Paired Rearing Calves in Calf-Tel Deluxe Hutches

Some of the supermarket milk contracts are enforcing paired rearing of calves from birth. One of our customers has sent us her solution, using her current Calf-Tel Deluxe hutches and fences, wire cutters and cable ties.

1. Cut approx. 1.25m from one end of the each of the mesh fences.
2. Trim and fold one piece of mesh to fit between two hutches to separate them. Attach with existing L-rods.
3. Attach the bent, shortened fences to the outside of the pair of hutches as usual, with the shortened sides in the middle. Tie the two inner fences together with cable ties.
4. The cut off piece from the second fence can be used to keep the calves separate, but still in contact, for the first couple of days until they are sucking well.