

UNITED STATES ANIMAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION - 2005

RESOLUTION: 28 APPROVED

SOURCE: COMMITTEE ON INFECTIOUS DISEASES OF CATTLE,
BISON AND CAMELIDS

SUBJECT MATTER: BOVINE VIRAL DIARRHEA VIRUS (BVDV) PERSISTENT
INFECTED (PI) CAMELIDS

DATES: Hershey, Pennsylvania – November 3-9, 2005

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

Bovine Viral Diarrhea Virus (BVDV) and BVDV persistent infected (PI) positive animals have been identified in camelids and the significant and/or prevalence of BVDV PI animals is unknown.

RESOLUTION:

The United States Animal Health Association (USAHA) recommends that the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA), Agricultural Research Service (ARS) and Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS), Veterinary Services (VS) support and provide research on the prevalence and impact of BVDV in camelids.