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Obj ID: A5783384
Receipt No: 17363708

The Hon Nicola Centofanti MLC
Member of the Legislative Council
Parliament House
ADELAIDE SA 5000

Dear Ms Centofanti

Determination under the *Freedom of Information Act 1991*

I refer to your application made under the *Freedom of Information Act 1991* received by the Office of the Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development and the Office of the Minister for Forest Industries on 10 February 2023 requesting access to the following:

“A copy of all letters and emails from Livestock SA to the Minister for Primary Industries (including directly with staff within the office of the Minister for Primary Industries) between the dates of 9 August 2022 to 9 February 2023.”

Accordingly, the following determination has been finalised.

I have located sixteen documents that are captured within the scope of your request.

Determination 1

I have determined that access to the following documents is **granted in full**:

Doc No.	Description of document	No. of Pages
1	Email from Livestock SA to the Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development dated 17/08/2022 re invitation to attend the 2022 Livestock SA Annual General Meeting	3
2	Email from Livestock SA to the Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development dated 20/09/2022 encl letter re invitation to dinner with the Livestock SA Board	2
3	Email from Livestock SA to the Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development dated 23/09/2022 encl letter re continual improvement in Sheep and Cattle Industry Funds administration	3

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5	Emails from Livestock SA to the Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development dated 10/11/2022 to 23/11/2022 re invitation to attend the Livestock industry dinner	13
6	Letter from Livestock SA to the Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development dated 1/12/2022 re Inaugural 'Future Livestock Leaders Program'	1
7	Email from Livestock SA to the Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development dated 23/12/2022 encl letter re biosecurity investment	3
7a	Attachment to Document 7 - South Australian Livestock Biosecurity Blueprint 2030	4
8	Email from Livestock SA to the Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development dated 17/01/2023 encl letter re the Dog Fence Rebuild	2
9	Email from Livestock SA to the Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development dated 20/01/2023 re invitation to attend the Southern Regional Meeting 2023	2
11	Email from Livestock SA to the Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development dated 9/02/2023 encl letter re exemptions for eID for sheep and goats	3

The information removed from Document 5 is outside of the scope of your request.

Determination 2

I have determined that access to the following documents is **granted in part**:

Doc No.	Description of document	No. of Pages
10	Email from Livestock SA to the Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development dated 7/02/2023 encl letter re Progress Report on Cattle Industry Fund	3
12	Email from Livestock SA to the Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development dated 5/09/2022 encl letter re Annual Report on Sheep Industry Fund	15
13	Email from Livestock SA to the Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development dated 5/09/2022 encl letter re Annual Report on Cattle Industry Fund	5

The information removed from the above documents is refused pursuant to Clause 7(1)(c) of Schedule 1 of the Freedom of Information Act which states:

"7 – Documents affecting business affairs

(1) A document is an exempt document –

(c) if it contains matter –

- (i) consisting of information (other than trade secrets or information referred to in paragraph (b)) concerning the business, professional, commercial or financial affairs of any agency or any other person; and*
- (ii) the disclosure of which –*

- (A) could reasonably be expected to have an adverse effect on those affairs or to prejudice the future supply of such information to the Government or to an agency; and
- (B) would, on balance, be contrary to the public interest”

The documents contain the business, commercial and financial affairs of an organisation.

In addressing the public interest test requirement for this exemption, I have balanced the following factors:

In favour of the public interest:

- Meeting the objects of the Act favouring access to documents.
- Ensuring optimal use of public resources.
- High level of interest in the accountability of public office holders.
- The importance of transparency and openness and the interest that the public has in the decision-making processes of Government.

Contrary to the public interest:

- Consultation was undertaken on Documents 10, 12 and 13 with the third party concerned and consent was not provided to release the information removed.
- Protecting the business, commercial and financial interests of third parties.
- The recent age of the information and the ongoing relevance of the matters was considered.
- Disclosure of this information would reveal detail which is considered commercially sensitive to the third party concerned.
- Disclosure of this information would be expected to prejudice the future supply of information to Government, as the level of trust in handling such information would be substantially diminished.
- If third parties cannot be assured of confidentiality by Government with respect to communications relating to their commercially sensitive information, this would have the potential to harm business relationships with Government and hamper future dealings with agencies for the betterment of South Australia.

Having considered the various factors weighing for and against disclosure, I have determined that disclosure of these documents would, on balance, be contrary to the public interest.

Determination 3

I have determined that access to the following documents is **refused**:

Doc No.	Description of document	No. of Pages
4	Email dated 16/11/2022	2

4a	Attachment to Document 4 – Draft letter	9
4b	Attachment to Document 4 – Draft letter	2

Access to the above documents is refused pursuant to Clause 7(1)(c) of Schedule 1 of the Freedom of Information Act.

The documents contain the business, commercial and financial affairs of an organisation.

In addressing the public interest test requirement for this exemption, I have balanced the following factors:

In favour of the public interest:

- Meeting the objects of the Act favouring access to documents.
- Ensuring optimal use of public resources.
- High level of interest in the accountability of public office holders.
- The importance of transparency and openness and the interest that the public has in the decision-making processes of Government.

Contrary to the public interest:

- Consultation was undertaken on Documents 4, 4a and 4b with the third party concerned and consent was not provided to release the documents.
- Protecting the business, commercial and financial interests of third parties.
- The recent age of the documents and the ongoing relevance of the matters was considered.
- Disclosure of this information would reveal detail which is considered commercially sensitive to the third party concerned.
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- If third parties cannot be assured of confidentiality by Government with respect to communications relating to their commercially sensitive information, this would have the potential to harm business relationships with Government and hamper future dealings with agencies for the betterment of South Australia.

Having considered the various factors weighing for and against disclosure, I have determined that disclosure of these documents would, on balance, be contrary to the public interest.

If you are unhappy with this determination you are entitled to exercise your rights of external review with the Ombudsman SA. Alternatively, you can apply to the South Australian Civil and Administrative Tribunal (SACAT). If you wish to seek a review, you must do so within 30 calendar days of receiving this internal review determination.

For more information about seeking a review or appeal, please contact the Ombudsman SA on telephone (08) 8226 8699 or SACAT on 1800 723 767.

In accordance with the requirements of Premier and Cabinet Circular PC045, details of your application, and the documents to which you are given access, will be published in PIRSA's disclosure log. A copy of PC045 can be found at http://dpc.sa.gov.au/data/assets/pdf_file/0019/20818/PC045-Disclosure-Log-Policy.pdf

If you disagree with publication, please advise the undersigned in writing within fourteen calendar days from the date of this determination.

Should you require further information or clarification with respect to this matter, please contact Ms Rachael Colegate on 8226 2931 or email: Minister.Scriven@sa.gov.au.

Yours sincerely



Hon Clare Scriven MLC
MINISTER FOR PRIMARY INDUSTRIES AND REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT
MINISTER FOR FOREST INDUSTRIES

23 / 3 / 2023

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From: Livestock SA <admin@livestocksa.org.au>
Sent: Wednesday, 17 August 2022 4:14 PM
To: Scriven Office <Scriven.Office@parliament.sa.gov.au>
Subject: Livestock SA 2022 AGM and Agenda

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2022 Livestock SA Annual General Meeting

You are invited to attend the 2022 Annual General Meeting of Livestock SA Inc.

Monday, 29 August 2022

Registrations from 2:30pm with AGM commencing at 3:00pm

Adelaide Hills Convention Centre, 145A Mount Barker Rd, Hahndorf South Australia

AGM AGENDA

1. Meeting open and welcome
2. Confirm minutes of the 2021 Annual General Meeting- [found here](#)
3. Presidents Report

4. CEO Report
5. Treasurers Report
6. Appointment of Auditor for FY2023
7. Election of board members
8. Cattle Industry Funds Annual Report
9. Sheep Industry Fund Annual Report
10. Biosecurity Animal Health and Welfare Advisory Committee
11. Biosecurity Blueprint
12. Beef and Sheep Blueprints
13. Other business
14. Close of meeting

Can't make it in person? Please register and we will send you the Zoom details to attend online.

The Livestock SA Annual General Meeting will be followed by the Growing SA event. Hurry... registrations for Growing SA close Thursday 18 August, 2022.

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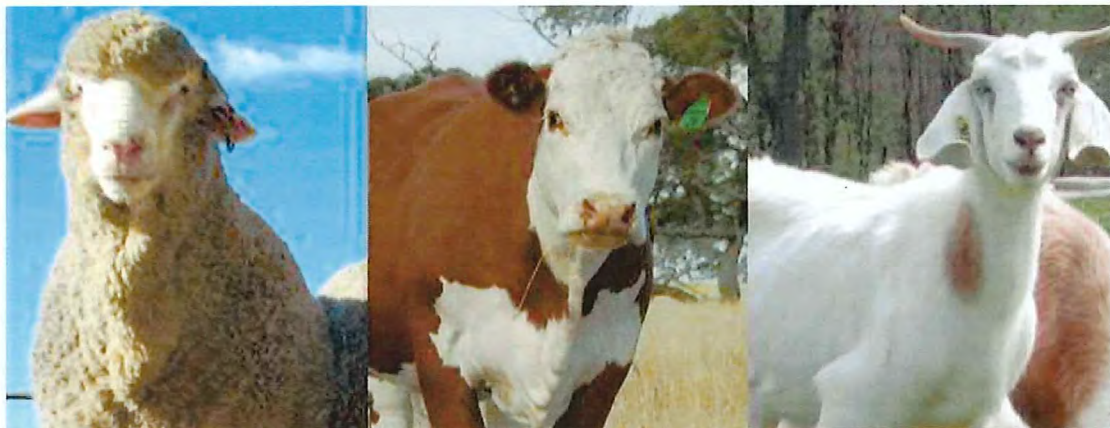
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Gonos, Anthea (PIRSA)

From: Livestock Ceo <ceo@livestocksa.org.au>
Sent: Tuesday, 20 September 2022 11:51 AM
To: PIRSA:Minister Scriven
Cc: President; Spencer, Meagan (PIRSA)
Subject: Invitation to dinner with the new Livestock SA Board
Attachments: 22L092O - Invitation to Livestock SA Board dinner - Minister Scriven.pdf

Follow Up Flag: Follow up
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Dear Minister

Please find attached a letter from Livestock SA President, Joe Keynes inviting you to join the new Livestock SA Board for dinner on Thursday 27 October 2022 at the Rydges South Park Adelaide.

Yours sincerely

Travis Tobin
Chief Executive Officer
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20 September 2022

The Hon Clare Scriven MLC
Minister for Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development
Level 10, 1 King William Street
Adelaide SA 5000
Via email: Minister.Scriven@sa.gov.au

Dear Minister

Re: Invitation to dinner with the new Livestock SA Board

I write to invite you to join the new Livestock SA Board for dinner on Thursday 27 October 2022 at the Rydges South Park Adelaide.

At our Annual General Meeting in Hahndorf on 29 August 2022, South Australia producers elected three new members to the Livestock SA Board. The first meeting of the new board is being held 27-28 October 2022.

We have also extended an invitation to dinner with the board to your colleague, the Hon Susan Close MP.

The Livestock SA office will follow up with your office with further details.

Yours sincerely

Joe Keynes
President

Gonos, Anthea (PIRSA)

From: Livestock Ceo <ceo@livestocksa.org.au>
Sent: Friday, 23 September 2022 1:29 PM
To: PIRSA:Minister Scriven
Cc: Spencer, Meagan (PIRSA); President; Ian Rowett; Penny Schulz; EO@livestocksa.org.au
Subject: Continual improvement in Sheep and Cattle Industry Funds administration
Attachments: 20220923 - Improving Industry Funds Administration.pdf

Follow Up Flag: Follow up
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Dear Minister

Please find attached a letter from Livestock SA President, Joe Keynes about areas Livestock SA would like to discuss with you to help improve our administration of the Sheep and Cattle Industry Funds.

We look forward to meeting with you soon.

Yours sincerely

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23 September 2022

The Hon Clare Scriven MLC
Minister for Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development
Level 10, 1 King William Street
Adelaide SA 5000
Via email: Minister.Scriven@sa.gov.au

Dear Minister

Re: Continual improvement in Sheep and Cattle Industry Funds administration

I write to highlight a couple of issues that Livestock SA would like to discuss and develop new processes with the government to ensure continual improvement in our administration of the Sheep and Cattle Industry Funds, which we have successfully done since February 2020.

1. Annual project approval and payment timelines

As you are aware, the Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development is the signatory of the Sheep and Cattle Industry Funds, and Livestock SA has maintained a close relationship with the Office and the Department of Primary Industries and Regions (PIRSA) to complete this function as efficiently as possible.

The timing of responses to applications and letters from your Office is critical to the successful administration of the Funds and has flow on impacts to the projects it supports.

Livestock SA submitted the 2022-23 Sheep Industry Fund application on 1 May 2022 but did not receive the approval response letter from your Office until 29 July 2022 (letter dated 6 June 2022). The lengthy delay in receiving the response meant that an opportunity to support SARDI's 'Improving oestrus synchrony of ewes in Spring artificial insemination program' was lost. Delays of similar durations were also experienced with former Ministers.

While I accept and understand that the State Election would have played a significant role in the delay this year, Livestock SA would like to put an agreed process and timelines in place for both parties to reduce the likelihood of this happening in future years.

2. Greater transparency and accountability of funding used for Livestock SA operations

Following the transition of the Sheep and Cattle Industry Funds administration from PIRSA to Livestock SA, the previous process that was in place for Livestock SA to receive and expend funds was adopted. While this was understandable at the time to reduce the number of changes being made, it is not best practice or good governance as Livestock SA now has different lines of

accountability. Amending the current reporting arrangements will ensure greater accountability for Livestock SA to government and to the producers that choose to pay the voluntary levy, for all the funds that Livestock SA receives from PIRSA.

As you may be aware, Livestock SA has changed considerably since its establishment in 2013, and particularly over the last couple of years. Today, it is a multi-dimensional organisation providing a range of services to South Australia's red meat and wool industries. As part of the evolution of the organisation, the Livestock SA Board has identified opportunities to better align various elements of its structure, strengthen the organisation's governance arrangements to ensure greater transparency and accountability to levy payers, and create processes that enable producers to engage with the organisation more easily at various levels.

While some of these issues are still being worked through the Board and the broader livestock industry, an important first step is to put in place a more contemporary process for Livestock SA's management, transparency and accountability for administering the Sheep and Cattle Industry Funds.

I look forward to meeting with you in the coming weeks to further discuss the above issues, agree on the solutions, and continue progressing a fit-for-future industry organisation capable of providing multiple services to our state's sheep, cattle and goat producers.

Yours sincerely

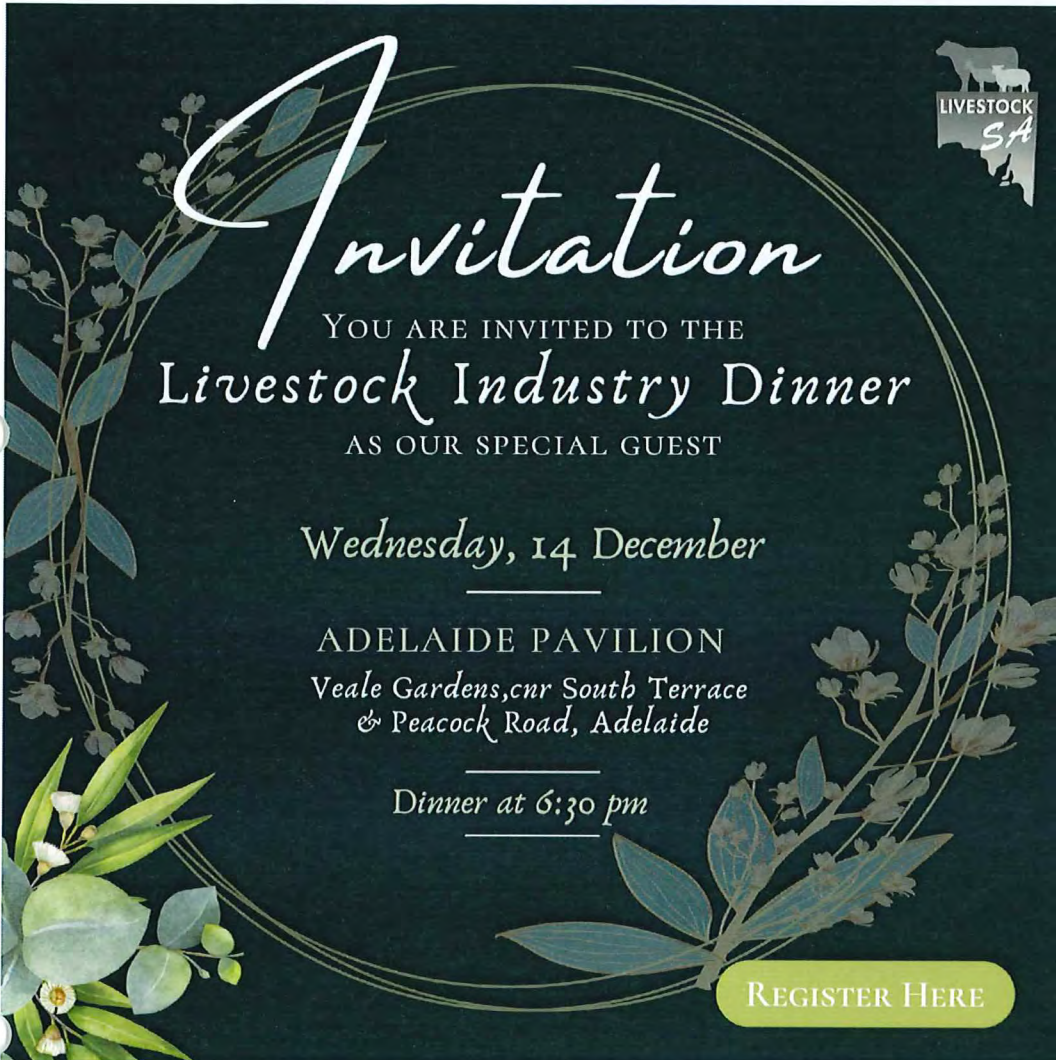


Joe Keynes
President

cc Ian Rowett, Chair - Sheep Industry Fund Board
Penny Schulz, Chair - Cattle Industry Fund Board

Gonos, Anthea (PIRSA)

From: Hannah Trevilyan <htrevilyan@livestocksa.org.au>
Sent: Thursday, 10 November 2022 10:15 AM
Subject: Livestock Industry Dinner Invite | 14th December



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Kind Regards,
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Communications and Membership Manager
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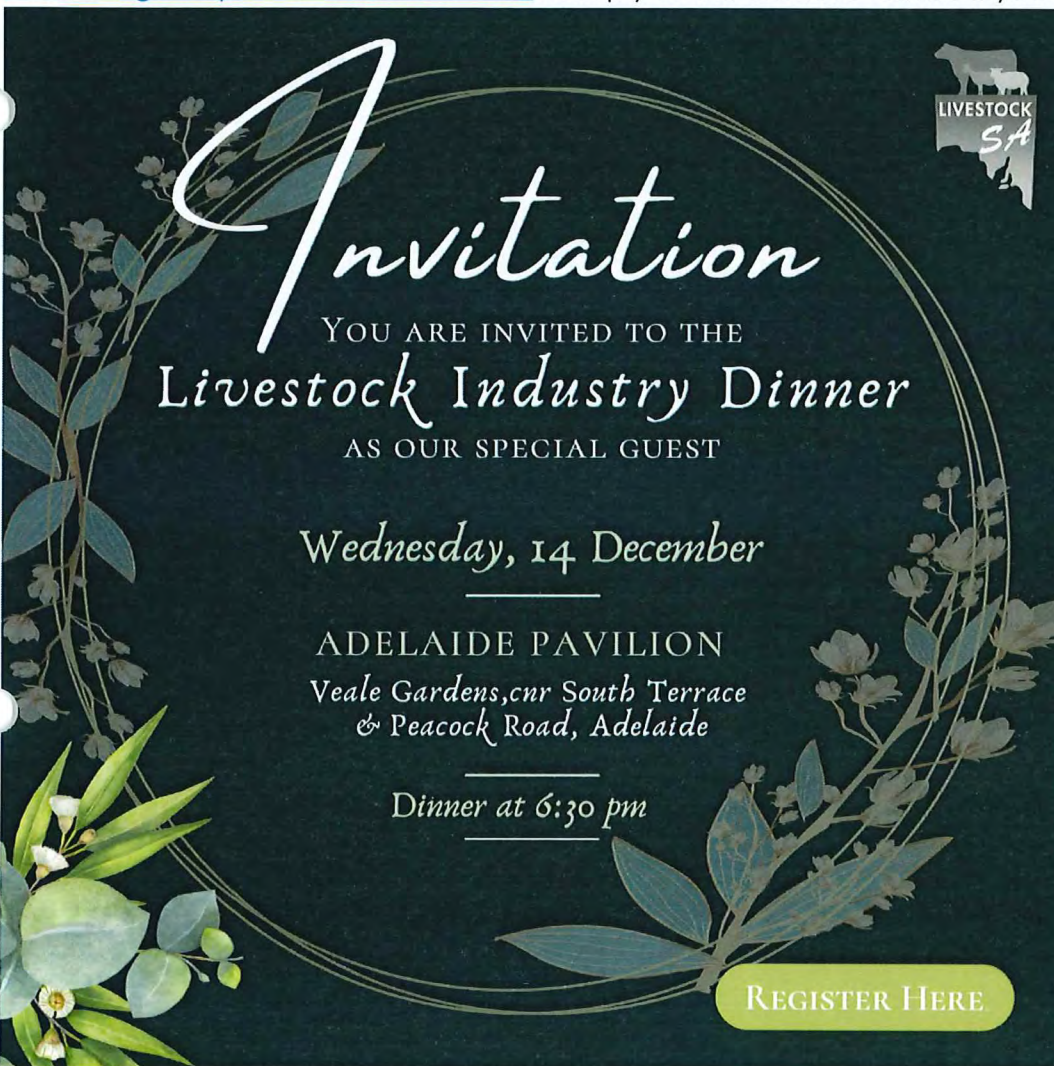
From: Hannah Trevilyan <htrevilyan@livestocksa.org.au>
Sent: Thursday, 17 November 2022 12:57 PM
Subject: Reminder: Livestock Industry Dinner Invite | 14th December

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Good afternoon,

This is a friendly reminder that Livestock SA has not yet received your RSVP for the Livestock Industry Dinner on the 14th of December.

[Please register your attendance here](#) or reply to this email to advise if you are unable to attend.



RSVP 30th November 2022

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Kind Regards,
Hannah Trevilyan
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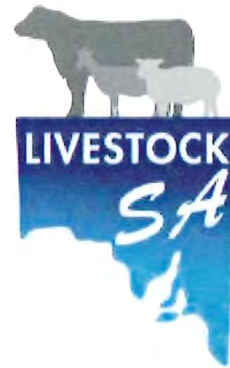
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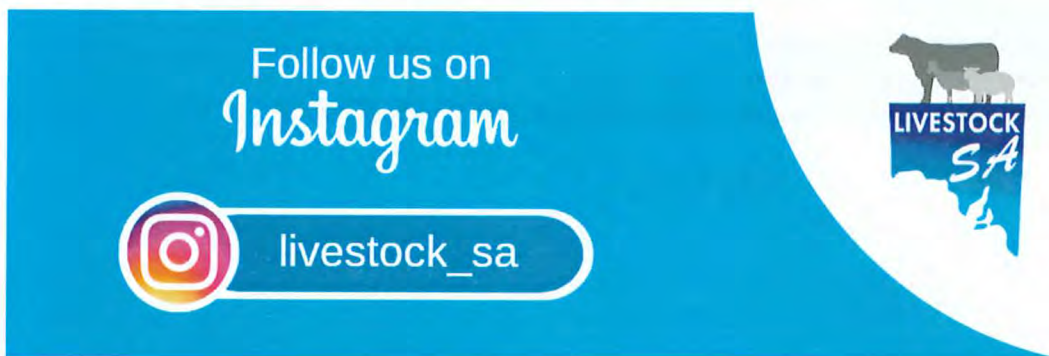
From: Hannah Trevilyan <htrevilyan@livestocksa.org.au>
Sent: Wednesday, 23 November 2022 10:54 AM
To: Hunter, Sebastian (PIRSA)
Cc: Kalashnikoff, Deborah (PIRSA)
Subject: RE: eA198466 - ACCEPTANCE to Invitation Livestock Industry Dinner 14th December 2022
Attachments: Function Information Sheet - Industry Dinner 14th Dec 2022.docx

Hi Debbie and Sebastian,

My apologies – I must have picked up last year's document.

Please see the correct document attached.

Kind Regards,
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From: Hannah Trevilyan
Sent: Tuesday, 22 November 2022 4:41 PM
To: Hunter, Sebastian (PIRSA) <Sebastian.Hunter@sa.gov.au>
Cc: Kalashnikoff, Deborah (PIRSA) <Deborah.Kalashnikoff@sa.gov.au>
Subject: RE: eA198466 - ACCEPTANCE to Invitation Livestock Industry Dinner 14th December 2022


Hi Sebastian,

Hope you are well.


Please see attached. At this stage we don't have a lot of information but this can be provided closer to the event if you'd like me to send an updated document?

Kind Regards,
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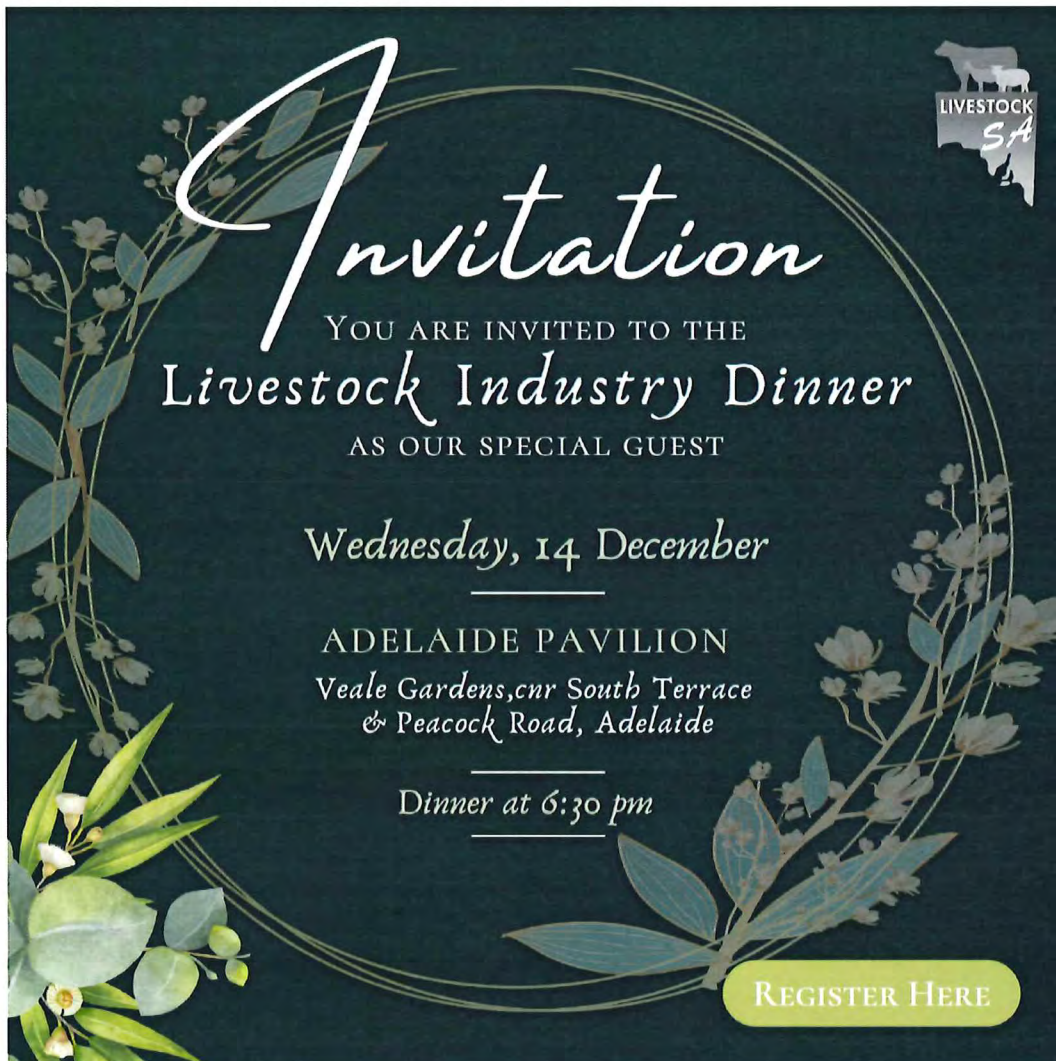
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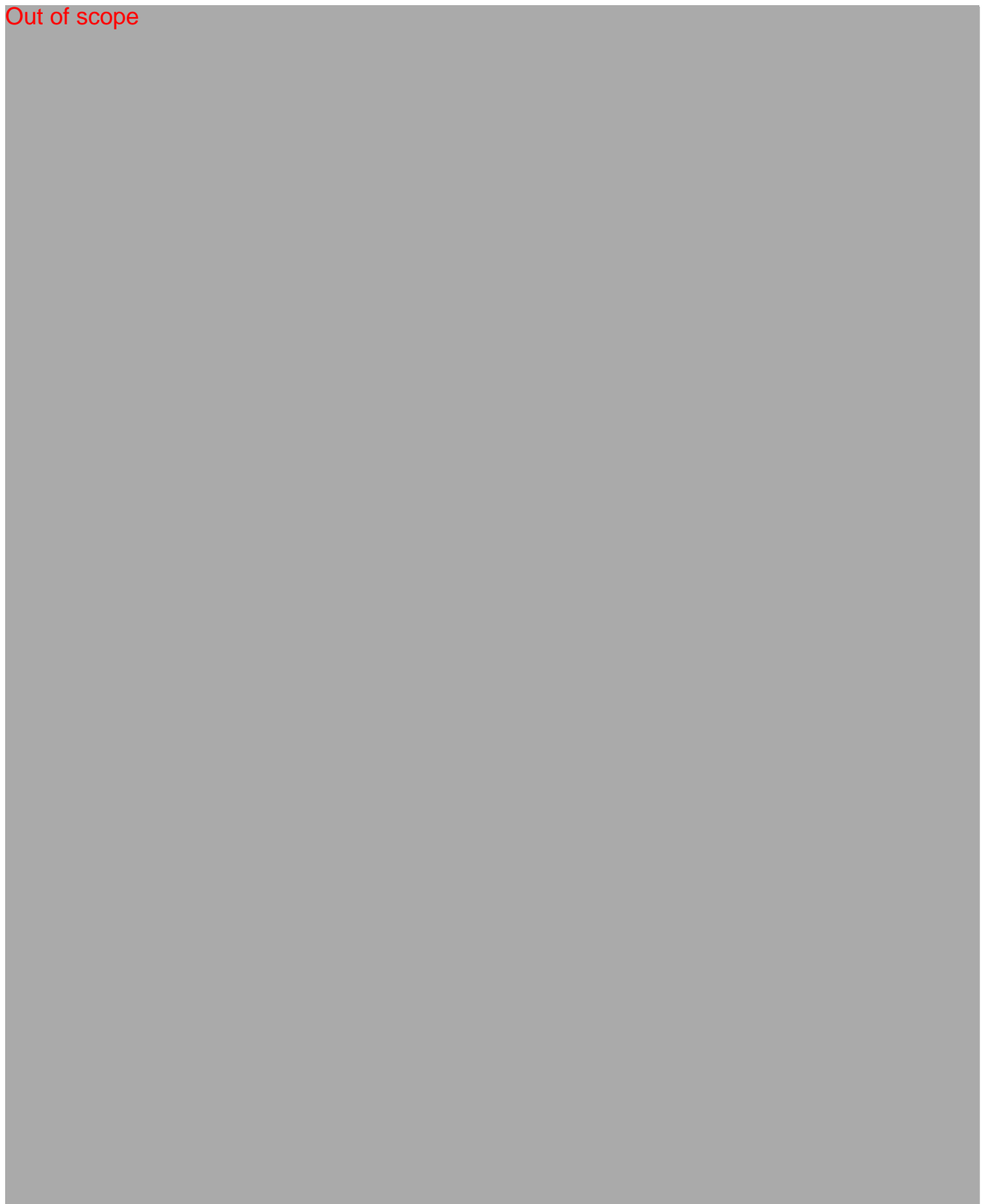
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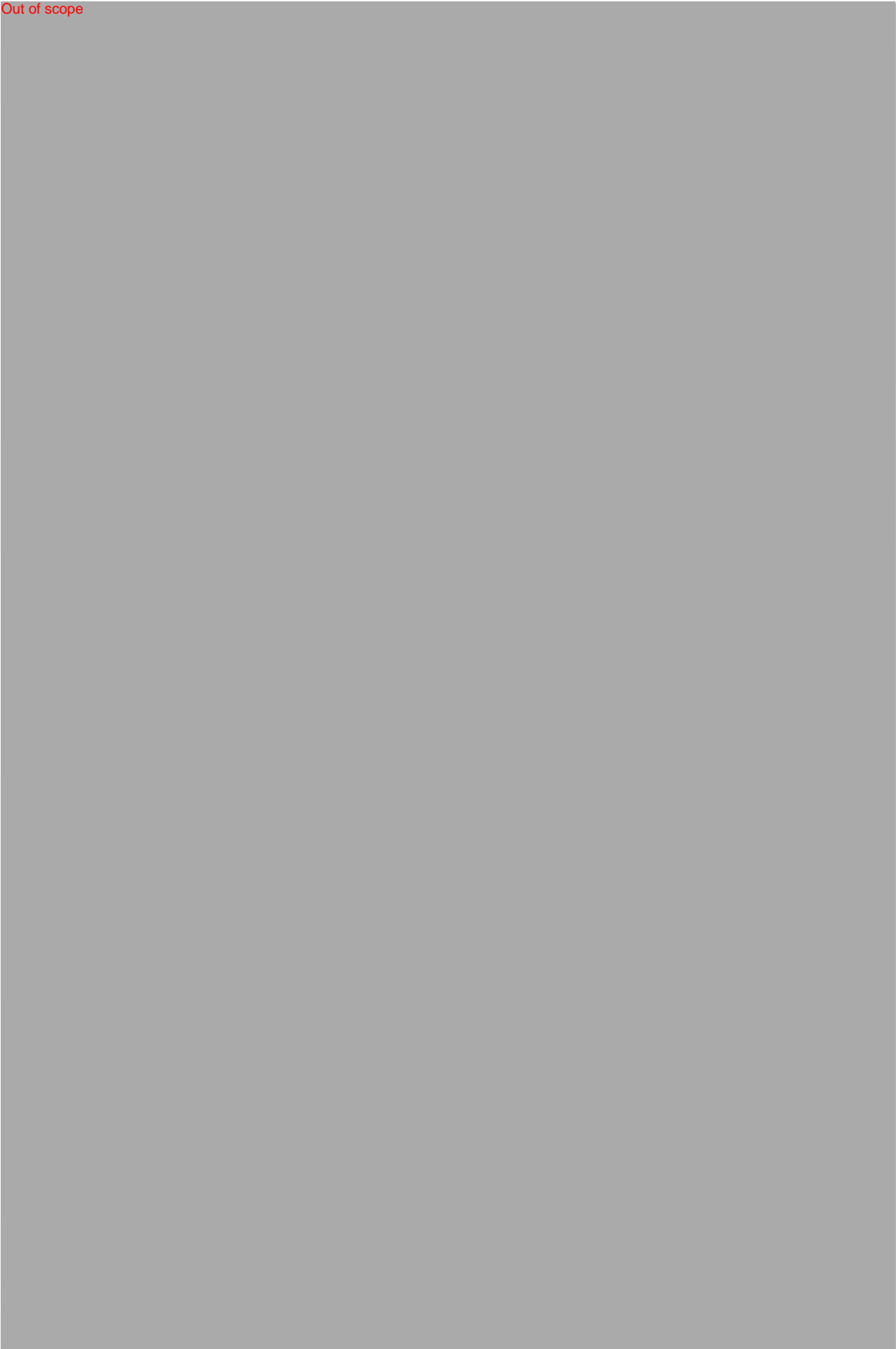
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1 December 2022

The Hon Clare Scriven MLC
Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development
Level 10, 1 King William Street
ADELAIDE SA 5000

Via email: Minister.Scriven@sa.gov.au

Dear Minister

Re: Inaugural 'Future Livestock Leaders Program'

Livestock SA has initiated the 'Future Livestock Leaders Program' to help identify and foster future leaders in South Australia's livestock industry.

The program is designed to expose a potential young leader to a broad range of livestock issues and some of the work undertaken by Livestock SA. The program is aligned with our Industry Week (12-16 December this year) when all the Livestock SA sub-committees meet. The Industry Dinner, also held that week on 14 December, provides excellent networking opportunities.

The inaugural winner of the program is Sophie Nuske from the University of Adelaide.

We would be delighted if you and/or your advisers were able to meet with Ms Nuske at Parliament House during the week 12-16 December to briefly discuss the Government's priorities for the livestock industries and how industry and government can work together to achieve positive outcomes for livestock producers.

Yours sincerely

Travis Tobin
Chief Executive Officer

Gonos, Anthea (PIRSA)

From: Livestock CEO <ceo@livestocksa.org.au>
Sent: Friday, 23 December 2022 9:50 AM
To: PIRSA:Minister Scriven
Cc: Spencer, Meagan (PIRSA); Doroudi, Mehdi (PIRSA); President
Subject: Long-term biosecurity resources investment
Attachments: 20221223 - Minister Scriven re long term investment in biosecurity resources.pdf;
Encl. SA Livestock Biosecurity Blueprint 2030.pdf

Categories: Diary

Dear Minister

Please find attached a letter about the need for a long-term investment in biosecurity extension resources to drive proactive biosecurity activities that benefit industry and government.

I look forward to continuing this discussion in the new year.

Yours sincerely

Travis Tobin
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23 December 2022

The Hon Clare Scriven MLC
Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development
Level 10, 1 King William Street
Adelaide SA 5000
Via email: Minister.Scriven@sa.gov.au

Dear Minister

Re: Request for government investment into biosecurity resources for Livestock SA

Thank you again for meeting with our 'Future Livestock Leaders' Program winner Sophie Nuske last Thursday 15 December 2022. Sophie greatly appreciated the opportunity to talk with you about current issues impacting South Australia's livestock industries and some localised challenges for her regional area.

As briefly discussed last week, I am writing to you to formally request a meeting in early 2023 to discuss a long-term investment approach that can deliver suitable resources to drive the biosecurity priorities industry and government identified through the 'South Australian Livestock Biosecurity Blueprint 2030' (enclosed).

South Australia's red meat and wool industries are the backbone of the livestock and meat processing industries, which contribute \$5.4 billion each year to the state. The red meat and wool industries are also the largest manufacturing employer in the state, and export 70% of sheepmeat, 95% of goatmeat, and 98% of wool produced. Strong macroeconomic indicators and trends highlight that there are great opportunities for the continued growth of these industries.

Reported cases of Lumpy Skin Disease (LSD, March 2022) and Foot and Mouth Disease (FMD, May 2022) in Indonesia have rightfully diverted a lot of focus and resources around biosecurity activities over the past 6 months. Encouragingly, we have seen some elements of the chronically under resourced biosecurity system receive additional funding from federal and state governments, and the review and improvement of existing plans and processes. Our joint challenge now is to put sustainable funding streams in place for those areas that have been addressed to date and continue the work that was occurring before the Indonesian detections.

Prior to the biosecurity effort and resources being diverted to focus on the increased threats of LSD and FMD, South Australia's on farm biosecurity had been identified as a weak link in our national biosecurity chain. It was also identified that the productivity and profitability of the state's red meat and wool industries is being impacted by poorly managed endemic diseases. The priority list of endemic diseases for the red meat industry was updated in 2022. It is estimated that endemic

diseases cost livestock industries hundreds of millions of dollars each year¹. Many endemic diseases can be easily prevented with adequate support for producers to adopt better on farm biosecurity and animal health management.

In the coming years livestock producers will require support to manage the range of challenges they will face including a changing climate and biosecurity conditions, greater scrutiny of on-farm systems to meet market requirements, traceability, and of course becoming better prepared for potential exotic animal diseases such as LSD and FMD.

Over last 3 years, producers, government and the industry more broadly have relied upon Livestock SA's Biosecurity Extension program, which was funded through PIRSA's Red Meat and Wool Growth Program (RMW), to facilitate practice change and provide this advice in lieu of other on-ground extension resources. The Extension program demonstrated a positive influence and impact for the livestock industry supply chains and the ability to successfully improve biosecurity culture. The Extension program also demonstrated that to be effective at least two full time equivalents were required – the RMW position was leveraged through an Animal Health Australia funded position.

Despite the success of the Extension program, the contract ended in September 2022. Recognising the value of the Extension program and its future potential, the Sheep and Cattle Industry Funds committed to funding it from October 2022 through to June 2023.

Livestock SA is seeking a 5-year co-investment commitment from industry and government to employ two full time equivalent biosecurity extension positions. The ongoing program of work would be co-designed with PIRSA, focused on achieving the priorities identified in the Biosecurity Blueprint (enclosed), and steward on-farm biosecurity, emergency animal disease preparedness, and improvements for traceability and its compliance.

A co-investment approach also provides us with an opportunity to review how certain biosecurity related activities are currently funded. For example, sheep and cattle producers currently contribute over \$462,000 (about 58 per cent) per year towards the cost of running the NLIS Compliance Program. In other states, this cost is fully covered by government. The current arrangement in our state greatly reduces the industry's appetite to invest more producer contributions from the Sheep and Cattle Industry Funds in proactive biosecurity activities that benefit industry and government.

Whatever the funding mix agreed, long-term investment is required to secure the right people and effectively drive the desired change to protect South Australia's livestock industries and the significant economic contribution they make to the state.

Yours sincerely



Travis Tobin
Chief Executive Officer

cc. Mehdi Doroudi, Chief Executive - Department of Primary Industries and Regions

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¹ MLA (July 2022), *Priority list of endemic diseases for the red meat industry — 2022 update.*

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN LIVESTOCK BIOSECURITY BLUEPRINT 2030



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VISION

The livestock industry has the systems, capability and capacity to minimise the risks of, and maximise preparedness for, endemic and exotic pest, weed and disease incursions.

This will be achieved through an engaged and united approach to biosecurity – delivered through the South Australian Livestock Biosecurity Blueprint 2030. The blueprint will improve the industry's ability to achieve its production targets and respond to increasing threats, improving SA's resilience to adverse events.

BACKGROUND

Livestock production systems in SA varies by species, region and landscape but all businesses have one thing in common – they rely on a strong biosecurity system to maintain and achieve the targets set out in the SA Sheep and Beef Industry Blueprints.

These targets are:

SA Sheep Industry Blueprint

By 2030, the value of the sheep supply chain will exceed \$3 billion annually.



SA Beef Industry Blueprint

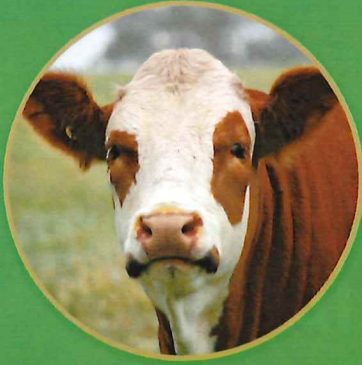
By 2028, the beef industry will increase in farmgate returns by more than \$100 million per year with total SA beef value chain revenue increasing by more than \$200m/year.



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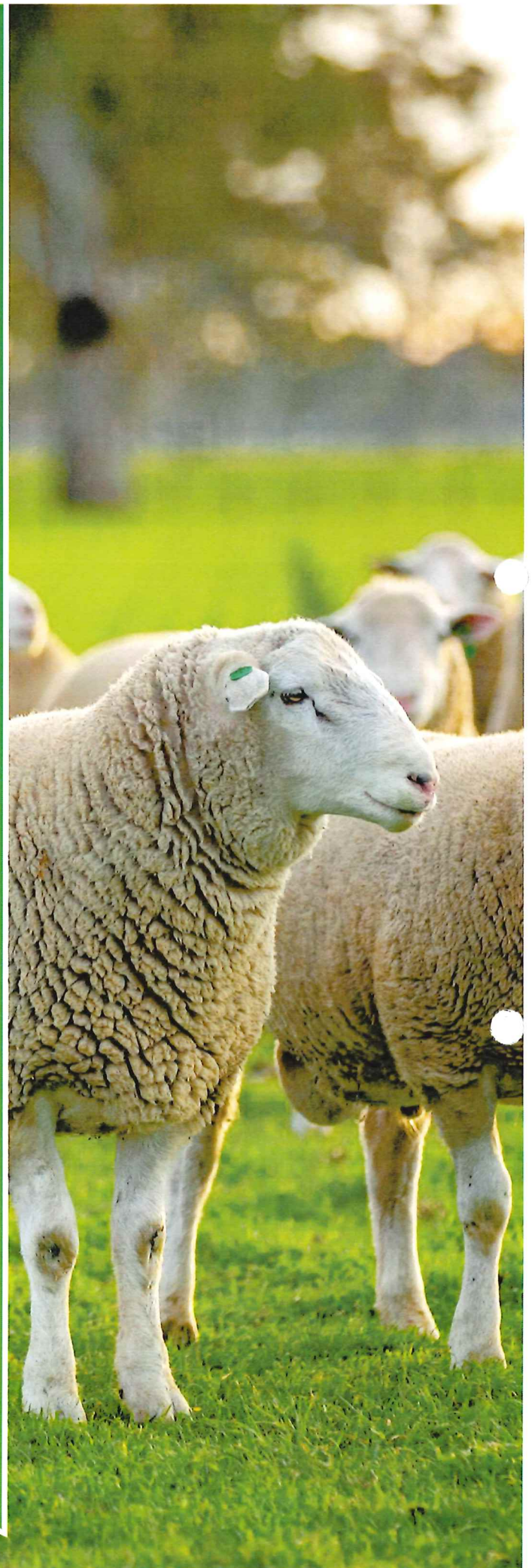
In a changing environment and with increasing threats of serious pest, weed and disease incursions, a consistent and focused approach to biosecurity will be central to achieving the identified priority areas.

South Australia's current biosecurity practices and systems contribute to the clean, green and disease-free status the industry prides itself on. The SA livestock industry has successfully maintained access to export markets without serious trade restrictions. However, this success is likely to have contributed to complacency when it comes to biosecurity.

Complacency is dangerous because SA's livestock industries are yet to be tested by a serious biosecurity incursion. Current research has identified increasing threats of a serious incursion from imports, changing climactic conditions and disease incursions from neighbouring countries. These increasing threats have resulted in an urgency for the supply chain to ensure it can adequately respond.

More than ever, the future success of SA's sheep, cattle and goat industries rely on the alignment of efforts across the entire supply chain including producers, processors, livestock agents, veterinarians, peak industry bodies and government.

To identify ways to focus biosecurity activities, resources and investment, Livestock SA hosted the inaugural Livestock Biosecurity Summit in Murray Bridge on 7 April 2022. The summit brought together representatives from across the SA livestock supply chain to identify key priorities and targets to accelerate supply chain engagement, biosecurity and traceability standards and demonstrate national leadership through an enhanced biosecurity culture. The outcomes from the summit and subsequent industry consultation are captured in this blueprint.



Priority	Vision	Required activities
Enhancing biosecurity culture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A positive, healthy livestock biosecurity culture valued by the supply chain • Livestock biosecurity messaging, activities and resources focus on opportunity and are recognised, understood and employed by all members of the supply chain 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Industry defines and owns its biosecurity culture • Demystify biosecurity with relatable messages and terms • Ensure the supply chain uses consistent language when communicating about biosecurity • Create positive benefit-focused messaging, targeted at the outcome of adoption and away from focus on threat. • Foster and promote a shared culture between producers, peak industry bodies, government and the supply chain
Unified approach	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consistent national biosecurity processes and systems across jurisdictions • A sustainable livestock biosecurity model that supports continuity in funding and delivery • Collaborative livestock industry biosecurity centred on shared resources to avoid duplication • An engaged livestock industry supply chain where each sector understands their biosecurity obligations and maintains consistent messaging and delivery • Integrated systems and technology that underpin and deliver simplified livestock biosecurity • Unified and shared emergency animal disease (EAD) response plans and investment 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advocate for national consistencies • Identify and articulate responsibilities across the supply chain, to drive consistency of messaging and delivery • Secure, dedicated funding streams across multiple years for biosecurity and animal health initiatives • Enhance collaboration across supply chains and jurisdictions to reduce duplication • Integrate systems and technology to remove barriers for biosecurity best practice • Secure data sharing across jurisdictions and organisations with a vested interest in biosecurity to reduce duplication • Ensure industry systems for producers focus on values for consumers
Building capacity across the supply chain	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adaptable livestock industry in response to the changing environment • Industry biosecurity initiatives achieve adoption and practice change • All members of the supply chain are motivated and engaged in biosecurity • Service providers to the livestock industry support and contribute to better biosecurity • Accredited, responsible livestock agents and service providers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Build the industry's capability to respond to a changing environment and minimise business biosecurity risk • Drive biosecurity practice change through best practice extension methods • Ensure activities focus on engaging with industry from across the spectrum of adoption, recognising the varied level of biosecurity understanding, from basic to expert • Identify peer to peer learning opportunities through biosecurity champions and case studies • Improve knowledge exchange throughout the supply chain
Preparedness and prevention	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A competent surveillance and monitoring system to achieve early detections • A responsive industry that is educated and prepared for endemic and exotic disease incursions • All sectors of the supply chain understand their responsibilities in the event of an EAD response and are prepared to respond 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Undertake activities designed to mitigate risk and enhance supply chain preparedness to respond to endemic and exotic disease incursion • Enhance surveillance and monitoring of endemic and exotic diseases through innovation • Educate all supply chain members on what to expect in an EAD response through simulation exercises that have a state focus with national input
Strong and effective traceability	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strong and effective systems accurately and quickly trace livestock through the supply chain • Policy and regulation aligns and facilitates the achievement of strong systems • Adequately resourced traceability and compliance systems • Livestock industry systems guarantee compliance and enable preferential market access 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Deliver extension and capacity building activities that promote traceability • Improve compliance with current processes such as National Vendor Declaration accuracy and timely National Livestock Identification System transfers • Ensure regulation and policy enables stronger systems that guarantee compliance with traceability • Implement electronic identification for sheep and goats to strengthen the state's traceability systems • Ensure state traceability and compliance systems are well resourced

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Gonos, Anthea (PIRSA)

From: Livestock CEO <ceo@livestocksa.org.au>
Sent: Tuesday, 17 January 2023 11:27 AM
To: PIRSA:Minister Scriven
Cc: minister.watt@agriculture.gov.au; Spencer, Meagan (PIRSA); Livestock SA Admin
Subject: Dog Fence Rebuild
Attachments: 23L004O - Minister Scriven re Dog Fence Rebuild.pdf

Categories: Corro - General

Dear Minister

Please find attached a letter advising Livestock SA's position on the Dog Fence rebuild and the need for additional funding to complete the 1,600 kilometres as originally proposed.

Yours sincerely

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17 January 2023

The Hon Clare Scriven MLC
Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development
Level 10, 1 King William Street
Adelaide SA 5000
Via email: Minister.Scriven@sa.gov.au

Dear Minister

Re: Rebuild of the Dog Fence

I write to advise Livestock SA's position on the Dog Fence rebuild and the need for additional funding to complete the 1,600 kilometres as originally proposed.

At its December 2022 meeting, the Livestock SA Board received a presentation from Lindell Andrews, Dog Fence Rebuild Manager on the project's progress to date and the additional funding that will be required to complete the rebuild due to rising costs since 2020.

The increased costs that have been experienced through the project, particularly in the past 12 months, were noted and the substantial benefits of rebuilding the fence were discussed. As you may be aware, sheep are returning to those parts of the state where the fence has been completed, which is positive for job creation and economic activity. It is also providing broader benefits, including improved landholder wellbeing and animal welfare and biosecurity outcomes.

Livestock SA supports new funds being raised to ensure the project can be completed in its entirety and considers the current 2:2:1 funding model should continue.

We look forward to working closely with your department to predict the full costs that will be incurred to complete the full 1,600 kilometres of fence.

Yours sincerely

Travis Tobin
Chief Executive Officer

cc. Senator the Hon Murray Watt, Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry

Gonos, Anthea (PIRSA)

From: Hannah Trevilyan <htrevilyan@livestocksa.org.au>
Sent: Friday, 20 January 2023 1:37 PM
To: PIRSA:Minister Scriven
Subject: Invite to the Livestock SA Southern Regional Meeting
Attachments: 23L008O - Minister Scriven re Invite Southern Regional Meeting 2023.pdf

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Dear Minister,

Please see attached.

Kind Regards,
Hannah Trevilyan

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20 January 2023

The Hon Clare Scriven MLC
Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development
Minister for Forest Industries
Member of the Legislative Council
Level 10, 1 King William Street
Adelaide SA 5000

via email: Minister.Scriven@sa.gov.au

Dear Minister

Re: Invitation to attend Livestock SA Southern Regional Meeting – Friday 3 February 2023

I write to extend a warm invitation to you to attend Livestock SA's upcoming Southern Regional Meeting on Friday 3 February 2023. The meeting will be held at the Robe Bowling Club (3 Mundy Terrace, Robe SA 5276).

The Livestock SA Southern Region hosts a number of meetings and events in the state's South East each year. These meetings are well attended, providing an excellent platform for issues to be discussed and industry fellowship.

If you can fit our event into your busy schedule, it will be my pleasure to welcome you.

Yours sincerely

Joe Keynes
President

Gonos, Anthea (PIRSA)

From: Tom Cosentino <EO@livestocksa.org.au>
Sent: Tuesday, 7 February 2023 10:14 AM
To: PIRSA:Minister Scriven
Cc: Tim Burvill; Livestock CEO; President
Subject: Progress Report on Cattle Industry Fund activities and projects 2023FY
Attachments: 23L012O - CIF Progress Report 2023FY.pdf

Categories: Corro - General

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Dear Minister,


Please find correspondence from Livestock SA Chief Executive Travis Tobin regarding the Progress Report on Cattle Industry Fund activities and projects 2023FY.

Regards,

Kind Regards,
Tom Cosentino
Executive Officer – Industry Fund Boards
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7 February 2023

Hon Claire Scriven MLC
Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development
By Email: Minister.Scriven@sa.gov.au

Dear Minister,

Re: Progress Report on Cattle Industry Fund activities and projects 2022-2023.

Livestock SA, as the body that represents cattle producers and fund recipient of the Cattle Industry Fund is required to provide a report on progress of activities to 31 December each year.

The table contained in this letter provides an update on each of the project's status and disbursements from the Cattle Industry Fund during the 2023 financial year. Detailed progress reports for each project are available on request.

If there are any matters you wish to discuss regarding the application, please feel free to contact me or the Cattle Industry Fund Board's Executive Officer, Tom Cosentino (eo@livestocksa.org.au) through the Livestock SA office.

Yours sincerely

Travis Tobin
Chief Executive Officer

CC: Tim Burvill – Chair, Cattle Industry Fund Board

Cattle Industry Fund – Progress Report on Activities and Projects 2022-23

Project	Service provider	Amount disbursed to 31 December 2022	Total Budget	Clause 7(1)(c)	Clause 7(1)(c)
Maintaining market access and securing new markets					
NLIS Compliance Program - Cattle	Biosecurity SA	\$50,000	\$200,000		
Efficient and sustainable production					
Farm Biosecurity & Endemic Disease Management Program	Biosecurity SA	\$14,332	\$57,328		
Business management and skills development					
SA Junior Heifer Expo 2023	SA Junior Heifer Expo Organising Committee	-	\$7,500		
Cattle Industry Fund – Governance & Administration Services	Livestock SA	\$28,810	\$57,620		
SA Beef Industry Blueprint Implementation	Livestock SA	\$32,000	\$64,000		
Advocacy					
Livestock SA Advocacy Program	Livestock SA	\$115,000	\$230,000		
SA Dairyfarmers' Association Advocacy Program	SA Dairyfarmers' Association	\$25,000	\$50,000		
Small Project Fund					
AIA Online Video Champions	Agriculture Institute Australia, South Australian Division	\$7,500	\$7,500		

Gonos, Anthea (PIRSA)

From: Livestock CEO <ceo@livestocksa.org.au>
Sent: Thursday, 9 February 2023 9:54 AM
To: PIRSA:Minister Scriven
Cc: Spencer, Meagan (PIRSA); President; Doroudi, Mehdi (PIRSA); treloar.p
Subject: State Government position on sheep and goat eID exemptions
Attachments: 23L016O - Minister Scriven re eID exemptions.pdf


Categories: Corro - General


Dear Minister

Please find attached a letter from Livestock SA President, Joe Keynes seeking clarification on the South Australian Government's position on exemptions for specific classes of livestock following the decision by Commonwealth, state, and territory agriculture ministers for the mandatory implementation of national individual electronic identification (eID) for sheep and goats in each jurisdiction by 1 January 2025.

Yours sincerely

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9 February 2023

The Hon Clare Scriven MLC
Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development
Level 10, 1 King William Street
Adelaide SA 5000
Via email: Minister.Scriven@sa.gov.au

Dear Minister

Re: Government position on exemptions for mandatory eID in sheep and goats

I write to seek clarification on the South Australian Government's position on exemptions for specific classes of livestock following the decision by Commonwealth, state, and territory agriculture ministers for the mandatory implementation of national individual electronic identification (eID) for sheep and goats in each jurisdiction by 1 January 2025.

As you are aware, Livestock SA is delivering a project with funding from the government (through the Department of Primary Industries and Regions) and the Sheep Industry Fund to:

1. Form a South Australian Sheep and Goat Traceability Steering Committee that can provide advice from across the supply chain (i.e. whole of industry); and
2. For that Steering Committee to:
 - o develop a South Australian specific Business Case outlining the costs, risks and issues that will need to be overcome to effectively implement a mandatory eID system
 - o develop an implementation strategy and a communication, extension, and engagement strategy for the effective implementation of eID in South Australia.

A material and pivotal change that occurred soon after the project commenced was the decision by Commonwealth, state, and territory governments to mandate a nationally consistent eID system for sheep and goats. This decision necessitated an adjustment to the original scope of work and deliverables of the project, as it was originally designed to assess the justifications (or not) for implementing sheep eID in South Australia to inform government decision making on this issue.

Nevertheless, the Steering Committee has progressed a positive body of work to ensure that a mandated eID system in South Australia is properly costed and inform implementation decisions to reduce disruption and maintain efficiencies for livestock producers and the supply chain.

Through the project and separate consultation meetings and processes we have undertaken with our members, Livestock SA is aware that some sheep producers are requesting exemptions from mandatory eID for specific classes of animals and production systems. We are also aware that this issue has been discussed and debated through the Steering Committee.

From our discussions with you and your department on this matter, and from Agriculture Ministers' Meeting communiques, it is our understanding that all governments are committed to harmonised eID tagging requirements for all managed farmed sheep and goats and that the South Australian Government is not considering state-specific exemptions.

While we have been advising our members this is the State Government's position, we are also aware that neither you nor your department have made any public statements on this matter. As such, we formally seek the South Australian Government's position to help guide our efforts in representing the interests of our members.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J Keynes', written in a cursive style.

Joe Keynes
President

cc. Mehdi Doroudi, Chief Executive - Department of Primary Industries and Regions
Peter Treloar, Independent Chair, South Australian Sheep and Goat Traceability Steering Committee

Gonos, Anthea (PIRSA)

From: Tom Cosentino <EO@livestocksa.org.au>
Sent: Monday, 5 September 2022 10:31 AM
To: PIRSA:Minister Scriven
Cc: Ian Rowett; Livestock Ceo; President
Subject: Annual Report on Sheep Industry Fund activities and projects 2022FY
Attachments: SIF Annual Report and Acquittal 2022FY.pdf

Follow Up Flag: Follow up
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Dear Minister,

Please find correspondence from Livestock SA President Joe Keynes regarding the Annual Report on Sheep Industry Fund activities and projects 2022FY.

Regards,

Tom Cosentino
Executive Officer – Industry Fund Boards

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31 August 2022

Hon Claire Scriven
Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development
By Email: Minister.Scriven@sa.gov.au

Dear Minister

Annual Report on Sheep Industry Fund activities and projects 2021-2022

Livestock SA, as the body that represents sheep producers and the recipient of funds from the Sheep Industry Fund (the Fund) is required to provide an annual report on delivered activities and projects from the Fund to 30 June each year.

The table below provides a reconciliation summary of the Funds administered by Livestock SA.

Funds received by Livestock SA	\$3,181,321
Less: Actual Project Expenditure	(\$3,014,358)
Less: Funds proposed to be carried forward	(\$80,710)
Unexpended Funds 2022FY	\$86,253
Unexpended Funds 2021FY	\$34,770

The attached tables provide a detailed summary of the status and disbursements from the Fund for each project during the 2022 financial year. The final reports for each project are available on request and may be made available on our website subject to any privacy requirements.

If there are any matters you wish to discuss regarding this annual report on delivered activities and projects, please feel free to contact me or the Sheep Industry Fund Board's Executive Officer, Tom Cosentino (eo@livestocksa.org.au) through the Livestock SA office.

Yours sincerely

Joe Keynes
President

CC: Ian Rowett – Chair, Sheep Industry Fund Board

Sheep Industry Fund – Financial Acquittal Summary 2021-22

Clause 7(1)(c)

Project	Project Budget	Actual Expenditure	Variance
Animal Health			
Enhanced Abattoir Surveillance	\$200,000	\$187,385	\$12,615
Footrot Management Program	\$820,000	\$818,556	\$1,444
Farm Biosecurity & Endemic Disease Management Program	\$219,221	\$203,782	\$15,439
Sheep Lice Compliance Program	\$173,781	\$172,986	\$795
Traceability			
NLIS Compliance Program – Sheep	\$262,078	\$262,078	-
Predator Control			
Wild Dog Trapper Program	\$67,500	\$67,500	-
Biteback Wild Dog Control Program	\$380,000	\$380,000	-
Advocacy			
Livestock SA Advocacy Program	\$428,500	\$428,500	-
Industry Development			
Growth of Red Meat & Wool Industries Program	\$150,000	\$150,000	-
SheepConnect SA Communications	\$40,000	\$40,000	-
Merino Sire Evaluation	\$23,000	\$23,000	-
Sheep Expo 2022	\$15,500	\$9,091	\$6,409

Clause 7(1)(c)

Simple Steps to Biosecurity (Sheep)	\$10,000	\$10,000	-
Sheep Industry Fund - Governance & Administration Services	\$104,220	\$70,620	\$33,600
Melatonin improves ewe productivity	\$47,380	\$47,380	-
SA Drought Hub Contribution	\$50,000	-	\$50,000
Thermoregulation and fertility	\$58,531	\$58,531	-
SA Sheep Industry Blueprint Manager	\$95,000	\$64,290	\$30,710
<i>Good Clover, Bad Clover</i> (oestrogen) Part 2	\$6,610	-	\$6,610
Small Project Fund	\$30,000	\$20,660	\$9,340
		Total	\$166,962
		Less: Project funds to be carried forward	
		Sheep Industry Blueprint	\$30,710
		SA Drought Hub Contribution	\$50,000
		Amount to be returned by LSA	\$86,252

Sheep Industry Fund – Projects rolled over from the 2021FY

<i>Projects and funds rolled over from prior years</i>			
Project	Project Budget	Cumulative Expenditure	Variance
Improving twin lamb survival	\$94,856	\$65,920	\$28,936
<i>Good Clover, Bad Clover (oestrogen) Part 1</i>	\$34,770	-	\$34,770
Toxoplasma Prevention & Control Program	\$70,140	\$35,070	\$35,070
Total			\$98,776
Less: Project funds to be carried forward			
Improving twin lamb survival			\$28,936
Toxo Control & Prevention			\$35,070
Amount to be returned by LSA			\$34,770

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Sheep Industry Fund – Progress Report on Activities and Projects 2021-22


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Project	Service provider
<i>Animal Health</i>	
Enhanced Abattoir Surveillance	Biosecurity SA
Footrot Management Program	Biosecurity SA
Farm Biosecurity & Endemic Disease Management Program	Biosecurity SA
Sheep Lice Compliance Program	Biosecurity SA

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Traceability	
NLIS Compliance Program – Sheep	Biosecurity SA
Predator Control	
Wild Dog Trapper Program	Biosecurity SA

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Biteback Wild Dog Control Program	SA Arid Lands NRM Board	

Clause 7(1)(c)

Advocacy	
Livestock SA Advocacy Program	Livestock SA
Industry Development	
Growth of Red Meat & Wool Industries Program	Rural Solutions SA

Clause 7(1)(c)

SheepConnect SA Communications	Rural Solutions SA
Merino Sire Evaluation	Merino SA
Sheep Expo 2022	SA Sheep Expo Council
Simple Steps to Biosecurity (Sheep)	Livestock SA
Sheep Industry Fund - Governance & Administration Services	Livestock SA
Melatonin improves ewe productivity	The University of Adelaide

Clause 7(1)(c)

SA Drought Hub Contribution	The University of Adelaide
Thermoregulation and fertility	The University of Adelaide
SA Sheep Industry Blueprint Manager	Livestock SA
Small Project Fund	
SA Livestock Biosecurity Summit (\$2,000)	Livestock SA
AgInstitute SA Student Compendium	AgInstitute of Australia – SA Division

Clause 7(1)(c)

(\$6,000)	
AAABG Conference Sponsorship (\$2,500)	Association for the Advancement of Animal Breeding and Genetics
Footrot Detection Dog (\$10,160)	Joanna Griffiths – The Training Shed

Projects and funds rolled over from prior years

Clause 7(1)(c)

Improving Twin Lamb Survival	The University of Adelaide
<i>Good Clover, Bad Clover</i> (oestrogen)	PIRSA Rural Solutions
Toxoplasma Control and Prevention Program	The University of Adelaide

Clause 7(1)(c)

SA Livestock Biosecurity Summit (\$2,000)	Livestock SA	
AAABG Conference Sponsorship (\$2,500)	Association for the Advancement of Animal Breeding and Genetics	

Clause 7(1)(c)

Advocacy Program	
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Beef Industry Blueprint Implementation	Livestock SA
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Simple Steps to Safeguard Biosecurity	Livestock SA
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Small Project Fund



Clause 7(1)(c)

Farm Biosecurity & Endemic Disease Management Program	Biosecurity SA

Business management and skills development

Clause 7(1)(c)

SA Junior Heifer Expo 2022	SA Junior Heifer Expo Organising Committee
Cattle Industry Fund – Governance & Administration Services	Livestock SA

Advocacy

Livestock SA Advocacy Program	Livestock SA
SA Dairyfarmers' Association	SA Dairyfarmers' Association

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From: Tom Cosentino <EO@livestocksa.org.au>
Sent: Monday, 5 September 2022 10:31 AM
To: PIRSA:Minister Scriven
Cc: Penny Schulz; Livestock Ceo; President
Subject: Annual Report on Cattle Industry Fund activities and projects 2022FY
Attachments: CIF Annual Report and Acquittal 2022FY.pdf

Dear Minister,

Please find correspondence from Livestock SA President Joe Keynes regarding the Annual Report on Cattle Industry Fund activities and projects 2022FY.

Regards,

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Cattle Industry Fund – Progress Report on Activities and Projects 2021-22

Project	Service provider	Clause 7(1)(c)
<i>Maintaining market access and securing new markets</i>		
NLIS Compliance Program - Cattle	Biosecurity SA	Clause 7(1)(c)
<i>Efficient and sustainable production</i>		
Growth of Red Meat & Wool Industries Program	Rural Solutions SA	

Small Project Fund	\$30,000	\$4,500	\$25,500	Please refer to the table below for small project details and budgets.
Total			\$70,216	
Less: Project funds to be carried forward Beef Industry Blueprint Implementation			(\$10,849)	
Amount to be returned by LSA			\$59,367	

Cattle Industry Fund – Financial Acquittal Summary 2021-22

Project	Project Budget	Actual Expenditure	Variance	Clause 7(1)(c)
NLIS Compliance Program - Cattle	\$200,000	\$200,000	-	
Growth of Red Meat & Wool Industries Program	\$90,000	\$90,000	-	
Farm Biosecurity & Endemic Disease Management Program	\$68,857	\$66,837	\$2,020	
SA Junior Heifer Expo 2022	\$5,000	\$5,000	-	
Cattle Industry Fund – Governance & Administration Services	\$57,620	\$25,773	\$31,847	
Livestock SA Advocacy Program	\$225,500	\$225,500	-	
SA Dairyfarmers' Association Advocacy Program	\$50,000	\$50,000	-	
Beef Industry Blueprint Implementation	\$64,000	\$53,151	\$10,849	
Simple Steps to Safeguard Biosecurity (Cattle)	\$10,000	\$10,000	-	



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Hon Claire Scriven
Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development
By Email: Minister.Scriven@sa.gov.au

Dear Minister

Annual Report on Cattle Industry Fund activities and projects 2021-2022.

Livestock SA, in consultation with the South Australian Dairyfarmers' Association, is the body that represents cattle producers and the recipient of funds from the Cattle Industry Fund (the Fund) and is required to provide an annual report on delivered activities and projects of the fund to 30 June each year.

The table below provides a reconciliation summary of the Funds administered by Livestock SA.

Funds received by Livestock SA	\$800,977
Less: Actual Project Expenditure	(\$730,761)
Less: Funds proposed to be carried forward	(\$10,849)
Unexpended Funds	\$59,367

The attached tables provide a detailed summary of the status and disbursements from the Fund for each project during the 2022 financial year. The final reports for each project are available on request and may be made available on our website subject to any privacy requirements.

If there are any matters you wish to discuss regarding this annual report on delivered activities and projects, please feel free to contact me or the Cattle Industry Fund Board's Executive Officer, Tom Cosentino (eo@livestocksa.org.au) through the Livestock SA office.

Yours sincerely

Joe Keynes
President

CC: Penny Schulz – Chair, Cattle Industry Fund Board