DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

ANIMAL INDUSTRY DIVISION

REGULATION NO. 138. RECORDS

(By authority of Act No. 181 of the Public Acts of 1919, as amended, being S287.2 et seq. of the Michigan Compiled Laws)

R 285.138.1 Records required of livestock dealers, brokers, or agents.
 Rule 1. (1) Each dealer, broker, and agent receiving or disposing of animals must keep adequate and complete records and present them for inspection at any time when so requested by any representative of the Michigan department of agriculture. Said records shall:
 (a) Identify all animals acquired or disposed of and dates of such acquisition or disposal. Identification shall be by ear tag, tattoo, brand, or adequate description, including breed, sex, age, weight, etc.
 (b) Show the date and source of all animals, including names and addresses of persons from whom obtained.
 (c) Record all health tests or treatments required by law on animals acquired or disposed of.
 (d) Indicate extent of compliance with any quarantine imposed by the director of agriculture as a disease control measure.
 (e) Show date and place of disposition of animals, including the names and addresses of the persons receiving such animals.
 (2) Each dealer, broker, and agent conducting livestock auction market or consignment sale shall keep adequate and complete records and present them for inspection at any time when so requested by any representative of the Michigan department of agriculture. Said records shall:
 (a) Identify all animals sold, or otherwise disposed of. Identification to be by ear tag, tattoo, brand, or adequate description including breed, sex, age, weight, etc.
 (b) Record the name and address of owner or consignor.
 (c) Show the date of sale.
 (d) Record health tests and treatments of all animals as required by law.
 (e) Indicate the extent of compliance to any quarantine imposed by the director of agriculture as a disease control measure.
 (f) Name and address of (buyer) person or firm acquiring all animals, and date acquired.

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