

**HEALTH DECLARATION FOR BISON COMING TO BRITISH COLUMBIA**

I, \_\_\_\_\_  
(name)

of \_\_\_\_\_  
(address)

hereby certify that the bison, consisting of: \_\_\_\_\_  
( # of bulls) ( # of cows) ( # bull calves) ( # heifer calves)

that I have sold to/assigned to \_\_\_\_\_  
(name)

of \_\_\_\_\_  
(address)

are, to my knowledge, free of contagious disease and have been on my farm for at least the last 30 days.

**HERDS WITH/OR UNDER ONE HUNDRED (100) ADULT/YEARLING BISON:\***

I have not had five (5) or more of the adult/yearling bison on my farm die for any reason in the last six (6) months. I have not had five or more of my cows abort or calves die in the last twelve (12) months. (This does not include bison slaughtered for human consumption.)

**HERDS WITH OVER ONE HUNDRED (100) ADULT/YEARLING BISON:\***

I have not had five percent (5%) or more of the adult/yearling bison die for any reason in the last six (6) months. I have not had fifteen percent (15%) or more of my cows abort or my calves die in the last twelve (12) months. (This does not include bison slaughtered for human consumption.)

**ALL HERDS:**

My herd has been declared free of brucellosis and tuberculosis by the Canadian Food Inspection Agency.

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*\* Strike out which of these herd sizes is not applicable to your herd.*

*Adult/Yearling, for the purposes of this certificate, means bison over twelve (12) months.*

I (vendor/assignor) assume all liability for a false declaration on this certificate.

Signed by:

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Vendor/Assignor) Date \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_

A copy of this declaration must be forwarded by the purchaser/assignee within two days (48 hours) of the bison arriving on the farm to:

B. C. Ministry of Agriculture and Food  
Food Safety & Quality Branch - Health Management & Regulatory Unit  
1767 Angus Campbell Road  
Abbotsford, British Columbia V3G 2M3  
Attn: Chief Veterinarian  
Facsimile: (604) 556-3015 Telephone: (604) 556-3014

\* If more than the above numbers have died, they may still be accepted into British Columbia, provided post-mortem examinations performed by a licensed veterinarian indicate that the deaths are not due to a contagious infection or disease. Reports of these post-mortem examinations must be submitted to the Chief Veterinarian and permission obtained from him to waive these requirements, before the animals enter BC.