

# Suffolk Registration Application

(Use Only for Suffolks Being Registered for the First Time)

Check registration type that apply:  Purebred  GAP  Percentage

Is this a rush order?  Yes  No Date Needed: \_\_\_\_\_

Flock Copies Needed?  Yes  No (flock copies are \$1 per copy)

*United Suffolk Sheep Association*

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**Breeder Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Owner Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Private Flock Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email of Individual Submitting Registrations:** \_\_\_\_\_

*Do not use this form to order duplicate certificates, transfers, re-registrations, or to correct a previous application. The fees must accompany your application.*

Leave Blank for office use	Lamb Information					Sire		Dam		X if AI	If filled in, transfer fee applies.	
	Sex R/E/W	Private Flock Number	Optional: Permanent ID, NSIP ID or DNA info	Birth Date mm/dd/yy	Birth Type	Flock Name & Number	Registration No.	Flock Name & Number	Registration No.		Sale Date mm/dd/yy	Exact Name & Address of Purchaser as transfer should be recorded

I hereby certify to the truth and accuracy of the information listed above and offer this (these) animal(s) for entry on the records of, and in accordance with, the provisions of the Bylaws and Rules of the United Suffolk Sheep Association.

If ram is leased or borrowed, breeding certificate is on the next worksheet.  
**Registration Instructions on Reverse Side**

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature of person owning the dam(s) listed above or authorized representative      Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature of person owning the sire(s) listed above or authorized representative      Date

# SUFFOLK REGISTRATION INSTRUCTIONS

Use a separate form for dams recorded in different ownerships.

The United Suffolk Sheep Association offers several registry programs in addition to the purebred registry. Information on these programs is provided below.

**PERCENTAGE REGISTRATION:** This program is for Suffolk breeders to identify and maintain records on their non-purebred replacement seedstock.

1. In order to record an animal in the USSA Percentage Registration Program, you must be a member in good standing of USSA or UJSSA.
2. At least one parent must be registered in the USSA purebred flock book or the Percentage Registry.
3. Percentage animals must be identified by permanent positive identification.
4. An animal with a percentage registration number will not be permitted to enter the purebred flock book nor will any of its progeny until the 15/16 level of purity is reached. Percentage animals will always have a percentage notation listed on their papers to indicate their origins.

**SUFFOLK GAP:** This program is for Suffolk breeders who own Suffolk ewes whose papers have not be maintained for generations. You must be the breeder of these ewes and be able validate their genetic heritage to the best of your knowledge. Initial program application is required. An inspection, either physical or quality photographs, a head shot and a side view, will be necessary to complete the registration process. Contact a USSA director in your district to work out inspection details. Once the application is submitted, an inspection approves the ewes, and registration fees are paid, these ewes will be entered in the Suffolk flock book as 75% registered Suffolks. RAMS ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO INITIALLY ENROLL IN THIS PROGRAM.

## BREEDER

The breeder is the recorded owner of the dam at the time she is bred.

**Membership Name** - list the exact name, as it appears on the dam's certificate of registration, of the person who owned the dam at the time she was bred.

**Phone Number** - list a daytime phone number.

## OWNER

The owner is the recorded owner of the dam at the time she lambed.

**Membership Name** - list the exact name, as it appears on the dam's registration, of the person who owned the dam at the time she lambed.

**Phone Number** - list a daytime phone number.

**Email** - please list a frequently checked email address.

## PRIVATE FLOCK NAME

The private flock name is the name the owner of the animal being registered has chosen. For example, if John Doe owned the dam at the time she lambed, his flock name, Doe Suffolks, would be listed.

## EMAIL OF INDIVIDUAL SUBMITTING REGISTRATIONS

List an email the individual submitting the registrations can be reached.

## LEAVE BLANK

This box is for office use only.

## SEX OF ANIMAL

Record sex of animal being registered as: E=Ewe, R=Ram and W=Wether.

## PRIVATE FLOCK NUMBER

This is the number in the ear of the animal being registered. For example, RED 10-123. Do not list the private flock name with the private flock number.

## OPTIONAL: PERMENANT ID, NSIP ID OR DNA INFO

Breeders can include permanent ID (tattoo number or scrapie tag), NSIP number, or DNA info. DNA information has been provided by the breeder and the USSA cannot verify or guarantee its correctness.

## BIRTH TYPE

List the birth type codes as: S=single, TW=twin, TR=triplet, QD=quadruplet, QT=quintuplet, ET=embryo transfer.

## SIRE FLOCK NAME & NUMBER

List the private flock name and number, as it appears on the certificate of registration, of the ram that sired the animal being registered.

## SIRE REGISTRATION NUMBER

List the registration number of the sire of the animal being registered. If the owner of the sire is different, provide a breeding certificate.

## DAM FLOCK NAME & NUMBER

List the private flock name and number, as it appears on the certificate of registration, of the dam that sired the animal being registered.

## DAM REGISTRATION NUMBER

List the registration number of the dam of the animal that is being registered.

## AI - ARTIFICIAL INSEMINATION

Place a check mark in this column is the animal being registered was a result of artificial insemination.

## DATE OF SALE

If you sold the animal being registered, list the complete date of sale (mm/dd/yy). Leave blank if the animal being registered was not sold.

## EXACT NAME AND ADDRESS OF PURCHASER

It is extremely important to list the purchaser's name exactly how they request it.

## SIGNATURE

The owner of the dam(s) or authorized representative's signature is required. Signature by authorized representative of the sire is required if not owned by the applicant.

## BREEDING CERTIFICATE

If the sire of the lamb being registered is not the same ownership of the dam, a breeding certificate from the recorded owner of the sire is required. The owner of the sire may fill out the breeding certificate at the bottom of this page, sign a statement on application or provide a completed breeding certificate from (@www.suffolks.org). If applicant cannot get a signature from the owner of the ram, the recorded owner can email or call the USSA Office to release registry work for processing. It is the applicants responsibility to provide proper documentation if sire listed was leased or borrowed. A breeding confirmation fee applies if the USSA Office is responsible for obtaining an official release from recorded owner of the sire.

## APPLICATION SUBMISSION

Submit via mail (USSA, PO Box 121, Holland, IA 50642), fax (734.335.7646) or email (info@suffolks.org). Faxed or emailed applications will be put in line with regular mailed applications unless "RUSH" is indicated (additional rush fees apply).

## PAYMENT

A fee sheet provided by USSA can be used to calculate payment. It is suggested that a fee sheet be submitted with each work order. Send payment in full to: USSA, P.O. Box 121, Holland, IA 50642. Visa, Mastercard and Discover are accepted; call the USSA Office to pay via credit card. PayPal payments can be made on www.suffolks.org. USSA policy states that will not be released if full payment is not made.

### **Breeding Certificate (leased or borrowed sire)**

I hereby certify that my ram (flock name, flock number, USSA registration number), \_\_\_\_\_ serviced the ewes listed on the reverse side of this form, from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Signature of the recorded owner of the sire*