

**2 November 2011**  
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**PROPOSAL – ADMINISTRATIVE ASSESSMENT**

<b>P1014</b>	<b>Date Administrative Assessment Completed (proposal prepared):</b> 20 October 2011	
<p><b>Title: Primary Production &amp; Processing Standard for Minor Meat Species &amp; Wild Game</b></p> <p><b>Brief Description of Proposal:</b> To develop an Australia only primary production and processing standard for meat and meat products from minor species and wild game to provide a nationally consistent approach to the management of meat safety. The development of a standard for the farmed major species (cattle, sheep, pigs and goats) is being undertaken under Proposal P1005.</p>		<p><b>Potentially Affected Standard/s in the Code:</b></p> <p>1.6.2 – Processing requirements 2.2.1 – Meat and Meat Products 4.2.3 – Primary Production &amp; Processing Standard for Meat</p>
<p><b>Procedure:</b> <b>Major</b> The proposal involves such scientific or technical complexity that it is necessary to adopt this procedure in considering it</p>	<p><b>Estimated total hours: 2335</b> Requires consideration of the entire meat supply chain (i.e. from paddock-to-plate for all minor species and wild game species). Requires extensive consultation with stakeholders and involves the creation and engagement of advisory groups. Will require a minimum of two rounds of public consultation.</p>	<p><b>Estimated start work:</b> October 2011</p>

**Other Comments or Relevant Matters:**

**DECISION**

**Proposal prepared**

**Date:** 20 October 2011

**CONSULTATION & ASSESSMENT TIMEFRAME**

<p><b>Consultation Strategy:</b></p> <p>Proposed length of public consultation periods:</p> <p>Major Procedure                   post-1<sup>st</sup> Assessment (8 weeks)</p> <p>  Post-2<sup>nd</sup> Assessment (8 weeks)</p> <p>Specific consultation methods also include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Meat and Meat Products Standard Development Committee and a specific Working Group reflecting the minor species and wild game sectors</li> <li>• Industry visits</li> </ul>	<p><b>Community Involvement Category:</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>3</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Intensive narrower focus</p>																
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