



State of Wisconsin
Governor Tony Evers

Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection
Secretary Randy Romanski

DATE: February 6, 2024

TO: Board of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection

FROM: Randy Romanski, Secretary
Darlene Konkle, DVM, MS, DACVIM, Administrator, Division of Animal Health

SUBJECT: ATCP 10, Animal Disease and Movement

PRESENTED BY: Angela Fisher, Program and Policy Analyst, Division of Animal Health

REQUESTED ACTION:

At the March 7, 2024, Board meeting, the Department will request approval of the attached hearing notice regarding ch. ATCP 10 (Animal Disease and Movement), for the Department to hold to a preliminary public hearing and comment period.

SUMMARY:

The objective of the proposed rule is to evaluate and modify animal disease and movement program fees in the following programs: Movement, Brucellosis, Tuberculosis, Johne's, Feed Lot, Pseudorabies, Equine Infectious Anemia (EIA), Equine Quarantine, Medical Separation, Poultry, Farm-Raised Deer, Fish Farms.

The objective of the proposed rule is also to evaluate for improvements and updates: subchapter I regarding definitions and general provisions, appendix A regarding diseases reported within one day, and appendix B regarding diseases reported within 10 days.

Most fees in this rule were last evaluated in 2008 or 2009. Over time, standard costs have continued to increase. The associated program revenue appropriation (appropriated by Wis. Stat. s. 20.115 (2) (ha)) no longer has adequate revenue to recover costs. The department is not able to reduce expenditures to the level of current revenues without resulting in a failure to fulfill statutory requirements under Wis. Stat. chs. 93 and 95.

The Governor approved the statement of scope (SS 014-24) on February 1, 2024.

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