

DPI REQUIREMENTS – for Alpacas entering Queensland - 2010

Toowoomba and Ekka showgrounds are situated in the “Tick Free Zone” of Queensland. Nanango, Eumundi, Ipswich and Gold Coast showground are situated in “Tick Infected Zones”

MOVING ALPACAS FROM “TICK INFECTED ZONE” TO “TICK FREE ZONES”

1. Only tick free stock will be allowed entry to the grounds – if it your responsibility to check and groom your animals.

2. All Queensland alpacas, **from the Tick Infected or Tick Control Zones or from Tick Restricted holdings** must be accompanied by a DPIQ Travel Permit endorsed with treatments performed (if necessary) – check with DPIQ Ph: 132523 to find out what is required. To determine which zone you are in please consult the map on RHS and we suggest you contact DPIQ: Full Qld map [here](#) :

Legend:

Green= Tick Free Zone

Yellow = Tick Control Zone

Pink = Tick Infected Zone

3. All Queensland alpacas, from the **Tick Free Zone** must be accompanied by an owner Waybill/NVD.

4. Alpacas must travel direct to show grounds and return directly to property of origin within 5 days.

STOCK NOT ACCOMPANIED THE REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION WILL BE REFUSED ENTRY TO THE GROUNDS.

ALPACAS FROM AND RETURNING TO NEW SOUTH WALES

Exhibitors from cattle tick infected area or holdings in NSW are required to satisfy Tick clearance requirements at Tweed Heads /Mt Lindsay crossing prior to entering/leaving Queensland,

Tweed Heads & Mt Lindsay crossings. Stock crossing at these crossings require:

- ✓ Queensland Travel Permit obtained from border crossing office.
- ✓ Meet Johnes disease entry requirements (see below)
- ✓ Queensland Certificate of Health/Waybill - should be obtained from your local Livestock Health & Pest authority (NSW Government Body) – see their website for contact info <http://www.lhpa.org.au> prior to the movement commencing.
- Alpacas entering Queensland via Tweed Heads or Mt Lindsay must travel direct to the show grounds without unloading enroute.
- Exhibitors should be aware that NSW/Queensland Border Crossings at Tweed Heads and Mt Lindsay no longer operate 24 hours. They now operate from 5.00 am to 9.00 pm. Exhibitors should make prior arrangements with the respective Border Crossing before commencing their journey.
- The phone numbers of the major Border Crossings are listed below:
Kirra/Tweed 07 5536 1290
Mount Lindsay 02 6635 1312



The Border Crossings from Killarney west are unstaffed. Stock entering through these crossings are not required to stop but still require:

IMPORTANT

It is the responsibility of the owner or person-in-charge of the stock to ensure that the cattle tick requirements have been fulfilled in regard to the entry treatments. Persons not fulfilling the requirements will be refused entry to the grounds, and may face prosecution for illegally crossing the cattle tick line.

Paperwork must be presented at arrival at show grounds

MOVING FROM TICK INFECTED ZONES TO TICK FREE ZONES

Alpacas originating from a “Tick Free Zone” and going to a show in a “Tick Infected Zone” must make arrangements to have their alpacas sprayed before returning home. Check with the show co-ordinator, as some shows have spray facilities and issue Permits at the showgrounds – otherwise this is done at border crossings. It is essential to make appointments to have this done.

Note: All alpacas attending the Royal Queensland Show must lodge their Travel Permits with the onsite DPIQ office and receive a Travel Permit prior to leaving the RNA Showgrounds.

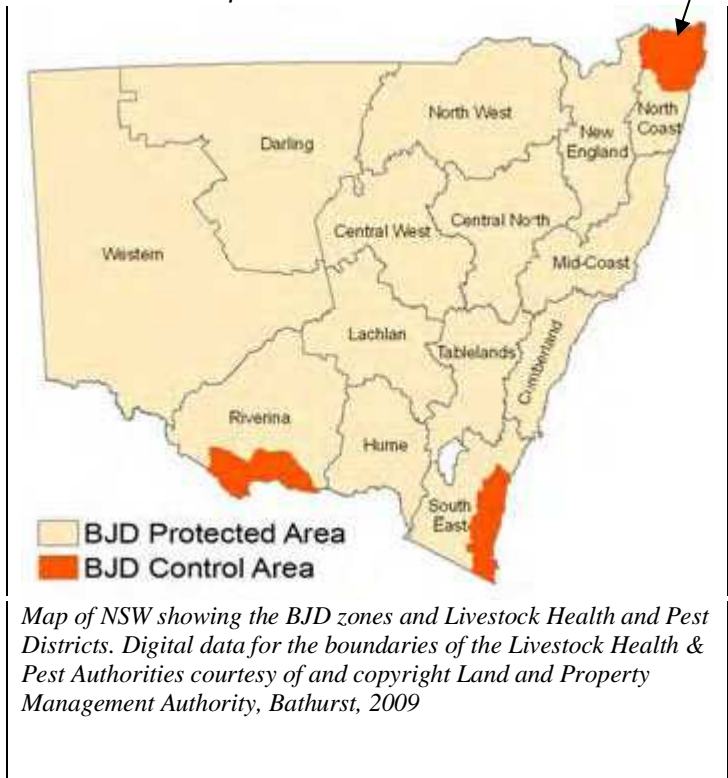
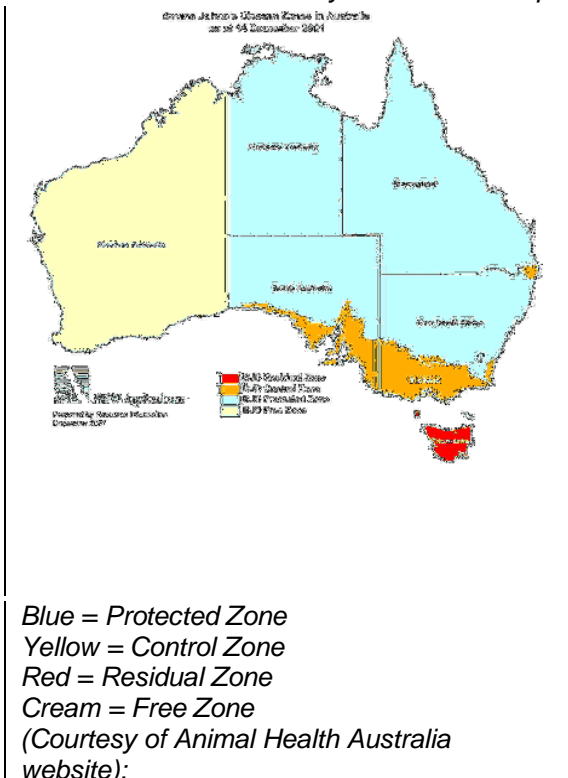
JOHNE'S DISEASE.

Queensland is a "Protected Zone" for Bovine Johnes Disease (BJD).

Alpacas entering Queensland must:-

1. Originate from a Johne's Disease free herd in a Johne's disease "**Protected Zone**" (e.g. Queensland is a Protected Zone) or "**Free Zone**" (e.g. Western Australia is the only BJD Free Zone) OR/
2. Originate from a "**Check Tested Negative**" herd OR/
3. Originate from a MAP Monitored Negative 1 (MN1) or equivalent (Q-Alpaca) herd, MN2, or MN3 herd in a "**Control Zone**" (note all of Victoria and select part of NSW are a Control Zone) OR/
4. Originate from a MAP Monitored Negative 1 (MN1) or equivalent (Q-Alpaca) herd or MN2, or MN3 herd in a "**Residual Zone**" (Tasmania is a Residual Zone)
5. For clarification, please ring the DPIQ office 132523.

To determine which Zone your herd is from please consult the maps below



Casino/
Tweed

Note:-

Intending exhibitors are reminded that additional disease status requirements may be required by show /breed societies. Intending exhibitors should confirm that they meet any other such requirements when nominating.