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IMPORT & EXPORT OF LIVE ANIMALS UNDER ANIMAL IMPROVEMENT ACT, 1998 (AIA)

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Following the initial communication on the requirement for Import Authorisation for live animals as per Animal Improvement Act, 1998, (AIA) the following:

Autorisation for import and export for Live Animals and related genetic materials must be applied for in terms of the Animal Improvement Act, 1998. This include all existing movement permits which were issued prior to the 1st of April 2024. In the case of new applications, the Animal Improvement ACT permit(s) must be applied prior to applications for Veterinary permit as per Animal Health Act, of 1994.

Animal Improvement Act, **application forms are available from the following officials, at (012) 319 7576** (VivianM@Dalrrd.gov.za), (012) 319 7590 (Hazelmad@dalrrd.gov.za) and (012) 319 7486 (HulisaniM@dalrrd.gov.za).

In case of permits issued prior to April 2024, under Animal Health Act, of 1994, please ensure that you also add copies of the current permits (or the permit number of existing permits) to the new applications under AIA.

Yours faithfully

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