Animal Biosecurity Branch

Notifiable Diseases of Bees Reporting Form

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Immediate reporting of prescribed diseases of honeybees under the *Livestock Act* is required by the owner, manager, agent or veterinarian if the disease is confirmed or reasonably suspected, including any positive laboratory results.

There is a penalty of 500 penalty units (currently \$72,000) for failing to report. While the major emphasis is reporting emergency and exotic diseases, notifiable endemic disease reporting is also important. More information is available from your Apiary Officer.

IMPORTANT

Immediately contact your Apiary Officer on 8999 2036 Or Chief Veterinary Officer if you suspect or confirm an emergency or exotic animal disease listed

1800 675 888

For all notifiable diseases please tick the relevant box below and send to Chief Veterinary Officer to report in writing Email: Kevin.DeWitte@nt.gov.au Fax: (08) 8999 2146

Location of Disease: Date Suspected: _____ OR Date Confirmed: _____ Description of Situation: SAN # (if applicable) ______LAB # (if applicable) _____ Signed: Date: Contact Details of Reporter: ______Postal Address Town / City Telephone: _____ Fax: _____ Mobile: _____ Email: _____ **Endemic Diseases** [] American foulbrood (*Paenibacillus* larvae) [] European foulbrood (*Melissococcus pluton*) Emergency Diseases listed under Emergency Animal Disease Response Agreement (EADRA) www.animalhealthaustralia.com.au/programs/emergency-animal-disease-preparedness/ead-response-agreement/ [] Acariasis of bees (*Acarapis woodi*) [] Tropilaelaps mite (*Tropilaelaps clareae*) [] Braula fly (*Braula coeca*) [] Varroasis (Varroa destructor and Varroa jacobsoni) [] Small hive beetle (*Aethina tumida*)

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