

SIMPLY SOUTHERN RULES & REGULATIONS

Ben Hill County Ag Pavillion : Fitzgerald, GA

September 15-16, 2023

Entry Deadline: September 5, 2023

HEALTH REGULATIONS

1. **EACH ANIMAL ENTERING THE SIMPLY SOUTHERN PROSPECT PIG SALE IN FITZGERALD, GEORGIA MUST BE LISTED ON AN OFFICIAL INTERSTATE CERTIFICATE OF VETERINARY INSPECTION (CVI) ISSUED BY A LICENSED, ACCREDITED VETERINARIAN. THIS INCLUDES DELIVERIES! LOADS CONTAINING ANY SWINE WITHOUT ALL THE BELOW-MENTIONED REQUIREMENTS WILL NOT BE GRANTED ACCESS.**
 - A. All animals and CVI's may be inspected by state officials prior to unloading.
 - B. Multiple animals may be listed on the same original CVI.
2. **CVIs MUST BE ISSUED ON OR AFTER FRIDAY, AUGUST 18, 2023.**
3. **ATTENTION OUT OF STATE EXHIBITORS: Permit Requirements**
 - A. A permit number is required on each shipment of swine entering Georgia and MUST be recorded on the CVI.
 - B. Only an accredited veterinarian may obtain this permit number by accessing the following website: <http://forms.agr.georgia.gov/SBPermits/Permits.aspx>
4. **CVIs MUST INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:**
 - A. **Exhibitor and Event Information:**
 1. Name and address of exhibitor
 2. Consigned to NSR Simply Southern Sale, Ben Hill County Ag Pavilion, 162 Paulk Road, Fitzgerald, GA 31750.
 - B. **Animal Identification:**
 1. ALL animals MUST be officially identified with a federally approved, permanently numbered ear tag.
 - a. "840" ear tags are preferred.
 - b. For more information on federally approved ear tags, please visit http://www.nationalswine.com/shows/ear_tags.php.
 2. Ear notches and ear tag ID number of each animal MUST be listed on the CVI.
 - C. **ALL CVIs MUST CARRY THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS - "Farm or origin of swine":**
 1. Has not had Pseudorabies or swine dysentery in the last 12 months
 2. Has not had any clinical signs or diagnosis of TGE or PEDv in the last 60 days
 3. Feeds no raw garbage and uses no PRV vaccine
 4. Is not under quarantine for any disease condition
 5. Has not had vesicular stomatitis diagnosed within 10 miles of farm or origin in the last 30 days
 - D. Health status of animal, including dates of required tests and vaccinations MUST be listed.
 - E. A premises ID number MUST be included on the CVI.
5. **REQUIRED TESTS: Some requirements above are in addition to the state of Georgia regulations. However, they are necessary in meeting other state requirements for purchasers of show animals through sales as animals are reconsigned to new destinations. All animals (including Georgia animals) MUST meet the below mentioned blood test requirements on or after August 18, 2023 unless you maintain a PRV qualified and Brucellosis validated herd.**



A. PSEUDORABIES (PRV) TESTING:

1. ALL ANIMALS MUST be individually tested for PRV on or after **AUGUST 18, 2023** UNLESS animals come from a PRV-qualified herd.
 - a. Swine tested must have all official identification (sex, ear tag, and ear notch) along with date blood sample was drawn (month, day, and year) listed on CVI.
 - b. Animals must test PRV-negative with all results on the dated CVI.
 - c. Either the ELISA (gB ELISA), ALA, or S/N tests are acceptable. Differentiable ELISA (g1 ELISA) test will NOT be accepted.
 - d. If the herd of origin is PRV qualified, individual testing of each animal is not required. In this case, the PRV qualification number must appear on the CVI and the most recent quarterly herd test date (month, day, and year) must be stated on the CVI.

B. BRUCELLOSIS TESTING:

1. ALL ANIMALS MUST be individually tested for brucellosis on or after **AUGUST 18, 2023** UNLESS animals originate from a validated brucellosis free herd.
 - a. Swine tested must have all official identification (sex, ear tag, and ear notch) along with date blood sample was drawn (month, day, and year) listed on CVI.
 - b. Animals must test brucellosis negative with all results on the dated CVI.
 - c. The RAP, Standard Plate, Standard Tube, or BAPA brucellosis tests are all accepted.
 - d. If the herd of origin is brucellosis validated, individual testing of each animal is not required. In this case, the validation numbers must appear on the CVI and the most recent quarterly herd test date (month, day, and year) must be stated on the CVI.

C. VACCINATIONS:

1. All prospect animals **MUST** be vaccinated against mycoplasma & circovirus.
2. It is strongly recommended that all animals are vaccinated against influenza. This is not a requirement.

6. IMPORTANT REMINDERS:

- ✓ Please review CVIs with your veterinarian and make sure all above requirements are met well in advance of the show to eliminate issues under short notice. Be advised that the regulations for the Simply Southern Sale are likely different than those of other participating winter jackpot or state sponsored shows.
- ✓ Please list your veterinarian's cell phone number on the CVI.
- ✓ In some instances, these rules are in addition to Georgia regulations, but are necessary to sell animals into other states to meet interstate transport and entry requirements for swine.