

## **EXPORT QUARANTINE & FEEDLOT OPERATIONS MANAGER**

“Amberley”, Kojonup, Western Australia

We are seeking to appoint a highly dedicated, experienced and energetic Export Quarantine & Feedlot Operations Manager to contribute to our growing business. The manager will have a hands-on approach in leading the team in the day to day operation and management of our feedlot and backgrounding facility in Western Australia.

Our property is located 260km South East of Perth close to Kojonup, Western Australia.

The Export Quarantine & Feedlot Operations Manager will primarily oversee the daily feedlot and backgrounding operation with a strong focus on being involved hands on at the ground level working closely with all staff. This position will suit a candidate who has leadership experience, can think independently, takes ownership and is confident to be accountable for decisions made across the operation. The manager will have autonomy in the role and direct lines of communication reporting to the company Managing director and the Livestock Manager.

Duties will include:

- Management of the Sheep Livestock Export Registered Premise, feedlot and backgrounding operation

Management of all supervisors, teams and staff during all day to day operations

- Manage the receivals, processing, importing country protocols and loadout of sheep
- Manage the purchasing, receiving and monitoring of all fodder and commodities for the feedlot
- Manage, monitor and ensure Livestock health and animal welfare site wide
- Liaise with customers, suppliers and producers
- Review and develop standard operating procedures
- Management of all systems, industry programs and regulations including but not limited to NLIS, LPA, Management of sheep for Live export programs and manage the protocol and quarantine requirements
- Asset management, Report preparation and document control essential requirements for the position:
  - Extensive proven experience in managing a sizable feedlot and an in-depth knowledge of government regulations, feedlot and backgrounding operations
  - Proven Leadership qualities
  - Proven experience in livestock handling with a dedication to animal welfare

- Ability to demonstrate animal husbandry techniques
- An ability to review and develop standard operating procedures
- Ability to manage, supervise and develop staff with a dedication to developing and maintaining a great team culture
- An awareness and commitment to animal welfare

Excellent organisational and communication skills (both written and verbal)

- Financial and record reporting experience
- Proven commitment to safety and training with a strong understanding of required OHS within the feedlot
- An understanding of Environmental regulations within the feedlot
- Excellent decision-making skills
- Ability to meet deadlines
- Genuine dedicated 'can do' attitude

An attractive remuneration package including Accommodation, Company vehicle and phone will be offered to the successful applicant.

**To apply** for this position please send your resume outlining your skills and proven experience to [h.sealy@liveships.com.au](mailto:h.sealy@liveships.com.au)

All applications will be treated with genuine confidentiality and applications close on February 22 2019.

For a confidential discussion or to obtain further information please contact on

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