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INSPECTION SERVICES

ANTE-MORTEM INSPECTION REPORT FOR FOOD ANIMALS

A. General Instruction for ante-mortem inspection

- the abattoir should have certain minimum requirements to enable adequate ante-mortem inspection to be conducted satisfactorily
- Only animals which have been adequately rested shall be presented for ante-mortem inspection
- Only clean animal should be presented for ante-mortem inspection
- to screen all animals destined to slaughter.
- to ensure that animals are properly rested and that proper clinical information, which will assist in the disease diagnosis and judgement, is obtained.
- to ensure that injured animals or those with pain and suffering receive emergency slaughter and that animals are treated humanely.
- to identify reportable animal diseases to prevent premise contamination.
- to identify sick animals and those animal who received treatment

B. Information of animals

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| B01 | Date of inspection | | |
| B02 | Name of the Owner | | |
| B03 | Location of the slaughter house/meat shop | Dzongkha g: | |
| | | Gewog: | |
| | | Village: | |
| | | Contact No: | +975 - |
| | | Specific Area | |
| B04 | Type of animals in the lot/individual | Please tick all that apply <input type="checkbox"/> Bovine <input type="checkbox"/> Yak <input type="checkbox"/> Caprine <input type="checkbox"/> Ovine <input type="checkbox"/> Swine <input type="checkbox"/> Avian <input type="checkbox"/> Fish | |
| B05 | Breed of animals | <input type="checkbox"/> Local | <input type="checkbox"/> Cross |

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| B06 | Sex | Male (count) | |
| | | Identificat ion mark/animal identification number | |
| | | Female (count) | |
| | | Identificat ion mark | |
| B07 | Source of animals | <input type="checkbox"/> Own farm animal <input type="checkbox"/> Purchased | |
| B08 | Health Certificate (Source) | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | |

C. Ante-mortem Examination

Ante-mortem inspection should be carried out in adequate lighting where the animals can be observed both collectively and individually at rest and motion. The general behaviour of animals should be observed, as well as their nutritional status, cleanliness, signs of diseases and abnormalities.

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| C01 | Abnormalities in Respiration (<i>If the breathing pattern is different from normal the animal should be segregated as a suspect</i>) | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| C02 | Abnormalities in behaviour | Please tick all that apply <input type="checkbox"/> walking in circles or show an abnormal gait or posture <input type="checkbox"/> pushing its head against a wall <input type="checkbox"/> charging at various objects and acting aggressively <input type="checkbox"/> showing a dull and anxious expression in the eyes |



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| C03 | Abnormalities in structure | Please tick all that apply <input type="checkbox"/> swellings (abscesses) seen commonly in swine <input type="checkbox"/> enlarged joints <input type="checkbox"/> umbilical swelling <input type="checkbox"/> enlarged jaw (“lumpy jaw”) <input type="checkbox"/> bloated abdomen |
| C04 | An abnormal gait (<i>associated with pain in the legs, chest or abdomen or is an indication of nervous disease</i>) | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| C05 | Abnormalities in posture (<i>Downer animals should be handled with caution in order to prevent further suffering</i>) | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| C06 | Abnormal discharges or protrusions from the body | Please tick all that apply <input type="checkbox"/> discharges from the nose, excessive saliva from the mouth <input type="checkbox"/> protruding from the vulva, intestine, vagina, rectum and uterus <input type="checkbox"/> growths on the eye and bloody diarrhoea |
| C07 | Abnormal colour (<i>black areas on horses and swine, red areas on light coloured skin (inflammation), dark blue areas on the skin or udder (gangrene).</i>) | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| C09 | An abnormal odour (<i>odour of an abscess, a medicinal odour, stinkweed odour or an acetone odour of ketosis</i>) | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |

D. Decision of the Ante-mortem inspection

After the ante-mortem inspection, the inspector shall categorize the animals and take decision for slaughter.

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| D01 | <input type="checkbox"/> Animal passed as Fit for Slaughter without restrictions (<i>Animals with no obvious diseases or abnormal conditions</i>) | Number: |
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| D02 | <input type="checkbox"/> No. of animals permitted for slaughter but under close supervision (<i>Animals suspected for anemia, jaundice, oedema, ecthyma, etc.</i>) | Number: |
| D03 | <input type="checkbox"/> No. of animals withheld for slaughter (<i>In the opinion of inspector, the animal with a disease or condition would likely respond to a delay in slaughtering or to a suitable treatment such as metaboli disease, disturbance to CNS etc.</i>) | Number: |
| D04 | <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency slaughter of animals(<i>Animals which are in acute pain from a condition where a delay in slaughter will compromise the animal welfare.</i>) | Number: |
| D04 | <input type="checkbox"/> Unfit for Human Consumption (<i>Animals with infectious diseases such as tetanus, Hemorrhagic septicemina, swine fever, botulism, etc.</i>) | Number: |
| D05 | | |

Dated:

Signature

(Name & Designation)

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