

## Commercial Female Show

Breed Representative:

*World Beef Expo will oversee the operation of the Commercial division.*

<b>Begin Arrival:</b>	Wednesday, September 25 – 10:00 a.m.
<b>In Place:</b>	Thursday, September 26 – 10:00 a.m.
<b>Show:</b>	See show schedule

*Schedule is subject to change.*

### ENTRY FEES AND DEADLINES

Early Entry Deadline	August 15, 2019	\$60 per head
Entry Deadline	September 1, 2019	\$80 per head
Late Entry	After September 1, 2019	\$100 per head

Entry fees include bedding and tie-out space. Bedding will be available upon arrival at World Beef Expo. Exhibitors are responsible for their own bedding for tie-outs.

*All exhibitors are expected to familiarize themselves with the General Rules & Regulations. Rules have been revised for the 2019 World Beef Expo.*

### Rules Specific to the Commercial Female Show

1. Entries in the Commercial Female Show will be shown by weight, with the lightest entries showing first and the heaviest showing last. All Commercial entries must be weighed at the time of check-in. Any entry that does not cross the scale will not be eligible to show.
2. Animals shown in the 2017 World Beef Expo Open Show as registered cattle are not eligible for the Commercial Female division.
3. Class breaks and division breaks (if necessary) will be determined by World Beef Expo show management after weigh-in is completed. Classes will not be larger than eight (8) head.
4. Animals must be fitted in an ethical manner. Unethical fitting is grounds for disqualification. Unethical fitting includes, but is not limited to, the following:
  - a. Altering the natural color of the animal through the use of dyes, paints, hair-coloring conditioners, colored show foam, graphite, colored powders, or any other substances.
  - b. The addition of any hair or hair-like substance, including false tail heads and false polls. False tail switches are allowed.
  - c. The cutting, tearing, or gluing of the hide or beneath the hide, or removal of tissue, in an attempt to alter the shape of the animal.
  - d. The injection of any gas, solid, or liquid under the hide to alter the natural conformation.
  - e. Any attempts to disrupt or change the normal dental development of the animal.
  - f. Any products/solutions/liquids administered internally or externally to alter the conformation of the animal. This includes the use of steroids, growth stimulants, and the act of artificially filling animals internally – which includes stomach pumping, drench tubes, or any other method per os (by esophagus).  
EXCEPTIONS: In the case of severely sick or dehydrated animals, the exhibitor may have fluids and/or electrolytes administered by the licensed official World Beef Expo veterinarian with the approval of the show management.
5. A minimum of ten (10) paid entries must be made in the Commercial Female Show for the show's champion to automatically qualify for the Supreme Champion Drive. If there are fewer than ten paid entries, the Champion Commercial Heifer will be invited to the Any Other Breed (AOB) Champion drive. The AOB Champion will then be eligible for Supreme Champion. (See General Rules & Regulations #12 for more details.)
6. There will be no group classes in the Commercial Female Show.

No premiums will be offered for this show.

**Class**

**COW/CALF PAIRS**

- 1 Commercial Cow/Calf Pair – *Class breaks will be determined after registration and/or check-in.*  
**GRAND CHAMPION COW/CALF**  
**RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION COW/CALF**

**HEIFERS**

**Class**

- 4 Commercial Heifer – *Class breaks will be determined after weigh-in.*  
**GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER**  
**RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER**