



Cargill Beef Supplier Requirements for Humane Handling

Dear Supplier,

Cattle wellbeing is a core expectation for all of Cargill Beef's supply. For your cattle to be considered for **Cargill's Humanely Handled Claim** you will need to meet the following best practices for Humanely Handling Cattle:

- _____ 1) **Nutrition:**
 - a) **By Providing Cattle a Nutritionally Balanced Diet**
 - b) **By Providing Cattle Free Access to Water**
- _____ 2) **Environment:**
 - a) **By Providing Appropriate Protection to Cattle in Inclement Weather**
- _____ 3) **Health:**
 - a) **By Maintaining a Valid and Current VCPR to Manage Cattle Health and Fitness**
 - b) **By Following VCPR Protocols to Treat Illness and Injury in a Timely Manner**
- _____ 4) **Behavior:**
 - a) **By Providing Adequate Space for Cattle to Lie Down, Drink, and Eat**
- _____ 5) **Mental State:**
 - a) **By Ensuring and Implementing a Zero Tolerance Policy for Egregious/Willful Acts of Abuse and Neglect**
 - b) **By Implementing Low Stress Handling Practices**
- _____ 6) **Education:**
 - a) **By Ensuring All Employees are BQA Certified Within 6 Months of Hire Date**
 - b) **By Ensuring All Transporters are BQAT Certified During All Phases of Transportation**

By signing and dating this document, you are ensuring that the cattle you are providing have met these six criteria as Initialed above.

Feedyard Name : _____

Address: _____

Signee Name (Print): _____

Signature : _____

Date : _____