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ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF VESICULAR STOMATITIS USEF REQUIREMENTS

I, Michael Dawson, competition manager, for competition# 320734/315436
competition name Indiana Dressage Festival /all to be held on Aug 19+20, 2023 (date(s)) in
Edinburgh, IN (city, state) agree to the circled option related to hosting this event.



Option A

- **Restrict entries from USDA confirmed VS Affected States under the condition that notification is made to the Federation and all potential participants no less than five (5) days prior to the start of competition and the notification is published on an obvious location on the competition social media sites.**



Option B

- **Accept horses from VS Affected States and implement the following biosecurity requirements:**
 - **Timed Certificate of Veterinary Inspection** issued within 5 days prior to the start of the competition which includes a VS Statement.
 - **Onsite Veterinary or their technician examination** of all horses from VS affected States for vesicular lesions at time of entry to venue. No horse will be permitted entry to stabling, schooling, or competition area without veterinary examination.
 - **Rejection of any horse or load of horses with suspect lesions.**
 - **Separate designated stabling** area for horses from VS affected states.
 - **Monitoring of horses from VS Affected States** for the duration of the event. Stall temperature logs required to be completed with twice daily temperature recordings.
 - **Individual designated by competition management to directly observe horses originating from VS affected states for vesicular lesions daily.**
 - **Immediate notification** of State Veterinarian's office and USEF Equine Health and Biosecurity Veterinarian of any suspect lesions.
 - **Implement Vector Control Measures on the premises** including but not limited to encouraging the use of individual vector control of fly sprays, wipes or protective covering and premises control measures to eliminate fly breeding areas.



Option C

- **Cancel the event**

By signing below, I, Michael Dawson, acknowledge consulting with veterinarian, and we have determined the above option is the most appropriate for our venue and competition.

Michael Dawson
Signature

2023-07-01
Date

