



Dear Producer and District Veterinarian,

As part of applying to the Voluntary Scrapie Flock Certification Program, Scrapie Canada must determine that all participating farms are not subject to any quarantines or associated restrictions pertaining to scrapie imposed by the Canadian Food Inspection Agency (CFIA). In order to do this, Scrapie Canada must have permission of the farm owner to retain this confidential information from the CFIA.

Scrapie Canada is asking each participating producer to cooperate in this process by signing the **Release of Confidential Information** (first paragraph on page two), consenting that the CFIA release this information to Scrapie Canada. Producers must send the signed letter to their local CFIA District Office, attention to the CFIA District Veterinarian.

Scrapie Canada is also asking the District Veterinarian to sign and date the **Letter of Confirmation** (second paragraph on page two), confirming that the property is not subject to any quarantines or associated restrictions pertaining to scrapie imposed by the CFIA. The CFIA District Veterinarian must return this letter to the producer and the producer then must deliver it to Scrapie Canada by fax or mail.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this matter, please contact the National Scrapie Coordinator at 1-866-534-1302 or by e-mail at admin@scrapiecanada.ca.

Scrapie Canada appreciates your cooperation with this matter and thanks you for your involvement in the program.

Regards,

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RELEASE OF CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION- For Producer

I _____ (Name of Producer) authorize the Canadian Food Inspection Agency to disclose to Scrapie Canada any and all information regarding any quarantines or regulatory restrictions pertaining to scrapie imposed on my premises or animals.

Date _____

Signature _____

LETTER OF CONFIRMATION- For CFIA District Veterinarian

I, _____ (Name of District Veterinarian) confirm that the premises or animals owned and operated by _____ (Name of Producer) are not subjected to any regulatory restrictions pertaining to scrapie.

Date _____

Signature _____