

List of Farms Banned for Critical NCs

This document is provided to Textile Exchange certification bodies and accreditation bodies, but shall not be shared publicly.

Textile Exchange requirements state that any farms certified to the Responsible Down Standard, the Responsible Wool Standard, or the Responsible Mohair Standard shall be banned from certification for 180 days following a critical non-conformity being issued for an animal welfare requirement.¹

It should be noted that these bans are issued to individual farms rather than to the ICS in the case of a farm group. Following the identification of a critical non-conformity for an animal welfare requirement, the farm may not be certified as part of any scope certificate during the 180-day ban.

Textile Exchange maintains a separate listing for organizations which have been banned from certification for other reasons, *ASR-225 List of Banned Organizations*. This listing is available publicly.

Questions about this list may be sent to <u>Assurance@TextileExchange.org</u>.

Section A - Active Bans

Farm Name and Address	Standard and Requirement	Date of Critical NC	Expiry	Status	Notes
None at time of publication					

¹ RDS-102-V3.2 RDS Certification Procedures D2.3.1.d RAF-102-V2.1 RAF Certification Procedures D2.2.2.d



Section B - Expired Bans

Farm Name and Address	Standard and Requirement	Date of Critical NC	Expiry	Status	Notes
Purpareena 1483 Mallawillup Rd, Tenterden, 6322, WA Australia	RWS V2.1 (AW3.11)	2021.02.05	2021.08.04	Expired Ban	Farm shall regain ceased mulesing status before becoming recertified.