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- PIC AEC Animal Research Authority
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#### **Section 9: Queensland Government**

- Animal ethics and using animals for scientific purposes <u>www.daff.qld.gov.au/animal-industries/welfare-and-ethics/using-animals-for-scientific-purposes</u>
- Animal Care and Protection Act, Queensland www.legislation.qld.gov.au
- Animal Care and Protection Regulation www.legislation.qld.gov.au

### **Section 10: Queensland Government Forms**

Animal Welfare Unit Biosecurity Queensland: AEC member/advisor's details
www.daff.qld.gov.au/animal-industries/welfare-and-ethics/using-animals-for-scientific-purposes

### **Section 11: Australian Government**

- Australian code for the care and use of animals for scientific purposes, 8<sup>th</sup> Edition 2013 www.nhmrc.gov.au/guidelines/publications/subject/Animal%20ethics
- Australian Code for the Responsible Conduct of Research 2018 www.nhmrc.gov.au/index.htm
- Model Code of Practice for the Welfare of Animals: Land Transport of Pigs www.publish.csiro.au/index

# **Section 12: South Australian Government**

 Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, South Australia www.environment.sa.gov.au/parks



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### **Section 13: New South Wales Government**

- The Animal Research Act 1985 (NSW) www.dpi.nsw.gov.au
- Animal Care and Protection Act, Queensland www.legislation.qld.gov.au
- Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act 1986 (VIC) www.agriculture.vic.gov.au
- Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (Land Transport of Livestock) Standards 2013 No 2 www.legislation.nsw.gov.au