

RESOLUTION NUMBER: 1 APPROVED

SOURCE: COMMITTEE ON CATTLE AND BISON

SUBJECT MATTER: Approval of Trichomoniasis Testing Laboratories

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

The majority of states in the United States require a negative trichomoniasis test for interstate movement/importation of bulls and require the trichomoniasis test be conducted at an American Association of Veterinary Laboratory Diagnosticians (AAVLD) Accredited laboratory. AAVLD Accreditation is based on ISO 17025 Accreditation standards.

RESOLUTION:

The United States Animal Health Association encourages all states to update their trichomoniasis and import requirements to allow official trichomoniasis testing in either an American Association of Veterinary Laboratory Diagnosticians Accredited laboratory or an ISO17025 accredited laboratory.