



Ruminant Slaughter Verification Form

There are differences in the requirements for organic dairy animals and organic slaughter stock*. Animals that qualify as organic dairy animals may not qualify as organic slaughter stock. Use of this form helps to ensure that the organic status of animals is clearly communicated to buyers and brokers.

- **Buying Animals:** Have the seller give you a copy of this completed form for each load of animals purchased.
- **Selling Animals:** A copy of this completed form should accompany each load of animals sold.

Keep the completed forms for all cattle bought and sold. They will be reviewed at your next inspection.

Source of Animals (Operation Name): _____

Destination (Buyer/Broker Name): _____

Delivery Date of Animals: _____

List the ear tag number(s) of each delivered animal below. If the place of delivery assigns its own tracking number to each animal, such as a back tag number, you must also document the number assigned as "Alternate ID" below.

1) The following animals in the delivery **do qualify as organic slaughter stock**, as they have been organic from the last third of gestation and never treated with synthetic parasiticides:

Ear tag #	Alternate ID

Ear tag #	Alternate ID

Ear tag #	Alternate ID

Ear tag #	Alternate ID

2) The following animals in the delivery **do not qualify as organic slaughter stock, but qualify as organic dairy stock** as they have been transitioned to organic and/or treated with synthetic parasiticides:

Ear tag #	Alternate ID

Ear tag #	Alternate ID

Ear tag #	Alternate ID

Ear tag #	Alternate ID

3) The following animals in the delivery **do not qualify as organic slaughter or dairy stock**, as they have been treated with non-allowed material:

Ear tag #	Alternate ID

Ear tag #	Alternate ID

Ear tag #	Alternate ID

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I attest that the animals described in #1 above as organic slaughter stock meet all requirements for USDA organic slaughter stock, including continuous organic management starting no later than the last-third of gestation and no use of synthetic parasiticides (i.e. dewormers), including ivermectin, fenbendazole, or moxidectin:

Seller Signature _____ Date _____

Printed Name _____

*The National Organic Regulations 205.236 (a) requires that livestock products that are to be sold, labeled, or represented as organic must be from livestock under continuous organic management from the last third of gestation. The NOS 205.603 (18) also notes that ivermectin, fenbendazole, and moxidectin are prohibited in slaughter stock. Please contact WSDA if you have any questions regarding organic requirements.