

**MEAT STANDARDS AUSTRALIA  
Amendment Advice 02/2020 – 1 July 2020**

**TO: All licensed Meat Standards Australia (MSA) Saleyards**

***ATTENTION: Authorised person in charge of MSA Standards.***

Meat Standards Australia (MSA) licensed Saleyards are required to adhere to the relevant sections of the current MSA Standards Manual for the processing of beef and/or sheepmeat that follow MSA pathways.

MSA advises an amendment relevant to your business has been made to;

- **MSA Standards, Section 6 – Saleyards; and**
- **MSA Standards, Section 11 – Compliance and audit requirements.**

**SUMMARY OF MAJOR AMENDMENTS**

<b>Section</b>	<b>Amendment</b>
Section 6.1.3 – Training	Included specific details of saleyard and agent training requirements.
Section 11.8.1 - Saleyards	Addition of sale day audit as a verification method.
Section 11.9.1 - Saleyards	Audit requirement 6.2 - Inclusion of MAJOR non-conformance for drafting MSA cattle in saleyard. Inclusion of OBSERVATION for mixing and drafting of MSA sheep in saleyard.
Section 11.9.1 - Saleyards	Audit requirement 6.8 - Addition of MINOR non-conformance if training records are inadequate or out of date.

Find the updated standards under the Resources tab in myMSA at [www.mymssa.com.au](http://www.mymssa.com.au)

MSA licensed Saleyards should note the changes to relevant sections of this publication and update any electronic or printed copies maintained on file. The revised Standards will be effective immediately. If you have any queries on the amendment information contained in this advice or wish to update your contact details, please contact MSA on 1800 111 672 or email [msaenquiries@mla.com.au](mailto:msaenquiries@mla.com.au)

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