

**Initial Permit for Movement of Unpasteurized Milk
From a Farm to a Processing Plant**

PERMIT NUMBER: (PID.Sequence) _____

DATE PERMIT GRANTED (mm/dd/yyyy): _____

This permit is to allow Milk shipped from _____

(farm name) to _____ (dairy

processing plant) from this date forward, unless it is revoked by Incident Command.

This permit is valid only if the farm maintains biosecurity standards set by the Incident Command.

At the very least, all farm traffic in the Control Area must be minimized, monitored (logged in and out), and decontaminated. The exterior of vehicles – especially tires, wheel wells and undercarriage of milk tankers – must be cleaned and disinfected when leaving the farm. While on the farm, haulers/samplers must avoid contact with livestock, equipment, and manure and disinfect any spilled milk.

I certify that susceptible livestock on this premises have been inspected and found free of clinical signs of infection and that production parameters are within normal range. I will notify the State Veterinarian immediately if I detect any clinical signs of Food-and-Mouth Disease.

_____/_____
Herd Manager (Printed Name and Signature) Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

_____/_____
Hauler (Printed Name and Signature) Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

The Incident Command Post (ICP) may issue an Initial Permit to a farm manager when the ICP determines that the premises is eligible (e.g., when the risk of infection to or from that premises is negligible). Normally, by issuing an Initial Permit, the ICP grants authority to the farm manager to permit subsequent transport of milk from that premises. The ICP may revoke that authority at any time, especially if there is a significant change in herd health or the premises type (e.g., from Free to Contact or Suspect) or if the farm fails to maintain adequate biosecurity.