

# **Current Status of the National Campaign for the Control of the *Boophilus spp.* Tick**

The Mexican territory free of the ectoparasite comprises 599,367.84 square kilometers (or 30.60% of the national territory) located at the States of Sonora, Tlaxcala, Aguascalientes, Baja California, and Chihuahua (excepting the municipalities of Morelos and Guadalupe y Calvo) and the north of Baja California Sur.

The municipalities of Los Cabos and the southern part of La Paz in Baja California Sur; the municipalities of Ahome, El Fuerte and Choix in the north of Sinaloa, on the right bank of the El Fuerte river; as well as the municipalities of the Desert area in the state of Coahuila: Cuatrociénegas, Ocampo and Sierra Mojada, which comprises an area of 67,472.76 square kilometers that correspond to 3.44% of the national territory are in the eradication phase.

The rest of the country shares regions in control and natural free zones of *Boophilus spp* ticks, which comprises 1, 292, 407.02 square km, or 65.96% of the national territory.

# AGREEMENT ESTABLISHING THE NATIONAL CAMPAIGN FOR THE CONTROL OF *boophilus ssp* TICKS

