

Application for a sheep/goat brand and/or earmark

*Brands Act 1915 and Brands Regulation 2012***Purpose of this form**

This is an application to become a registered owner of a sheep/goat brand or earmark. Failure to provide information required in this form may result in your application not being processed and your application fee forfeited. Fees will not be refunded if you choose not to continue with your application where only one choice of brand/earmark is nominated.

Sheep/goat brands and earmarks are registered to districts. A sheep/goat brand and/or earmark applied for will not be issued if it is already registered in the applicant's property district. The issuance of a sheep/goat brand and/or earmark is also dependant on it **not** being similar to, or easily convertible into, any other sheep/goat brand or earmark registered for use on the same property or in the same locality (i.e. used on an adjoining property).

Owners are responsible for obtaining their own branding and earmarking instruments once a Certificate has been issued by the Registrar of Brands (Registrar). The instruments must replicate the images in the Registration Certificate. The Registrar must be notified of any alteration to the registration details of a sheep/goat brand or earmark. Sheep and goat earmarks may only be used in their registered district.

A brand return must be submitted annually. Failure to lodge the return at any time during any three consecutive years will render the sheep/goat brand and/or earmark liable for cancellation. The Department of Agriculture and Fisheries (DAF) must be notified without delay in writing of any change of address.

Privacy Statement

DAF collects the information on this form for the primary purpose of processing and considering your application for registration of a brand and/or earmark under the *Brands Act 1915* (Act). DAF also collects the information on this form for the purpose of identifying the owner of brands and/or earmarks in order to facilitate the transfer of ownership of brands and/or earmarks under the Act.

The information you provide, including your personal information, will be used to assist DAF in its regulatory function under the Act and will be recorded and maintained in the Animal Identification System (AIS) database which records brands and earmark identification. The AIS database is a secure database accessible by authorised departmental personnel only. In order to assist in the identification and return of stock, your personal information, such as your name, property address and postal address will be recorded on the Brands Register which is accessible by the public. Your telephone number and email address will not be recorded on the Brands Register. Subject to this privacy statement, your personal information will not be disclosed to any other third party without your consent, unless the disclosure is authorised or required by law.

Any personal information you provide will be treated in accordance with DAF's Privacy Statement. If you object to DAF recording your personal information on the Brands Register, please contact the Registrar in writing: The Registrar of Brands, Department of Agriculture and Fisheries, GPO Box 46, Brisbane, Queensland 4001 or email brands@daf.qld.gov.au immediately.

Part A - Applicant details

Please provide **full** given name/s and surnames of all persons to whom the brand and/or earmark is to be registered (not required if applicant is a Company registered with ASIC).

Individual/s (for more than one applicant, owners will be registered as Joint Owners i.e. Joint Tenants)

1. Full name (*first, middle and last name*)

2. Full name (*first, middle and last name*)

3. Full name (*first, middle and last name*)

4. Full name (*first, middle and last name*)

If the applicant is a registered Trading Name, provide full details below (*if applicable*). **If nominating a registered Trading Name, you are also required to complete the individual/s full name/s section above.**

Trading Name (e.g. John Eric Smith and Julie Ann Smith t/a Smith Cattle Supplies)

Registered ABN (*e.g. 12 345 678 912*)

Or

If the applicant is a Trust, provide full details below (*if applicable*)

Trustee's name (e.g. XYZ as trustee for XYZ Family trust)

Or

If the applicant is a Company registered with ASIC, provide full details below (if applicable)

Company Name (e.g. Cattle Trading Pty Ltd)

Registered ACN (e.g. 123 567 456)

Please tick the name/s to appear on the Certificate issued by the Registrar

☐ Personal Name/s

☐ Trustee Name

☐ Registered Company Name

☐ Registered Trading Name

Applicant/s Registerable Biosecurity Entity (RBE) number (attach copy of RBE confirmation document)

Applicant's contact details

To prevent delays in processing this application please nominate your contact details below including an email address and contact phone number during business hours. **If you do not have an email please state 'n/a'.**

Contact name

Mobile phone

Email

Home phone

Business phone

Facsimile number

Part B - Property details

Provide addresses of all properties at which the brand and/or earmark will be used.

Station name/property name

Physical address

Postcode

Real property description (RPD) (lot number, plan number)

Property Identification Code (PIC)

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Provide postal address for all correspondence

Postal address

Postcode

Part C - Brand and/or earmark preferences

Please complete section/s required (1 and/or 2)

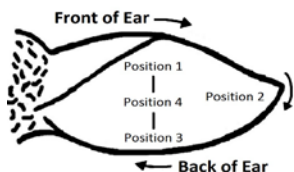
Information to assist in completing your application earmark preferences can be found at business.qld.gov.au/earmarking-sheep-goats

1. Sheep and goat earmark preferences

- Sheep and goat earmarks may only be used in their registered district.
- Registered sheep earmarks must be made in the OFF or right ear of MALE sheep and the NEAR or left ear of FEMALE sheep.

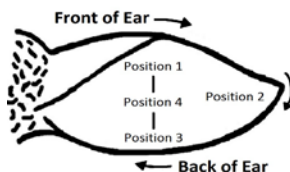
You must nominate three (3) choices, in order of preference

Earmark 1



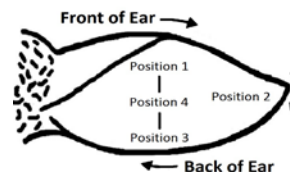
Code

Earmark 2



Code

Earmark 3



Code

2. Sheep and goat fire or paint brand preferences

Information to assist in completing your application brand preferences can be found at
business.qld.gov.au/paint-branding

Sheep and goat fire or paint brands may only be used in their registered district. (Fire brands are imprinted on the horn)

You must select the type of brand:

☐ Fire

☐ Paint

You must nominate three (3) choices, in order of preference

Brand 1

Position

Paint colour

(for paint brand – red, blue or green)

Symbol brand description

Brand 2

Position

Paint colour

(for paint brand – red, blue or green)

Symbol brand description

Brand 3

Position

Paint colour

(for paint brand – red, blue or green)

Symbol brand description

Part D - Neighbours' details:

Please indicate if there are adjoining properties to the property where you intend to use the brand/earmark:

☐ Yes

☐ No

Applications will be processed on information provided by the applicant. If you do not complete this section, the Registrar will issue a certificate on the basis that you do not have neighbouring properties. If an objection is lodged by a neighbour whereby the brand/earmark issued is similar to or easily convertible to their brand, your brand/earmark will be cancelled. You will then be required to submit a new application and pay the relevant fee.

Complete the particulars of adjoining neighbours or other persons whose stock, are likely to be in contact with the applicants' stock.

- Sheep and goat earmarks are registered for use within a particular district.
- The issue of a particular brand or earmark depends upon it **not** being similar to or easily convertible into any other in the same locality. This information is required before the application can be processed.
- **If you do not know your neighbours' brands/earmarks**, you must provide the full name and address of all neighbours (neighbouring property owners) including property or station name.
- Please attach a separate list if required.

1. Name (first, and last name/s)

Property name or station name

Property address

Brand or earmark

2. Name (first, and last name/s)

Property name or station name

Property address

Brand or earmark

3. Name (first, and last name/s)

Property name or station name

Property address

Brand or earmark

4. Name (first, and last name/s)

Property name or station name

Property address

Brand or earmark

5. Name (first, and last name/s)

Property name or station name

Property address

Brand or earmark

6. Name (first, and last name/s)

Property name or station name

Property address

Brand or earmark

Part E - Signatures of all applicant/s

Applicant/s signature/s are required and where the applicant is a company, the application must be signed by two directors of the company; or a director and a company secretary; or in the case of a proprietary company that has a sole director who is also the company secretary, that director. Where the relevant person is a partnership, each of the partners must sign the form. If the applicant is a Trust, the application is to be signed by the trustee (either a company or an individual) with the words "as trustee for [Trust Name]" provided that the Trust Deed gives the trustee appropriate powers relating to the making of the application.

Applicant/s Declaration:

I/We declare that the information I/we have provided is true and correct. I/We understand that it is an offence under the Criminal Code to give information that I/we know to be false or misleading.

Signatory 1

Full name (first, middle and last name)

Position held (i.e. company director, company secretary, trustee)

Signature

Date

Signatory 2

Full name (first, middle and last name)

Position held (i.e. company director, company secretary, trustee)

Signature

Date

Signatory 3Full name *(first, middle and last name)*

Position held (i.e. company director, company secretary, trustee)

Signature

Date

Signatory 4Full name *(first, middle and last name)*

Position held (i.e. company director, company secretary, trustee)

Signature

Date

How to submit this form

On completion of this application please email it to Brands@daf.qld.gov.au. You will be contacted to arrange payment.

Office use only

Date of Receipt

Receipt Amount

Receipt Number issued

Part F - Fees and payment options

Please refer to www.daf.qld.gov.au/biosecurity-fees for current fee or contact our Customer Service Centre 13 25 23 between the hours of 8.00am and 5.00pm Monday to Friday.

NB: If you do not provide the amount of payment your application cannot be processed and will be returned for completion

Sheep or goat brand and/or earmark. Please select all that apply to this application

- | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Letter or numeral fire brand | <input type="checkbox"/> Symbol paint brand |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Letter or numeral paint brand | <input type="checkbox"/> Sheep earmark |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Symbol fire brand | |

PLEASE NOMINATE AMOUNT for your payment (MUST COMPLETE)

\$

Select **ONE** payment option only.

☐ **Cash**

Pay by cash at any [Department of Agriculture and Fisheries regional office](#).

☐ **Debit Card or Credit Card**

DO NOT SEND DEBIT OR CREDIT CARD DETAILS VIA EMAIL

The Department of Agriculture and Fisheries cannot accept payment card details, nor guarantee the security of the payment card details sent via email. It is a whole-of-Government policy that an originating email with card payment details must be deleted from the email system and the payment not processed.

An official receipt will not be forwarded unless specifically asked.

☐ **Yes**

☐ **No**

Is a receipt required?