**Justification for the use of Highest Priority Critically Important Antibiotics**

It is a requirement of the Red Tractor Dairy and Beef & Lamb standards that Highest Priority Critically Important Antibiotics are used as a last resort under veterinary direction, backed up by either sensitivity or diagnostic testing. This template is designed to help demonstrate that the use of an HP-CIA (3rd & 4th generation cephalosporins, fluoroquinolones, Colistin) has been as a last resort but another similar template/document can be used.

Please attach relevant laboratory reports to this template.

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| Identification of animal/animals treated |  |
| Diagnosed condition |  |
| Which, if any, diagnostic tests have been used? |  |
| Product prescribed /batch number |  |
| Has culture and sensitivity testing been carried out in decision to use HP-CIA?\* |  |
| Culture & sensitivity test result |  |
| Comments |  |

\*attach relevant laboratory reports

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| Vet name |  |
| Vet practice |  |
| Vet signature |  |
| Date |  |