



NATIONAL EMERGENT RED MEAT PRODUCERS' ORGANISATION

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INVITATION TO JOIN NERPO LIVESTOCK SYNDICATE COMPETITION

Dear NERPO Member,

It gives us an immense pleasure to invite you to the 2017 Annual NERPO Livestock Syndicate Scheme Competition. The main purpose of the competition is twofold, namely to encourage NERPO farmers to become commercial farmers and to encourage the corporate sector as well as the government to be part of NERPO's initiative of commercialising smallholder farmers.

The following competition categories would be contested for both small and large stock:

1. Best **freehold farmer** with a herd of above 100 breeding cows **OR** 600 small stock
2. Best **freehold farmer** with a herd of between 50 and 100 breeding cows **OR** between 300 and 600 small stock
3. Best **communal farmer** with a herd of between 50 and 100 breeding cows **OR** between 300 and 600 small stock
4. Best managed and performing syndicate (See section C)
5. Best field facilitator (See section D)

The following points are critical for farmers to participate in the competition. You can only join the competition if:

1. You have paid NERPO Livestock Syndicate Scheme fee at least once in the past three years (i.e. from as far as 2015)
2. You are a member of NERPO in good standing (paid membership in 2017)
3. You have at least 50 breeding cows **OR** small stock

Furthermore, the office will nominate the best three syndicates which will be audited by external verifiers for the selection of the best syndicate, based on the following criteria:

- Registered as an entity (Co-op, Trust, etc.)
- Held at least four meetings in the past 12 months
- Purchased medication together as a syndicate
- Purchased feed together as a syndicate
- Marketed livestock together as a syndicate
- Attended all trainings

If you are not yet part of NERPO syndicate scheme, please go and join any syndicate scheme closest to you or form your own with a minimum of 10 members.

The office will further nominate three (3) field facilitators who will also be subjected to an external verification, based on the following criteria:

- Managed to secure a mentor in all trainings
- Did tagging on time
- Arranged successful trainings
- Run an organised syndicate and managed to facilitate syndicate institutional issues
- Sold at least 200 weaners per syndicate
- Enquired about marketing information regularly
- Innovative and went extra-mile

The following awards are up for grabs:

- Farm Bakkie
- Breeding bulls/rams
- Veterinary and feed vouchers
- Other farm inputs

For more information please contact head office: Mando Nkutshweu • 012 492 1383 • admin@nerpo.org.za

We would like to wish you good luck. May the best farmer win!

Kind Regards,

Aggrey Mahanjana
General Managing Director, NERPO



NATIONAL EMERGENT RED MEAT PRODUCERS ORGANISATION
AN ASSOCIATION INCORPORATED UNDER SECTION 21
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APPLICATION FORM FOR NERPO LIVESTOCK SYNDICATE COMPETITION

Any Syndicate member as far from as 2015 is eligible to enter this competition.

PLEASE TICK THE COMPETITION CATEGORY THAT YOU ARE ENTERING

- Best **freehold farmer** with a herd of above 100 breeding cows or 600 small stock
- Best **freehold farmer** with a herd of between 50 and 100 breeding cows or 300 and 600 small stock
- Best **communal farmer** with a herd of between 50 and 100 breeding cows or 300 and 600 small stock
- Best managed and performing syndicate **(see section C)**
- Best field facilitator **(see section D)**

Are you a member of NERPO in good standing? Yes / No if yes please attach proof.

SECTION A: DETAILS OF APPLICANT

Membership number: Member since:

Surname: _____ Initials _____ Title _____

Full names: _____

ID number: Age: Gender: Male Female

Province: _____ District municipality: _____

Local municipality: _____ Ward: _____

Tel (Home): _____ Tel(Work): _____ Fax (Work): _____

Cell Number: _____ E-mail: _____

Residential/business address: _____

_____ Postal code _____

Postal address: _____

_____ Postal code _____

Type of business: Sole trader Close corporation Private company Co-operative

Trust Section 21 company Partnership Common Property Association Voluntary Association

Trading name of business: _____

Registered name of business: _____

Registration number: _____

SECTION B: FARMING INFORMATION

Farm Name: _____

Farm Physical Address/Farm No.: _____

*** PLEASE TICK IN BOX & INDICATE SIZE OF LAND IN APPROPRIATE SPACES**

Communal Land <input type="checkbox"/>	Size of Land (ha)	Leased Land <input type="checkbox"/>	Size of Land (ha)
Own Land <input type="checkbox"/>	Size of Land (ha)	Other Tenure <input type="checkbox"/>	Size of Land (ha)

Are all your animals branded / tattooed? Yes / No If yes please attach a copy of Brand Mark Certificate.

PRODUCTION INFORMATION

Please indicate the number/quantity of livestock you own:

CATEGORIES	CATTLE				SHEEP				GOATS			
Current Breeding Females												
Current Breeding Males												
Non Breeding Females												
Non Breeding Males												
TOTAL												

MARKETING INFORMATION

Please indicate the number/quantity of livestock sold in 2016/17:

CATTLE		SHEEP		GOATS	
Category	Quantity	Category	Quantity	Category	Quantity
Cows		Ewes		Ewes	
Weaners		Rams		Rams	
Oxen		Lambs		Lambs	
Bulls		Whethers		Whethers	
TOTAL		TOTAL		TOTAL	

Market Used most: Public Auctions _____% Abattoirs _____% Contracts _____% Informal Sales _____%

Please attach proof of sales for 2016

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Estimated Annual Turnover From Farming Operations (last 12 months)

(1) < R 50 000/annum (2) R100 000 - R 500 000 / annum

(3) R 50 000 - R100 000/ annum (4) > R 500 000 / annum

Estimated Annual Turnover (Rate as %):	Cattle				Sheep				Goats			
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FARM EMPLOYEES

	Quantity		Average Wage
	Permanent	Seasonal	R
Owner			
Farm manager			
Supervisor			
Herd man			
Other (Specify)			

Please attach evidence

SECTION C: BEST MANAGED AND PERFORMING SYNDICATE (Optional)

NB: This section only relate to nomination for best managed and performing syndicate competition.

PROFILE

Name of the Syndicate	
Province	
District	
Local Municipality	
Number of members	

Is your syndicate a registered entity? (eg, Co-op, Trust, Company, etc.) Yes / No If yes, complete the following questions:

Name of the entity: _____ and reg. number: _____

- Please indicate the number of meetings held by your syndicate in the past 12 months (attach evidence)
- Do you buy inputs (medication, feed, etc) together? Yes / No If yes, attach evidence
- Do you market livestock together as a syndicate? Yes / No If yes, attach evidence
- Please indicate how many members of your syndicate attended NERPO Trainings, field or information days.
- Why do you think your syndicate scheme is the best ?

SECTION D: BEST FIELD FACILITATOR (optional)

- 1. Name of nominee (Field facilitator)** _____
- 2. Please indicate in less than 10 lines why do you think the Field Facilitator you have nominated above is the best Field Facilitator at NERPO.**

DECLARATION

I/We _____ hereby declare that all the above information is to the best of my/our knowledge true, complete and correct. I/We also understand that any information supplied, which proves to be false or misleading could lead to disqualification of my/our application, I/We further hereby give permission to NERPO to perform a verification on my personal and farming details and share any of the above information with any credible industry institution.

Applicant’s Full Name in Block Letters		
Signature	Date:	Place:
Next of kin’s Full Name in Block Letters:		
Relationship	Contact No.	
Postal address:		

FOR OFFICE USE: HEAD OFFICE

Date Received:	<input type="text" value="Y"/>	<input type="text" value="Y"/>	<input type="text" value="Y"/>	<input type="text" value="Y"/>	<input type="text" value="M"/>	<input type="text" value="M"/>	<input type="text" value="D"/>	<input type="text" value="D"/>																				
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