



## ESSENTIAL SERVICES WORKFORCE – PRIMARY INDUSTRIES (WOOL CLASSER) TRAVEL AUTHORITY

**To whom it may concern:**

Date period applicable:.....

This letter is to notify that I

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am a registered wool classer .....(insert reg no). This fact may be verified by searching my name and/or registration number on this link <https://woolclassers.org.nz/member-profiles/?wpv-membership-role=full>

I undertake this letter-form containing the inserted current and relevant workplace dates and details will be carried, along with photo identification by myself whenever travelling to and from work in the course of my wool classing business. I confirm I have complied with all social distancing and stay at home rules as outlined by the Ministry of Health. I confirm I am fit and healthy for work.

On merino, mid-micron and some crossbred sheep properties a wool classer is a vital associate in the wool harvesting process, required in the shearing shed at the time of shearing. Shearing has been accredited as an Essential Service for animal welfare by the Ministry of Primary Industries (MPI) through the Covid-19 Alert Level 4 and 3 periods.

I have ascertained that the property owner and shearing contractor I am working with at the time of shearing have workplace Health and Safety processes in place to ensure that social distance and hygiene requirements, as outlined by the Ministry of Health, are in place.

I agree that apart from personal needs (eg: food shopping, fuelling up etc) I will only travel to and from the farm and shearing shed(s) I am engaged to wool class at

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The usual hours of shearing are from ..... to ..... however I may need to work and travel outside these hours as variables such as weather, wet sheep and baling up after shearing dictates.

For any questions regarding my movements for essential work purposes please contact the property owner(s) or manager(s) and/or shearing contractor(s) listed here

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Signed..... Date.....



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