Wallaby & Feral Pig Fencing Subsidy Application - 2024

Burdekin Productivity Services Ltd (BPS) has budgeted $25000 in 2024-2025 financial year to partially offset the cost of barrier fencing to prevent wallaby and/or feral pig intrusion onto member's cane farm holding/s.

Conditions:

In order to be considered for partial reimbursement of the cost of construction of a wallaby and/or feral pig fence installation, the applicant must:

1. Be a BPS member who has paid levies to BPS on each and every cane farm holding owned or leased by the entity in the preceding 3 years.
2. Have no outstanding debts owing to BPS at the time of application.
3. Present evidence of wallaby/ feral pig damage to their sugar cane crop.
4. Present a plan & quotation for the proposed fencing prior to construction including details of design, materials being used and contractor being engaged.
5. Gain written approval from any neighboring property owner/s who shall state they have no objection to the proposed barrier fence construction taking place.
6. Allow an inspection of the site by BPS personnel prior to construction.
7. Have consented to share Wilmar farm production data with BPS so damage caused by pests can be recorded on the BPS farm data platform.
8. Complete this form to the satisfaction of BPS management.

Subsidy details:

The amount of subsidy available shall be calculated on a percentage basis of levies received by BPS from the applicant in the preceding 3 years and will be capped at the lesser of items 1,2 & 3 below. The following terms apply:

1. The subsidy shall not exceed 20% of the total construction amount.
2. The subsidy shall not exceed 80% of levies paid to BPS by the applicant in the past 3 years.
3. The maximum amount payable is $5000.00 per application.
4. Entities are allowed one application per 3-year period.
5. Subsidy application approvals shall cease each year once the budgeted amount has been expended.

Applicant to Complete:

Name of Entity: _____

Contact Details: _____

Farm Number/s: _____

Cost of fencing: _____

Contractor Name: _____

BPS to Complete:

Approved: Yes No Amount: $_____