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Trichomoniasis Herd Management Plan

Operation Name				Contact Name			
Operation Address				Owner Name & Address (if different than operation)			
City		State		Zip		County	
Telephone		Cell Phone		E-Mail			
Location and Directions to Bulls							

1. This agreement is established between the operation listed above and the Kansas Department Of Agriculture, Division of Animal Health (KDAH)

2. This plan will be in effect from the time the bull calves are weaned from the cows or are 7 months of age, whichever takes place first.

3. To be in compliance, all bulls addressed by this plan must have not had nor will have sexual contact with female cattle of any age. This requirement will be effective until change of possession or 24 months of age, whichever occurs first.

4. By participation in this agreement, all parties listed above agree to abide by all aspects of K.A.R. 9-7-4.

5. This plan allows bulls that are of known virgin status, greater than 18 months of age and less than 24 months of age, to be sold, leased, bartered, loaned, or change possession without a prior official negative Trichomoniasis test.

6. Participation in this plan requires that KDAH staff be allowed to physically inspect facilities and determine the ability of the producer to maintain the requirements of this agreement and the plan as outlined below. This can be done at the discretion of the Kansas Department of Agriculture, Division of Animal Health officials.

7. Any deviation from this proposed herd management plan will require authorization and approval by KDAH. Certain management changes or lack of notification of deviations from this plan may cause this management plan to be null and void.

Narrative of Bull Herd Management Plan The general purpose of this section is to obtain a detailed description of how the bulls will be maintained and handled in order to prevent the possible exposure of the bulls to female contact prior to them being marketed. (Acceptance of the herd management plan will depend on housing and isolation arrangements, type of fencing, bull Identification methods, timing of weaning, expected marketing age, ect.) Please describe in detail how your bulls will be managed to assure that the testing age extension will not provide increased exposure to female cattle thus increasing the risk of Trichomoniasis. Outline mitigation steps that would be taken if female exposure would occur. Additional pages may be added as necessary.

Owner or Rep. Signature	Print Name	Address & Phone	Date
Herd Veterinarian Signature	**Print Name**	**Address & Phone**	**Date**
KS Livestock Commissioner Signature	**Print Name**	**Address & Phone**	**Date**