BI-NATIONAL COMMITTEE FOR THE ELIMINATION OF BOVINE TUBERCULOSIS AND BRUCELLOSIS

MAY 19 – 21, 2013

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SHORT HISTORY

• 1992-1993
• MEETS TWICE A YEAR
TOPICS

• UPDATE BY U.S. AND MEXICAN STATES
• DISCUSSION OF NEW USDA IMPORT REQUIREMENTS WITH HOLISTIC APPROACH TO STATUS
• REGIONALIZATION ZONES WITH MULTIPLE STATES
• TB CASES DISCOVERED IN THE U.S. AND TRACED TO MEXICO
POINTS OF AGREEMENT

• This group requests that USDA only requires the following documents to be presented at the border for export of cattle:
  
• Animal Health Certificate for export.
• Certificate of Origin
• Tuberculin Test Chart for the lot
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We request that all import station inspectors use the same criteria and the same documents for states with equal status.
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• We request that animals for exportation, steers and spayed heifers, only be branded with “M” and not require “MX” for female.
SINIIGA PROGRAM

• MEXICO NATIONAL ANIMAL IDENTIFICATION AND DISEASE TRACEABILITY PROGRAM

• CHIHUAHUA BEGAN A FIELD TRIAL IN JUNE 2013 USING ELECTRONIC TAGS IN CORRIENTE CATTLE EXPORTED FROM CHIHUAHUA FOR RODEO USE
SICAMORA PROGRAM

• WEB BASED DATA MANAGEMENT SYSTEM WITH INDIVIDUAL USERS HAVING ACCESS BASED ON THEIR LEVEL OF AUTHORITY

• WOULD ALLOW ELECTRONIC ACCESS TO ALL HISTORICAL DOCUMENTS BY USDA INSPECTORS
THANK YOU