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Livestock Renewal Appendix: Rabbits

Enterprise Name	PACS Client #: 16-	Date (dd/mm/yyyy):	Office only: Date: Reviewed by:
I have completed a Livestock Renewal Plan and am submitting it with this appendix <input type="checkbox"/> yes			

A. REQUIREMENTS FOR RABBITS – CAN/CGSB 6.14

1. In the last 12 months, have there been any changes at your operation relative to:

Item	Answer	If yes, explanation
Caging or confinement of rabbits (including for temporary security)?	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> n/a	
Use of mobile pasture pens?	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> n/a	
Access to forage/vegetable matter (pasture, hay, etc)	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> n/a	
Access to gnawing blocks/material to keep teeth healthy?	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> n/a	
Lighting conditions in rabbit housing?	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> n/a	
Seclusion of does prior to birthing (kindling)?	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> n/a	
Access to pasture for newborn litters?	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> n/a	
Age of kits when weaned?	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> n/a	
General rabbit housing and care?	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> n/a	

2. Complete the following chart for the current herd:

Rabbit space requirements	# of animals	Indoor space	Runs & exercise area space <i>2 m² (22 ft²)/head</i>	Pasture space <i>5 m² (54 ft²)/ head</i>	Mobile pen space
From weaning to slaughter <i>Indoor: 0.3 m² (3.23 ft²)/head</i> <i>Mobile pens: 0.4 m² (4.3 ft²)/head</i>		<input type="checkbox"/> m ² <input type="checkbox"/> ft ²	<input type="checkbox"/> m ² <input type="checkbox"/> ft ²	<input type="checkbox"/> m ² <input type="checkbox"/> ft ² <input type="checkbox"/> ac	<input type="checkbox"/> m ² <input type="checkbox"/> ft ²
Pregnant does <i>Indoor: 0.5 m² (5.4 ft²)/head</i> <i>Mobile pens: 0.5 m² (5.4 ft²)/head</i>		<input type="checkbox"/> m ² <input type="checkbox"/> ft ²	<input type="checkbox"/> m ² <input type="checkbox"/> ft ²	<input type="checkbox"/> m ² <input type="checkbox"/> ft ² <input type="checkbox"/> ac	<input type="checkbox"/> m ² <input type="checkbox"/> ft ²
Does and litters <i>Indoor: 0.7 m² (7.5 ft²)/head</i> <i>Outdoor pasture: not applicable</i> <i>Mobile pens: 0.4 m² (4.3 ft²)/head in shelter</i> <i>2.4 m² (26 ft²)/head for grazing</i>		<input type="checkbox"/> m ² <input type="checkbox"/> ft ²	<input type="checkbox"/> m ² <input type="checkbox"/> ft ²	<input type="checkbox"/> m ² <input type="checkbox"/> ft ² <input type="checkbox"/> ac	<input type="checkbox"/> m ² <input type="checkbox"/> ft ²
Bucks <i>Indoor: 0.3 m² (3.23 ft²)/head</i> <i>Mobile pens: 0.4 m² (4.3 ft²)/head</i>		<input type="checkbox"/> m ² <input type="checkbox"/> ft ²	<input type="checkbox"/> m ² <input type="checkbox"/> ft ²	<input type="checkbox"/> m ² <input type="checkbox"/> ft ² <input type="checkbox"/> ac	<input type="checkbox"/> m ² <input type="checkbox"/> ft ²