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| **SECTION A** entrant's details | |
| Full name | Date of birth |
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| **SECTION B** nominating AWA member | |
| AWA Member ID | Full name |

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| **SECTION C** implementation and data collection | | | | |
| Project contact person | Date of Implementation |  |  |  |
| Description of project  Please supply evidence of installation of Vytelle Net Feed Intake recording system or completed order, delivery and installation details. | | | | |

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 Net Feed Intake Recording 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 Net Feed Intake Recording Grant will not commence until the Australian Wagyu Association (“Association”) receives an executed copy of the Wagyu Fellowship Contract (to be provided).

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 NFI Recording Grants will be awarded each year as approved by the AWA Board to support recording and labour costs associated with newly implemented NFI recording systems.
4. **Proof of Implementation -** Applicants for the Wagyu Fellowship NFI Recording Grant must be able to demonstrate that they have implemented Vytelle (GrowSafe) NFI recording systems (minimum of 4 nodes) on their property with the 12 months prior to the application, or that they have paid deposits for Vytelle NFI recording systems (minimum of 4 nodes) and have scheduled delivery and installations within 6 months of the application date.
5. **Use of Grant -** The Wagyu Fellowship NFI Recording Grant funds must be used to pay for the costs of recording data through the Vytelle NFI recording system, including labour and fees associated with managing animals in the NFI recording system and collection and reporting of data to the AWA.
6. **Grant fund restrictions** - The Wagyu Fellowship NFI Recording Grant funds can not be used to pay for the infrastructure and capital equipment, or interest on finance used for purchase of the infrastructure or capital equipment.
7. **Ongoing Commitment** - Wagyu Fellowship NFI Recording Grant recipients agree to run a minimum of 3 trial cohorts per year of 40 animals per trial for a minimum for 3 years. All trial animals are to be genomic DNA tested with the AWA and registered with the AWA at the grant recipients expense.
8. **Data Recording Agreement -** Wagyu Fellowship NFI Recording Grant recipients agree to record birth date, birth weight, 200, 400 and 600 day weight of all trial animals and will provide this data to AWA for use within Wagyu BREEDPLAN along with NFI testing data for all trial animals for the 3 year grant period.
9. **Expenses –** the applicant acknowledges that the Fellowship is not an award of a specific sum of money, but is payment by the Association of expenses and allowances approved by the Association, subject to these conditions. The Association accepts no responsibility for any other expenses incurred by the applicant.
10. **Publications –** the intellectual property and copyright of all reports and material submitted to the Association vests in the Association.
11. **Publicity and ongoing support –** the applicant agrees to actively promote the knowledge of the aims and ideals of the Association and to be as supportive as possible of the Association before, during and after completion of the Fellowship.
12. **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.
13. **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.