

	<i>Non-Compliant Livestock Tagging Policy</i> Policy No. SALPOL 02	Version No:	3
		Responsible Officer/s:	Saleyards Manager
		Classification:	Administration
		Issued:	4 August 2014
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1. Purpose

This policy outlines Council's requirement for all livestock to be appropriately tagged before arriving for sale at the Mount Gambier and District Saleyards.

2. Scope

This policy applies to all livestock presented for sale at the Mount Gambier and District Saleyards.

3. Definitions

Definitions are to be taken as consistent with relevant legislation as referenced in section 6.

4. Policy

It is a National Livestock Identification System (NLIS) requirement that livestock are tagged in accordance with legislative requirements prior to sale at any Saleyards.

Any untagged livestock presented for sale at the Mount Gambier and District Saleyards will be charged the fee for non-compliance (untagged) livestock as set in Council's Fees and Charges. Applicable costs for the tags will be debited to the vendor's agent who will be responsible for the recovery of the above monies.

5. Responsibilities

The Saleyards Manager is responsible for compliance with this policy.

6. References / Other Documents

References to legislation and/or documents include as amended, supplemented, updated and/or augmented from time to time.

6.1 Legislation

Biosecurity Act 2025 (SA) (Livestock Act 1997 (SA) until repealed).

Livestock Regulations 2013 (SA).

6.2 Council Policies / Procedures

Drafting and Livestock Handling policy.

6.3 Other

National Code of Practice for the Operation of the NLIS in Saleyards.

Mount Gambier and District Saleyards Agents Licence Agreement.

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7. Review

This Policy shall be reviewed by the District Council of Grant at a minimum, once within every four (4) year Council term (or on significant change to legislation or other matters which could affect this policy).

Action	Date	Minute Reference
Adopted by Council	04 August 2014	14092
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