



A National Beef Company

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### **2025 Black Angus Cattle Supplier Affidavit**

All live cattle suppliers (including Sale Barns and/or other Non-Traditional Cattle Companies) to Iowa Premium are required to complete and sign this Supplier Affidavit annually that is filed at our Corporate Cattle Procurement Office.

Qualifying cattle procured from Sale Barns and/or other Non-Traditional Cattle Companies for slaughter; are required to provide this Affidavit to their suppliers annually (at minimum). Prior to Iowa Premium receiving the cattle for slaughter; affidavits from live cattle producer(s) who choose to use Sale Barn(s) and/or other Non-Traditional Cattle Companies to market their cattle for slaughter; are forwarded to National Beef/Iowa Premium Cattle Procurement.

The representative of the cattle marketed for the Iowa Premium Black Angus Cattle Program; agrees to the following when completing and signing this affidavit.

- All cattle delivered to Iowa Premium meet the live cattle phenotype requirements of the USDA AMS Schedule AAA for Black Angus Cattle (Revision Date: May 18, 2017).
- All cattle delivered to Iowa Premium are family farm fed in the US and meet the USDA's definition of Product of the USA.
  - Iowa Premium defines Family Farm Fed cattle as per the USDA 2017 Census of Agriculture report which states "family farms are defined as any farm where the majority of the business is owned by the operator and individuals related to the operator".
- All cattle are fed a corn-based ration (corn comprises more than 50% of the ingredients in the ration) for a minimum of 90 days prior to slaughter.
- All cattle marketed to Iowa Premium are sourced from cattle supplier(s) (feed yard, sale barn, farmer-feeder) that has at least one key management person on staff that is BQA trained with documented verification.
- During our ownership, and to the best of our knowledge prior to our ownership, the cattle have not been adulterated within the meaning of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (i.e. none of the cattle have been fed any feed containing protein derived from mammalian tissue (meat and bone meal) not in compliance with 21 CFR 589.2000.
- During our ownership, and to the best of our knowledge prior to our ownership, cattle shipped to Iowa Premium do not have illegal or volatile levels of drug residue. During our ownership, and to the best of our knowledge prior to our ownership, all cattle shipped to Iowa Premium have met or exceeded the recommended withdrawal time for any/all drug(s)/antibiotics/etc that may have been administered. The supplier agrees to use good judgement and discretion in the judicious use of medically important drugs.
- All records and/or documents that verify these claims are maintained in a legible, auditable format for a minimum of 1 year.
- Cattle Supplier(s) signing this affidavit agree to possible on-site reviews by National Beef representatives to ensure compliance to the affidavit.

Live Cattle Supplier Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Company Representative Name (please print): \_\_\_\_\_

Company Representative Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

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## 2025 Cattle Insurance

**Hartford Insurance- Livestock Transit Coverage, Livestock Premises Coverage, Other Insurance on Livestock in Transit; \$2.00/Head.**

**Yes, I want coverage** \_\_\_\_\_

**No, I decline coverage** \_\_\_\_\_

**Legal Name of Business** \_\_\_\_\_

**Print Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address street** \_\_\_\_\_

**City** \_\_\_\_\_

**State** \_\_\_\_\_

**Zip** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone** \_\_\_\_\_