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| **SECTION B** nominating AWA member | |
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I agree to comply with all the Conditions of Award stated in this entry form.

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| **BEFORE YOU SEND IN YOUR APPLICATION**   * Read the Conditions of Award. * Supply your supporting evidence with your application. * Print and sign all the signature boxes relevant to your entry before submitting your form | **SUBMIT FORM** to Chief Executive Officer  membership@wagyu.org.au |

The following Conditions of Award form part of the Wagyu Fellowship Contract that is provided to every applicant selected for a Wagyu Fellowship Genetic Diversity Grant. The award of a Wagyu Fellowship is made subject to the applicant’s agreement to be bound by the following conditions. The Wagyu Fellowship Genetic Diversity Grant will not commence until the Australian Wagyu Association (“Association”) receives an executed copy of the Wagyu Fellowship Genetic Diversity Grant Contract.

1. **Timing –** unless otherwise agreed to by the Association, the Fellowship must commence between 1 April in the year of the award and 31 March in the subsequent year. If it is not commenced within this time the applicant may, at the absolute discretion of the Association, forfeit the Fellowship.
2. **Approved Programme –** the Association will advise the applicant of details of the Fellowship as approved by the Association.
3. **Number of Grants -** A maximum of 2 Wagyu Fellowship Genetic Diversity Grants will be awarded each year as approved by the AWA Board to support animal health, veterinary costs, transport, quarantine, labour and collection costs associated with semen collection and storage of high genetic diversity sires.
4. **Sire Selection -** The AWA will determine preferred high genetic diversity sires from the AWA database using analysis of genomic information across its global database. The AWA Board will pre-approve sires that qualify for the Wagyu Fellowship Genetic Diversity Grant and notify members of qualification of their sires for the grant application.
5. **AWA-PTP -** The Wagyu Fellowship Genetic Diversity Grant recipient must enter two high genetic diversity sires into the AWA’s Progeny Test Program as Standard Sires.
6. **Sires entered** - into the AWA-PTP through the Wagyu Fellowship Genetic Diversity Grant will comply with all conditions of the AWA-PTP including the Grant recipient completing the AWA-PTP sire nomination agreement.
7. **Costs** - The Wagyu Fellowship Genetic Diversity Grant funds must be used to pay for the animal health, veterinary costs, transport, quarantine, labour and collection costs directly related with semen collection and storage of the high genetic diversity sires approved for the Grant. All receipts, invoices and payment records must be provided to the AWA on request prior to payment of the Grant funds.
8. **Expenses –** the applicant acknowledges that the Fellowship is not an award of a specific sum of money, but is payment by the Association of l expenses and allowances approved by the Association, subject to these conditions. The Association accepts no responsibility for any other expenses incurred by the applicant.
9. **Publications –** the intellectual property and copyright of all reports and material submitted to the Association vests in the Association.
10. **Publicity and ongoing support –** the applicant agrees to actively promote the knowledge of the aims and ideals of the Association and the AWA Progeny Test Program and to be as supportive as possible of the Association before, during and after completion of the Fellowship.
11. **Indemnity**
    1. The applicant indemnifies the Association against all loss, liability and expense arising out of or in connection with all activities of the applicant in the course of the Fellowship. To the fullest extent allowed by law, the applicant releases the Association from any claim it may have against the Association including any claim for negligence.
    2. The applicant indemnifies the Association against loss, liability and expense arising out of any intellectual property infringement or defamation proceedings brought against the Association to the extent such proceedings arise out of the publication of any report submitted to the Association by the applicant.
12. **Meaning of Association –** in this document, ‘Association’ means The Australian Wagyu Association, the Board of The Australian Wagyu Association, and the officers and employees of The Australian Wagyu Association.