



## EQUINE INFLUENZA DECLARATION

AQHA's genetics testing initiative has been dramatically slowed by the outbreak of Equine Influenza (EI) in Australia. Because AQHA is located in NSW and Queensland University in QLD, we are required to adhere to the requirements of the Department of Primary Industries of both NSW and QLD.

A permit system has been established which AQHA must adhere to. Under DPI Bio Security guidelines we are not permitted to issue genetic testing kits for horses that are located in red or purple zones in either in NSW or any other State of Australia. As a result we will not be issuing genetic test kits for these horses.

To facilitate the permit system and help speed up the process, this Equine Influenza declaration must be completed in full, signed and returned to AQHA before any genetic test kits can be issued to you.

AQHA Membership Name: .....

Nominee of Above Membership: .....

Address where horses are housed: .....

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.....Contact Phone No: .....

I/We declare that our horse/s reside in:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> New South Wales | <input type="checkbox"/> Tasmania                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Queensland      | <input type="checkbox"/> Northern Territory           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Victoria        | <input type="checkbox"/> Australian Capital Territory |
| <input type="checkbox"/> South Australia | <input type="checkbox"/> Western Australia            |

I/we declare that the property on which my/our horse/s are housed is:

- Within a RED or PURPLE zone of NSW or QLD
- Within a GREEN or AMBER zone of NSW or QLD
- Not within a EI declared State

I/We declare that DPI NSW or DPI QLD has issued a QUARANTINE ORDER for the property on which my horses are housed.

- Yes - Commencement date of Quarantine Order .....
- No

Genetic testing kits are required for:  DNA (\$110)  HYPP  HERDA (\$55)  OLWS (\$90)

I/We authorise the Department of Primary Industries at either Federal or State level in our relevant State to provide any information to AQHA on the status of my/our property in order for AQHA to confirm the information I/we have supplied. I understand and agree that if my horses/property is subject to a Quarantine Order or in a red or purple zone, I will not be issued any genetic testing kit.

Signature of Nominee: .....

AQHA Membership ID: ..... Date: .....

Completed EI Declaration Forms are to be returned to AQHA by either fax on (02) 6762 6422 or post to PO Box 979, Tamworth NSW 2340. Payment for kits will only be accepted upon AQHA's receipt of this declaration.