## PHI Toolbox Data Preparation Checklist

1. Create new folder for cleaned data files specific to the cooling process being tested

For each file:

- 2. Create a csv or spreadsheet file from the recorder software.
- 3. Remove:
  - Header text rows
  - Footer text rows
  - Extra columns other than date/time, temperature or aerobic status
- 4. Remove rows of recordings where the logger is not on the carcass:
  - Beginning of recording
  - End of recording
  - Warm-boning, while the carcass is being boned

## 5. Check Time/Date:

- Is in the first column
- The column has a header called "TimeStart"
- Format matches the formats available in Toolbox (if not, change format in spreadsheet program)

## 6. Check Temperature:

- Is in the second column
- The column has a header called "Celsius"
- 7. Add the "Aerobic" column:
  - In the third column
  - The column has a header called "Aerobic"
  - Cells set to **yes** for aerobic and **no** for anaerobic
- 8. Save file in csv format in the folder created for cleaned data files for the specific cooling process.