

# REGISTRATION APPLICATION

**BREEDER [Owner of Dam at the time of mating]**

Flock ID \_\_\_\_\_ Flock Name \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

**OWNER [Owner of Dam at the time of lambs' birth]**

Flock ID \_\_\_\_\_ Flock Name \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

REGISTRY OFFICE USE ONLY	Flock Tag/Tattoo	Sex	Birth Type	Breeding Type	Geno-type	Birth Date	SIRE INFORMATION		DAM INFORMATION		TRANSFER INFORMATION [IF NEEDED]			
							KHSI Registration Number	Flock Tag/Tattoo	KHSI Registration Number	Flock Tag/Tattoo	Date of Sale	Buyer's Name	Buyer's KHSI Member ID	
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Fees must be paid before registrations or transfers are processed. Please include a Work Order with your registration application.

Signature of Dam Owner at time of Mating \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Dam Owner at time of Lambing \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signatory is authorized to sign for account and represents that the information in the application is correct to the best of their knowledge and belief.

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## REGISTRATION INFORMATION

### Registration Explanations

- Flock Tag/Tattoo Numbers/letters on ear tag or tattoo unique to individual. Record this number exactly as it is on the ear tag/tattoo.
- Sex R= Ram or E= Ewe
- Birth Type For the individual animal being registered/recorded: S = Single, TW = Twin, TR = Triplet, Q = Quad
- Breeding Type For the individual animal being registered/recorded: Nat = Natural Birth, AI = Artificial Insemination, ET = Embryo Transfer
- Genotype Official DNA test results for scrapie resistance. Leave blank if the sheep is untested.
- Birth Date Month/day/year of birth of sheep being registered or recorded.
- Sire KHSI Registration Number Registration/recordation number of sire; upper right corner of sire's certificate Sire ID Flock ID & numbers/letters on ear tag/tattoo of sire
- Dam KHSI Registration Number Registration/recordation number of dam; upper right corner of dam's certificate Dam ID Flock ID & numbers/letters on ear tag/tattoo of dam

Breeder is the membership name owning dam at time of mating. Owner is the membership name owning dam at time of lambing.

NOTE: If the current owner is different from owner of dam at time of mating, transfer fees will apply)

If applicable, transfer information can be provided at the time of registration. Registration and transfer fees will apply. Please supply the buyer name and KHSI Member ID Number.

### GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

Any person wishing to register or record Katahdin Hair Sheep at the prices listed on Work Order must be a KHSI member with current year dues paid in full.

### Registration

Purebred animals eligible for registration must be the offspring of two KHSI-registered parents. The coat of registered Katahdins must not require shearing and preferably is completely free of permanent woolly fibers. To apply for registration, the Registration Application must be completed and sent to the KHSI Registry Office or members can use Digital Katahdin, the online registration and flock management system available to all KHSI members. Missing or incomplete information will delay the registration process.

### Transfers

All animal ownership transfers must be recorded with KHSI. The seller of a KHSI-registered or recorded animal should record the date of sale and buyer name/address on the Registration Certificate at the time of the sale and should sign and date the transfer. KHSI strongly encourages the seller to submit the paperwork and payment to the KHSI Registry Office as soon as possible following the sale. If at the time of original registration, the owner of an animal is different than the flock of origin, transfer fees will apply. The KHSI Registry will process and send certificates to the new owner unless otherwise directed.

### Recordation/Upgrading

Sheep that are not full-blooded Katahdins may be Recorded with the KHSI Registry if they are 50% or more purebred Katahdin ancestry and are progeny of an upgrading program. Each generation must be recorded with the Registry and a certificate will be issued that indicates the percentage Katahdin blood. The Registration Application is used for recording sheep. Sheep of at least 87.5% (7/8) Katahdin blood are eligible for Registration after an inspection in their yearling year, if the previous generations have been Recorded. The 87.5% or greater sheep must be classified as a coat type "A" or "B" to be registerable. If a sheep classifies as coat type "C", they will be recorded as described above.

### Physical Characteristics

1. No discrimination will be made on the basis of color.
2. Freedom from anatomical or physical defects is required (such as abnormal jaw formation, entropion or defects of the udder, testicles, legs or feet).

### Identification

All sheep must be continuously identified by ear tag, tattoo or other permanent identification. Every KHSI member is required to register a Flock ID with KHSI. This Flock ID will be part of the identification of all KHSI Registered or Recorded animals originating in that flock. The individual sheep identification as indicated on the KHSI Registration Certificate (Flock Tag) must be physically on the animal as well. A backup identification on each sheep is encouraged. A registration or recordation number will be issued for KHSI purposes, but the individual Flock Tag will identify the animal in the flock.

### Animal Inspection

Inspections are requested through the KHSI Operations Office by May 15th of each year, and are conducted between March 1 and September 30. A KHSI certified inspector verifies that the animal being inspected was born prior to November 1 of the year prior to the inspection, the flock tag/tattoo on the animal matches the certificate and there are no gross defects. For each animal inspected, the inspector will record the coat type and sign and date either the KHSI Registration Certificate or Animal Registration Application (if not already registered/recorded). The owner will then submit the papers to the Registry Office and a Registration Certificate will be issued. Inspectors are reimbursed for their mileage by KHSI and the breeder is billed by KHSI for the inspector's mileage.

The coat type of inspected sheep will be classified in one of the following categories:

A type - Naturally sheds all long woolly fibers seasonally.

B type - Coat predominantly free of long woolly fibers but maintains some patches, the total area that does not shed for at least one year must not to exceed one-quarter of the upper half of the body,

C type - Patches of long unshed woolly fibers, the total area of which exceeds 1/4 of upper half of body; ineligible for registration.

### Registration/Transfer and Other Fees

Please see the Work Order to help calculate pricing and total due. Please include a Work Order with the Registration Application and all service fees.

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### Questions

Call your Registry Office for more information.

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