

## **Privacy Notice**

### **Electronic Sheep and Goat Movement Recording System & Annual Inventory of Sheep and Goats**

This notice informs you about the Welsh Government's use of the information provided when you register/have registered with EIDCymru – the electronic sheep and goat movement recording system in Wales, and when you complete the Annual Inventory of Sheep and Goats.

The controller is the Welsh Government, Cathays Park, Cardiff, CF10 3NQ.

EIDCymru is operated by EIDCymru Limited on behalf of the Welsh Government.

#### **Purpose for processing personal data – EIDCymru Movement Reporting:**

- The information supplied by you to report movements will be used for the purposes of processing and validating movements of sheep, goats and/or deer primarily for the purposes of animal traceability for disease control in accordance with the requirements of the Sheep and Goats (Records, Identification and Movement) (Wales) Order 2015.

#### **Purpose for processing personal data – Sheep and Goats Annual Inventory:**

- The information supplied by you as part of the Sheep and Goats Annual Inventory will be used to record the number of sheep and goats kept on individual premises and the reason they are kept e.g. meat, dairy, wool, breeding etc.
- The Welsh Government could also use the information supplied for other purposes, which may include processing and determining eligibility for financial support schemes, if implemented, and those connected with our functions and duties under the Common Agricultural Policy of the European Community. If you do not submit your Annual Inventory, please be aware that you may be excluded from financial support schemes.

We will also use the information to contact you in response to queries that you raise with us via the system. The lawful basis for the processing is that it is necessary for the performance of a task carried out in the exercise of official authority vested in the Welsh Government. Your information will be held by the Welsh Government for as long as your CPH is active. If your CPH is closed, we will hold your information for at least 7 years for disease control and animal traceability purposes.

#### **Reasons for sharing personal data**

The Welsh Government may share information for disease control and traceability purposes with:

- Animal and Plant Health Agency
- Veterinary Medicine Directorate
- Welsh Local Authorities
- Food Standards Agency Wales
- DEFRA
- Other UK Government Offices.

The information may be used for the following:

- recording livestock movements
- enforcing disease control legislation
- breaching of standstill rules
- breaching of multiple pick-up and drop-off rules

- breaching of identification requirements
- identifying illegally moving livestock
- producing statistical reports
- producing movement analyses and associated inspection selection
- monitoring and regulating conformity with the Statutory Management Requirements (SMRs) of Cross Compliance relating to claims of rural payments.
- processing and determining eligibility for financial support schemes, if implemented.

## **The Publication and Disclosure of Information**

All of the information you provide to the Welsh Government will be processed and managed by us in accordance with our obligations and duties under the:

General Data Protection Regulation;  
 Data Protection Act 2018;  
 Freedom of Information Act 2000;  
 The Environmental Information Regulations 2004; and  
 All other laws relating to access to information.

With this in mind, your information, including your personal information, may be the subject of a freedom of information request by another member of the public. When responding to such requests we may be required to release information, including your personal information. Our response to such requests will be in accordance with our practical guide “Requesting information from the Welsh Government”, which is published on the internet and can be accessed by visiting:

<https://gov.wales/requesting-information-welsh-government>

## **Rights under the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR)**

The GDPR gives individuals rights in respect of the personal data held on them. These rights include:

- the right to be informed (this notice)
- the right to access your personal data
- the right, in some circumstances, to prevent or restrict the Welsh Government processing personal data
- the right, in some circumstances, to have data erased (to be forgotten).
- the right, in some circumstances, to have wrong data rectified

If you wish to exercise any of your rights under the GDPR, you should contact the Welsh Government at:

Data Protection Officer, Welsh Government, Cathays Park, Cardiff, CF10 3NQ.  
[DataProtectionOfficer@gov.wales](mailto:DataProtectionOfficer@gov.wales).

Individuals also have the right to ask the Information Commissioner, who enforces and oversees the GDPR, to assess whether or not the processing of their personal data is likely to comply with the GDPR. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office,  
 Wycliffe House,  
 Water Lane,  
 Wilmslow,  
 Cheshire,  
 SK9 5AF.