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BEEF MARKETING GROUP NATURAL AFFIDAVIT

This affidavit must be completed by approved producers, growers, and feedlots upon shipment of cattle to a feedlot or licensed packing plant.

Eligible cattle MUST be of Black Angus influence based on phenotype, appearance MUST be 51% or more black. Red, yellow, white, or grey cattle do not qualify without Angus Source program enrollment. Eligibility is based on individual qualifications not group, pen, load, or lot. Cattle enrolled in the Angus Source program to verify genotype are also eligible.

1. I, (*manager or owner name-PRINT)*_____

(*Signature*) _____Date:_____/_____/_____

Address:_____City:_____State:_____Zip:_____

As an approved:

☐ **Original Producer** (ranch of birth)

☐ **Backgrounder/grower** (only check if cattle grown were NOT born on premise)

☐ **Feedlot** (finish cattle only)

----------(Put an X in the box for all that apply for the cattle referenced below)----------

have abided by the following production procedures listed in 1, 2, 3, & 4 while under my care to qualify the animals identified on this document as eligible, in part, to supply natural cattle and are of U.S.A. origin:

1. That in raising these animals, the following have never been used while under my care:
   a. Supplemental hormones, of any kind, in the feed or via implant
   b. Steroids and beta-agonists
   c. Antibiotics, including ionophores, either therapeutic or sub-therapeutic
   d. Animal-derived feedstuffs, of any kind
2. That feed used for these animals did not come in contact with conventional feeds containing any of the above mentioned items; and that the proper documentation (i.e. feed labels, feed supplier affidavits, etc.) to confirm compliance with production claims has been kept and will be available for a period of two years.
3. That these animals are individually identified and all animals receiving medication or deemed ineligible for any reason have been identified. Good animal husbandry practices have been followed to provide proper housing, good nutrition, and low stress handling to ensure each animals health and well being has been maintained.
4. I attest that all livestock referenced by this document and transferred are of U.S.A. origin.

Lot #/Group ID: _____ **Head Count**: _____ **Sex**: STR HFR MXD **Ship Date**: _____

(circle one)

To be completed only by the producer of origin

Animal Age: These cattle were born between the dates listed below as established using the method indicated.

Birth Date Range (m/d/y): _____/_____/_____ to_____/_____/_____

Determined using: Individual Animal ID Group Breeding Records Group Calving Records

Ranch Ear Tags *(Check all that apply)*: ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ R Ear ☐ L Ear **Ear Notch:** ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ R Ear ☐ L Ear

Describe ear tags (color, #'s, etc):_____

Ranch Brand: ☐ Yes ☐ No **Draw Brand & Indicate Brand Location:** _____

The seller agrees that if the entire group of animals are not in compliance with BMG Natural Angus requirements and the aforementioned specifications in numbers one, two, three, and four seller agrees that BMG has the right to reject and return the cattle to seller. Any expenses incurred by BMG shall be reimbursed by the seller.

SUBMITTED by:

_____ _____ _____

Seller's Signature Phone # Date

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Phone 620.792.5886• Fax 620.793.8570

INTERNAL USE ONLY Faxed to Tyson: _____ Date: _____

RECEIVED by BMG:_____ _____
Signature Date

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