Indiana Packers Livestock Transporter

Biosecurity Protocol

The importance of this procedure is to minimize the potential spread of ANY swine disease that may be transmitted from the plant. It is in the best interest that we ALL comply with this procedure. Should there be a disease transmission from plant – truck – producer, we all will be at a loss. Please comply with our request, be prepared with appropriate clothing / foot covers.

Starting Monday 9-30-13

Arrival @ Plant:

The driver will receive a time stamped card and a pair of bio-security shoe covers.

After entering the plant, Driver DOES NOT exit the truck until they are backed up to the unloading chute.

**Driver DOES NOT go to the office to check in.

Driver MUST put on supplied shoe covers before exiting the cab of truck.

Driver must put on plastic boot covers over the boots they are wearing to unload the trailer.

***All Drivers must supply their own plastic boot covers.

Driver may proceed to the back of the truck and wait for an IPC employee to collect the paperwork.

Driver DOES NOT start unloading until their paperwork is collected.

Once the Driver gets the okay to begin unloading, they MUST remove their plastic boot covers, allowing for the clean boots to enter the trailer.

Once the Driver enters the trailer, they will not leave the trailer unless they put on boot covers.

If for ANY reason the Driver has to go back on the trailer, they MUST remove their boot covers AGAIN.

Driver needs to notify IPC employee of DOA's and or animals that need to be euthanized.

After pulling away from the unloading chute the Driver MUST remain in the truck. Unless dragging off dead.

If a Driver has dead animals, they need to put a new pair of boot covers on before dragging them off at the dead box.

Driver needs to dispose of all boot covers in supplied trash cans before leaving the property.

IPC employee will deliver paperwork to the truck if a copy is needed.

After unloading the Driver needs to leave the premises as soon as possible to minimize the spread of disease.

Driver needs to stop at the guard shack and return the security pass.

The importance of this procedure is to minimize the contamination of trailers leaving the plant. Walking on the trailer with dirty contaminated boots will in effect contaminate your trailer and possibly your customer. Don't pass along the disease to your customers!