

### ***National Manager, Industry Livestock Biosecurity Network***

The Australian beef-cattle, sheepmeat and wool sectors are seeking a suitably qualified person to fill the full-time position of ***National Manager, Industry Livestock Biosecurity Network (LBN)***.

The LBN, an initiative of Cattle Council of Australia, Sheepmeat Council of Australia and WoolProducers Australia, will comprise a network of up to seven industry funded extension officers located in each state and the NT.

The National Manager, when appointed, will be responsible for assisting with the recruitment of the regional officers and working with the above three peak industry councils to develop an operational plan for the new company, LBN Pty Ltd.

Under the direction of the National Manager, the company will be expected to deliver a wide range of extension services focusing on current and future animal health, welfare and biosecurity.

In assessing applications for the position, the following attributes will be considered favourably:

- experience working to a board of directors;
- experience with staff and financial management, particularly under a decentralised model;
- a demonstrated ability to communicate effectively across all levels of industry and government;
- a demonstrated aptitude for utilising modern and traditional communications media;
- a general understanding of the livestock industry's structure and its policy-making and levy-raising processes;
- familiarity with current industry-funded animal health, welfare and biosecurity programs
- training and/or experience with rural extension activities; and
- a preparedness to work from Canberra.

Applications should be sent to the below address or emailed to [cca@cattlecouncil.com.au](mailto:cca@cattlecouncil.com.au) and be received by close of business, Monday 15 October 2012.

For more information, please contact Kat Ferme (02 6269 5610; [kferme@sheepmeatcouncil.com.au](mailto:kferme@sheepmeatcouncil.com.au)).

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