# **Production and transport of goods or supplies for essential food production and distribution certification**

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* Australian Commonwealth Agriculture Minister David Littleproud has confirmed publicly that agriculture is an essential service for the Australian community during this national response to the spread of Covid-19.
* The Food and Grocery Sector Group (FGSG) of the Australian Government’s Trusted Information Sharing Network (TISN) was established to prioritise and protect the integrity of ‘critical infrastructure’ across six sector groups with the underpinning commitment to work across federal, state and territory governments to maintain continuity of the existing food supply and distribution system in the event of emergencies impacting Australia including pandemics.
* National containment measures and associated state border closures exempt:
  1. Regular milk collection across borders
  2. Movement of farm and manufacturing inputs - including stock feed, chemicals, packaging
  3. Employees who cross borders between home and work
  4. Contractors engaged in the provision of essential services, maintenance or other projects to maintain the operations of businesses involved in production and distribution of dairy products across the supply chain
* As such, the food and agriculture sector should maintain normal work patterns and the bearer of this certificate is carrying out a duty within a sector that has been designated as critical infrastructure, the continued operation of which is vital for security, national economic security, national public health, and safety and is therefore exempt from restrictions.

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| Vehicle license plate or food business licence identifier: |  |
| Travelling Schedule |  |