



# Bovine Embryos to Australia (Guidance)

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Guidance Document

## 1 Purpose

- (1) This guidance document has been issued to accompany *Bovine Embryos to Australia (OMAR)*. This guidance document should be read in conjunction with that OMAR.

## 2 Specific guidance for the zoosanitary certificate

- (1) With regards to 'Embryo Donor' - the date of the most recent tuberculosis (TB) test should be the TB test within the twelve (12) months prior to embryo collection. For 'type of test', enter caudal fold, cervical or gamma interferon.
- (2) With regards to 'Origin of the Embryos', where there is more than one team veterinarian, list each team veterinarian.
- (3) With regards to clause 4.1, the level of supervision by the team veterinarian must be direct supervision.
- (4) With regards to clause 7.1, refers to natural mating.
- (5) Requirements provided in the OMAR are the minimum requirements for importation into Australia. Different zones of Australia have different animal health status and state or territory veterinary authorities may require further testing or certification for certain diseases before direct export into a specific zone.

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