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7 July 2023

MR BROOK NICHOL  
C/- MR WILL HOBBS  
NICHOL TRADING  
6643 NORTHERN HWY  
ROCHESTER VIC 3561

PIC: 3CPNT280

Dear Sir

**OVINE BRUCELLOSIS-FREE (RAM FLOCK) ACCREDITATION SCHEME**

Your property has been inspected and found suitable for accreditation purposes, and all required tests have now been completed.

As a result, your name has been added to the list of owners of accredited ram flocks. Your certificate of accreditation is enclosed.

Your next test will fall due in **March 2024**. All rams on the property over the age of twelve months (including teasers) which you have used or are intending to use should be tested. If you wish to vary the time of this test, please contact me.

I remind you of the conditions of the signed accreditation agreement, especially (1) that any rams introduced from non-accredited flocks should be isolated and tested twice over 60 days, and also (2) that your accredited rams must not run on a property that has not been inspected and approved for accreditation purposes. Most accreditation failures involve one of these two issues.

If you have any questions about the accreditation scheme, please contact your District Veterinary Officer Dr Anna Cavallaro on 0436 663 892, or me on 0439 037 434.

Yours sincerely

DR KATE ROWE  
DISTRICT VETERINARY OFFICER  
WANGARATTA

Enc. Certificate

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Owner Name: NICHOL TRADING  
Address: 6643 NORTHERN HWY  
ROCHESTER VIC 3561 and  
73 WATERMAN LANE  
BALLENDELLA VIC 3561  
Flock Name: BALLENDELLA  
Accreditation No.: 344  
Breeds: POLL DORSET

# OVINE BRUCELLOSIS-FREE ACCREDITED FLOCK CERTIFICATE

KATE ROWE  
District Veterinary Officer

Date Issued: 7 July 2023  
Expiry Date: 01 March 2024

This certificate remains valid while the conditions of the Ovine Brucellosis Free Accreditation Scheme are complied with.

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