



Beltex Sheep Society Registration & Fees



Only fully paid up members can birth notify and register lambs, which belong to them. Lambs may be birth notified and registered via the on-line flock book available on www.beltex.co.uk or on the official forms available from the Society Office. If you need a form please call 015395 67973 or download one from the Beltex website.

Birth notification and registration rules and fees are as follows:

Birth Notification - Deadline: 31st May in the year of birth

- Submit registration form by 31st May (or in the month of birth for later-born lambs) along with the birth notification fee.
- ***Birth Notifications received in the office after the 31 May deadline (unless a late birth) the fee will automatically be doubled.***
- Birth notify all your lambs.
- You will be sent a list of the lambs you have birth-notified.

Please Note: All lambs to be entered at Society sales must be birth notified and full-pedigree registered before sale entries are submitted.

Full Pedigree Registration for Birth-Notified Lambs

Deadline: **28 February following year of birth**

- Copy of your list of notified lambs and a reminder to register will be sent to you in November/December.
- Decide which lambs should be fully registered, i.e. all lambs to be retained for breeding or for sale.
- Tick them off on your birth-notified list and send it back to the office with the Full Pedigree Registration fee.
- Pedigree certificates will be issued on payment of fees.

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FEES:

- **Birth Notification** - received in the office by 31 May in year of birth
Submitted on Paper: £2.84 + VAT (£3.40)
Submitted Online via Pedeweb or Excel Spreadsheet: £2.00 + VAT (£2.40)
Contact the office for Excel Spreadsheet Template

LATE Birth Notifications – received in the office after 31 May in year of birth (unless born after the 31 May)

Submitted on Paper: £5.68 + VAT (£6.80)

Submitted Online via Pedeweb or Excel Spreadsheet: £4.00 + VAT (£4.80)

- **Full Pedigree Registration of Birth Notified Lambs up to 28 February following year of birth**
Ram Lambs: £10.00 + VAT (£12.00)
Ewe Lambs: £8.00 + VAT (£9.60)

ET Lambs: - £15.00 + VAT (£18.00)

- Birth-notified lambs registered late ie over a year after birth, after 28 February: £20.00 + VAT (£24.00)
- Older animal registration: £50.00 +VAT (£60.00)

Import Fees – see Import Registration for full details

- Import Fee: £50.00 + VAT (£60.00)
Late Import Fee: £100 + VAT (£120)
Sale Levy: £100 + VAT (£120)

Lambs which are Embryo Transfers

- ET lambs must be birth notified on the normal forms available from the Society and must have the letters ET affixed to their name.
- The Beltex Sheep Society reserves the right to blood type.

DNA Testing

- Society introduced DNA testing for **stock sires** for 2019 births onwards – which means if the sire is not DNA tested lambs cannot be Birth Notified / Registered
- For 2022 birth notifications ET lambs must have the **flushing ewe** DNA tested and the flushing sheets be forwarded to the office with the Birth Notifications