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Cal. Food & Agric. Code § 14364, 14365

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§ 14364. Bob veal calf; ear tag with producer identification number; exemption

- (a) It is unlawful to sell or dispose of a bob veal calf for the purposes of slaughter without first affixing to the animal a producer identification number approved by the director.
- (b) For purposes of this chapter, "bob veal calf" means a bovine animal 21 days of age or less or weighing 150 pounds or less, or as specified in Food Safety Inspection Service regulations of the United States Department of Agriculture.
- (c) Bob veal calves that are identified as provided in Division 10 (commencing with Section 20001) are exempt from this section.

§ 14365. Dairy cull cow; ear tag with producer identification number; exemption

- (a) It is unlawful to sell or dispose of a dairy cull cow without first affixing to the animal a producer identification number issued by the director.
- (b) For purposes of this chapter, "cull cow" means a female bovine animal 21 days of age or more, which is sold or disposed of for the purpose of slaughter.
- (c) Cull cows that are identified as provided in Division 10 (commencing with [Section 20001](#)) are exempt from this section.