

## Interstate Movement Requirements for Minnesota cattle into Iowa

**Effective April 9, 2008**, the USDA has reduced Minnesota's TB status to Modified Accredited. In accordance with the federal rules and Iowa regulations, **Minnesota cattle imported into Iowa** must meet the following requirements prior to movement:

1. **Official ID**
2. **Pre-entry Permit** (can be obtained from Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship **515-281-5547**)
3. **Certificate of Veterinary Inspection**
4. **Negative TB testing** according to the below classification of cattle:

Type of Animal	Modified Accredited (Minnesota) status testing requirements
<b>Feeder</b> Cattle or Bison  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Steers &amp; Spayed Heifers</b></li> <li>• <b>Intact Heifers</b> – for feeding</li> </ul>	<b>Negative individual TB test</b> (animals <b>2 months of age and older</b> ) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>within 60 days</u> of movement to <b>Iowa</b></li> <li>• In addition, <b>sexually intact heifers can only move to an approved feedlot or through one approved livestock facility and then directly to an approved feedlot</b></li> </ul>
<b>Breeding</b> Cattle or Bison	<b>Negative TB test – herd of origin</b> (animals <b>1 year of age or older</b> ) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>within 12 months of movement</u></li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>AND</b></p> <b>Negative individual TB test</b> (animals <b>2 months of age or older</b> ) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>within 60 days of movement</u> *</li> </ul> <p><i>* Exception - the individual test is not required if animals were included on the herd of origin test and the test was conducted within 60 days of movement</i></p>
<b>Exhibition</b>	Steers and spayed heifers <u>for exhibition</u> must meet <b>Feeder requirements</b> Cows, bulls, and intact heifers <u>for exhibition</u> must meet <b>Breeding requirements</b>
<b>Slaughter</b> Cattle or Bison	In order to move to an Iowa Market and <u>then move directly to slaughter</u> : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <b>Steers &amp; heifers must meet Feeder requirements</b></li> <li>▪ <b>Cull cows &amp; bulls must meet Breeding requirements</b></li> </ul>
<b>Calves ( less than 2 months of age)</b>	<b>Negative herd of origin test within 12 months</b>

NOTE: Cattle and bison originating from a **TB Accredited Herd** can move animals without an individual test if a whole herd TB test was completed within the past 12 months and was negative. A copy of the herd TB accreditation certificate and date of last herd test must be presented to the market.