

## DESCRIPTION OF NATIONAL PUBLICATION POLICY

<b>Country (or countries)</b>	South Africa
<b>Breed(s)</b>	HOL
<b>Address(es) of official web-site(s) of your country, where bulls receiving an official breeding value can be found</b>	<a href="http://www.logix.org.za">www.logix.org.za</a>
<b>Number of updates per year of webpage with breeding values</b>	2
<b>Are minimum requirements (in e.g. reliability/number of daughters) the same for domestic and import bulls? –and if not, please specify the difference</b>	Yes
<b>Are there multiple lists for selected bulls and all bulls (e.g. incl. waiting bulls, bulls below requirements)?</b>	Yes
<b>If multiple lists – are all lists accessible on your web-site?</b>	Yes
<b>If multiple lists – what is the difference between the lists?</b>	List for sires with official breeding values + MACE for foreign sires with daughters in SA List with MACE breeding values for sires with no daughters in SA
<b>If multiple lists – how many bulls are on the selected list?</b>	All proven sires + MACE sires with daughters in SA
<b>Do you publish Interbull breeding values?</b>	Yes
<b>Are Interbull proofs blended with domestic proofs?</b>	Yes
<b>If blending of international and national proofs – how is the blending done?</b>	MACE of sires with less than 10 daughters in 5 herds in SA are published in herd profiles and on the web, and their sons' and daughters' EBVs are midparent values, using the sires' MACE
<b>Are bulls on your web-site published according to a total merit index (TMI)?</b>	No
<b>Minimum requirement for a bull for TMI to be put on the web-site</b>	-
<b>Minimum requirement for a bull for production traits to be put on the web-site</b>	Bull should have 10 measured daughters in 5 herds for national EBVs, else MACE is used for foreign sires.
<b>Minimum requirement for a bull for conformation traits to be put on the web-site</b>	-
<b>Minimum requirement for a bull for udder health traits to be put on the web-site</b>	Bull should have 10 measured daughters in 5 herds for national EBVs.

<b>Minimum requirement for a bull for longevity traits to be put on the web-site</b>	-
<b>Minimum requirement for a bull for calving traits to be put on the web-site</b>	-
<b>Minimum requirement for a bull for female fertility traits to be put on the web-site</b>	-
<b>Other comments</b>	-
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