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Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship Brand Recorder, Bureau of Animal Industry Wallace Building, 502 East 9th Street Des Moines, IA 50319 515/281-8604

APPLICATION FOR RECORDING OF LIVESTOCK BRAND

	Date:	
Name: (Print plainly and indicate legal name if company, firm or corporation.)		
Responsible Party if Partnership or	Corporation:	
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip Code:
Telephone: ()	Cell Phone:	
Counties Where Livestock Are Kep	t:	
SIGNATURE OF APPLICA	NT:	
BRAND FEE: \$25.00 PAYABLE TO: IDALS or Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship MAIL TO: Address Above Livestock brands may be recorded on the shoulder, rib, or hip of either the left or the right side of an animal. Please draw the exact pattern of the brand indicating location on the animal (horses, cattle, sheep, mules, asses). Location: Please Check (\$25 for each location) Right Hip Right Rib Right Shoulder Left Shoulder Left Rib Left Hip Brand Designs:		
FIRST CHOICE	SECOND CHOICE	THIRD CHOICE

BRAND INFORMATION

- 1. Keep brand designs simple.
- 2. Do not use lower case or cursive letters.
- 3. Single letters, numbers or characters are not recommended.
- 4. The letter Q is not recorded.
- 5. Brands are not recorded if they are in conflict with another brand, even if a different location on the animal is requested.
- 6. Because of the stress that is placed on the animal, three standing separate letters, numbers or characters, or combinations thereof, are not recommended on the rib location.
- 7. Brands should consist of at least 2 and not more than 3 letters, numbers, characters, or any combination thereof. Combinations of numbers only are not accepted.
- 8. Brands are recordable only on the left hip, left rib, left shoulder, right hip, right rib, right shoulder.
- 9. Brand recordings expire five years (on January 1) after the date of recording.
- 10. The fee to record a brand is \$25.00 (for five years).
- 11. The fee to renew a brand is \$25.00 (for five years).

PLEASE NOTE: Second or third choice will be issued without notice if the first choice is not available or in conflict with brands already recorded.

For information on available brands, contact:

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