



Dear Dr Kerry Hansford
Re: 2023 Review of the National Wool Declaration
March 2023

Dear Kerry,

Thank you for the opportunity to make a submission to the 2023 Review of the NWD.

Fox & Lillie would like to provide the following feedback.

1. Fox & Lillie do not agree with ACWEP's feedback to remove the Ceased Mulesing Status clause 2. Have any mulesed (or AA) ewes/wethers been purchased in the last 12 months?
We would like this clause to remain as per NWD version 9.3.
2. We would like to see a LA category included in the NWD.
Currently, there is no provision for Liquid Nitrogen treated with a Pain Relief product on the NWD. For growers who carry out Liquid Nitrogen treatment, they should be required to declare if they use pain relief or not.
3. Change AA to become MA to be consistent with the new LA recommendation.

Yours Sincerely,

Jonathan and James Lillie
Managing Directors of the Fox & Lillie Group