



## PREMIUM SHEEP AND GOAT HEALTH SCHEME

### PREMISES CHECK FORM

Please return form to:  
SRUC Health Schemes, Greycrook, St Boswells, TD6 0EQ



**Complete this form if you are establishing your flock/herd from accredited stock, adding additional land to your existing holding or relocating to a new premises.**

Please read the notes for guidance on the last page of this form before completing.

SECTION 1	
<b>Veterinary Practice Name and Address</b>	<b>Member Name and Address</b>
<b>Clinician:</b>	<b>New/additional CPH:</b>

Reason for completing Premises Check Form – Please tick one only	
<b>Establishing a new flock/herd from accredited stock</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Adding land to your existing holding</b> Existing holding number:	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Relocating to a new premises</b> Previous holding number:	<input type="checkbox"/>

SECTION 2
Date of Veterinary Surgeon's premises check:
Date first accredited animal arrived on premises:

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<b>SECTION 3 – No certificates can be issued if stock numbers are not complete</b>								
	<b>MV/CAE Accredited</b>				<b>Stock to remain Non Accredited</b>			
	<b>SHEEP</b>		<b>GOATS</b>		<b>SHEEP</b>		<b>GOATS</b>	
	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>
< 12 months								
12-17 months								
18months and over								

<b>SECTION 4 – List animals purchased below if establishing a new flock/herd from accredited stock</b>						
	<b>Ear No</b>	<b>Age</b>	<b>Breed</b>	<b>Sex</b>	<b>Date of Purchase</b>	<b>Previous Owner Name and Address</b>
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SECTION 5 A	
	YES/NO
Has your client read the MV/CAE rules and are they familiar with the content?	
Are all farm boundaries secured? <b>(See rule 3.1 and 3.2)</b>	
Are there sheep/goats on neighbouring holding? <b>(See rule 3.1)</b>	
Is there at least a 2 metre gap (sheep) 3 metre gap (goats) at farm boundaries separating the holding from neighbouring ones? <b>(See rule 3.1 and 3.2 )</b>  If no, please explain below what precautions are in place to stop contact with animals on neighbouring holdings:	
Are there any separate holdings the animals may be moved to and kept at?  If yes has a premises check been performed for these holdings?	
Is the movement record book up to date? <b>(See rule 5.1 for specific records that must be kept when MV accredited)</b>	
Is your client aware of what to do if any animal in the accredited flock has contact with a non accredited animal? <b>(See rule 6.1)</b>	
Does your client perform Embryo transfer work or AI?  If yes are they aware that only embryos or semen from accredited animals may be used to impregnate, inseminate or fertilise MV animals and all recipient animals are required to be accredited? <b>(See rule 3.2)</b>	
Are there non accredited animals on the same holding?  <b><u>If yes please complete Section 5B (overleaf).</u></b>	

<b>SECTION 5B</b>	
To be completed if there are non accredited stock on the holding	<b>YES/NO</b>
Is there at least a 2 metre gap (sheep) 3 metre gap (goats) separating accredited and non-accredited animals? <b>(See rule 3.2)</b>	
If animals are housed at any point is there separate accommodation available for accredited and non-accredited animals?	
Is a seven day period left between grazing non accredited animals and accredited animals on the same pasture?	
Is there separate equipment available e.g. drenching guns, hypodermic needles, ear taggers etc. to be used for accredited animals only <b>(See rule 3.2)</b>	
Are separate handling facilities available for accredited and non-accredited animals?  If not is your client aware of the requirements for disinfection etc. of shared facilities? <b>(See rule 3.2)</b>	
Is your client aware of the rules surrounding transportation of accredited and non accredited animals? <b>(See rule 4.2)</b>	

Any further comments?
Does your client comply with the rules of the scheme to the best of your knowledge? <b>YES / NO</b>
<b>IF <u>YES</u> please complete the Veterinary Declaration (next page)</b>

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<b>SECTION 6 - Declaration by Owner</b>	
•	I have proof that the animals I have entered on this form as MV/CAE accredited in section 4 are from traceable accredited sources.
•	The total stock numbers of all scheme and non scheme animals to be held on the premises are recorded in section 3.
•	I confirm that no non-accredited sheep/goats have been on the holding for at least 7 days, during which time handling facilities have been disinfected and housing etc cleaned out.
•	I agree to abide by the Rules and Conditions of membership. All information is correct and a true record.
<b>Signed:</b>	<b>Owner/Manager</b>
<b>Print Name:</b>	<b>Date:</b>

<b>SECTION 6 – Declaration by Veterinary Surgeon</b>	
•	I have explained the rules of the scheme regarding farm security to my client who, to the best of my knowledge, is complying with the rules and conditions of the MV/CAE Accreditation Scheme. If I have any concerns that in my opinion do not constitute a breach of the rules I have recorded them in Section 5.
•	I have examined the movement book(s) and all sheep and goats entering the premises are recorded on this form or attached sheet.
<b>Signed:</b>	<b>MRCVS</b>
<b>Print Name:</b>	<b>Date:</b>

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## NOTES FOR GUIDANCE

It is important that both your vet and you are familiar with the rules before completing the premises check form.

1. The premises check should be completed by your vet.
2. A premises check should be completed at all holdings that accredited animals will be held at.
3. If the flock/herd is being established from accredited stock it is recommended that the premises check is completed prior to the arrival of accredited animals to ensure it meets the requirements of the scheme.
4. Section 1, 2 and 3 should be completed for all flocks/herds. A health status report will not be issued unless stock numbers are filled fully.
5. Section 4 should be completed for flocks that are being established from accredited sources. You should have proof in the form of health status reports that the animals are from accredited flocks.
6. Section 5 A should be completed for all flock/herds and Section 5 B if there are non accredited stock on the holding.
7. Please ensure you and your vet both read and sign section 6. The form is invalid without these signatures.
8. Once completed please return the form to:

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