



UTAH DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FOOD

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**All new
 Brand Registrations,
 will expire on
 12/31/2025.**

LIVESTOCK BRAND/EARMARK APPLICATION

Please complete sections 1 and 2

Brand/Earmark ID Number _____

Date _____

1. BRAND OR EARMARK:

Instructions:

For Brands please place an **X** on the location of the animal that you would like the brand registered. Draw the brand image in the space provided.

FEES:

New Brand or Earmark: \$250.00 total for each position

The Department of Agriculture and Food will only refund \$175.00 of the Registration fee if the application is submitted in error or if the brand is unable to be recorded.

Sheep Brand is read from the HEAD to the RUMP

Back of Sheep, Withers, Center Back, Rump, LEFT, RIGHT, Shoulder, Ribs, Hip-Thigh, Hip-Thigh, Ribs, Shoulder, Right Jaw (Horse Only)

RIGHT, LEFT

Please Draw Brand Below:

Earmark: Cattle Sheep

County-Earmark District _____

Please describe brand & if it will be a hot iron or freeze brand or both: _____

2: APPLICATION

I (we) hereby make application to record the brand or earmark as shown in #1 above, in the State of Utah as provided in Title 4-24-201 of the UtahCode.

Name	Address, City, State, Zip	Phone	Signature
1.		cell	
	Email:		
2.		cell	
	Email:		
3.		cell	
	Email:		
4.		cell	
	Email:		
5.		cell	
	Email:		

3. CERTIFICATION: For Office Use Only

This certifies that the Brand or Earmark as shown in #1 is registered to the applicant as shown in #2 above.

Date _____ Recorder _____ Fee _____

State of Utah Brand Registration Requirements

- The brand must lend itself to common verbal description.
- Brands must consist of capital print block letters (except G and Q), numbers 2-9, or symbols such as slashes, diamonds, hearts, arrows, mill irons, triangles, boxes, stars, quarter circles, bars and crosses. NO lower case letters may be part of the brand.
- Enclosed character brands - the inside character cannot touch the outside character. Enclosed brands will not be approved if brand does not allow for heat gaps.
- Not to exceed 3 characters or symbols combined.
- Brands that overlap will not be allowed but brands with characters or symbols that combine or intersect with each other will be considered. Brands with crossing of characters will not be allowed if heat gaps are possible.
- No high blotch potential. Freeze Irons get more leeway on design and are designated "Freeze Iron Only" on the registration.
- Brands that are identical or similar to brands already recorded cannot be recorded. If a brand is found to be deceptively similar to an existing brand, it is denied.
- District Supervisors and Brand Inspectors will be consulted on questionable brands in their areas.
- Take into consideration when designing a brand, characters such as a quarter circle can flatten out over time and look like a bar, rafters and quarter circles can be confused as the same thing.