 16.36.108, or 16.36.109 may be enjoined from continuing such violation.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the regulations promulgated.

  
DONALD W. MOOS  
Director of Agriculture  
State of Washington

Signed at Olympia, Washington

Date: December 15, 1970