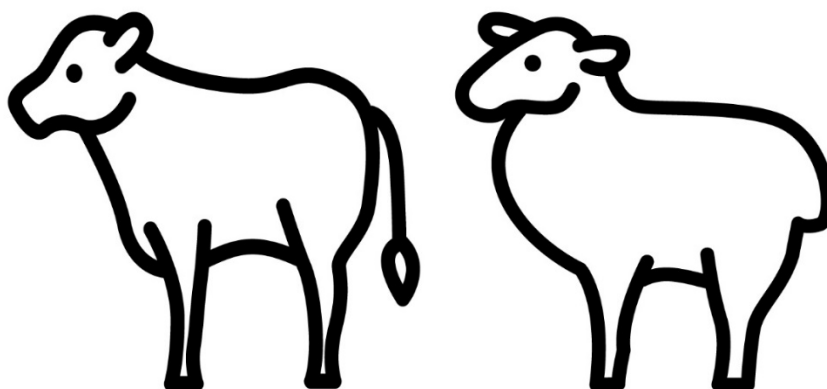




**APPLICATION FORM  
FOR  
QUALITY MEAT SCOTLAND QMS  
CATTLE & SHEEP ASSURANCE SCHEME 2020  
INDIVIDUAL MEMBER**



Please send completed application form with the correct remittance to:

QMS Cattle & Sheep Assurance Scheme  
Lloyd's Register  
6 Redheughs Rigg  
South Gyle  
Edinburgh EH12 9DA

Tel: 0131 335 6602

Email: [agriculture-ca@lr.org](mailto:agriculture-ca@lr.org)

For office use only:

Application review completed by:	Date:	Undertake requested certification work? (If 'no' record reason)
		Yes / No

The undernoted wishes to apply for registration under the Acoura Certification Limited Trading as Lloyd's Register (LR) operated on behalf of Quality Meat Scotland (QMS) Assurance Schemes – Cattle & Sheep. Please note the application must be completed **IN FULL** including the declaration.

**BUSINESS DETAILS**

Business Name:		
Address:		
		Postcode:
Tel:		Mobile:
Email:		Business start up date:
CPH No:	Herd No:	Flock No:

**CORRESPONDENCE DETAILS (if different from the above)**

Contact Name:		
Address:		
		Postcode:
Tel:		Mobile:
Email:	Where did you hear about the Scheme?	

**Do you require a copy of the current QMS Cattle & Sheep Assurance Scheme Standards?** **Yes/No**

**ASSURANCE SCHEME MEMBERSHIPS PAST & PRESENT**

1. Have you previously been a member of the QMS Cattle & Sheep Assurance Scheme? If 'yes' please provide your membership number:	<b>YES/NO</b>								
2. Are you a current/past member of the Red Tractor Beef & Lamb Scheme? If 'yes' please provide your membership number:	<b>YES/NO</b>								
3. Are you a current/past member of any of the following assurance schemes operated by LR? Please provide your membership numbers:  <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 25%;"><b>SQC:</b></td> <td style="width: 25%;"><b>QMS Pigs:</b></td> <td style="width: 25%;"><b>Fresh Produce:</b></td> <td style="width: 25%;"><b>QMS Haulage:</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Dairy:</b></td> <td><b>Other:</b></td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </table>		<b>SQC:</b>	<b>QMS Pigs:</b>	<b>Fresh Produce:</b>	<b>QMS Haulage:</b>	<b>Dairy:</b>	<b>Other:</b>		
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4. Does LR or any other company within the LR group ( <a href="http://www.lr.org">www.lr.org</a> ) currently provide you with services or certification?	<b>YES/NO</b>								
5. Additional Holdings: Please list the details of any additional holdings where stock is kept in conjunction with this business. Units which are more than 15 miles from the main unit and units which are run as a business independent of the main holding must be registered under a separate application. (Please tick if the additional unit is grazing and/or has housing for stock)									
<b>Address of additional holding</b>	<b>Distance from main holding</b>	<b>CPH No</b>	<b>Grazing</b>	<b>Housing</b>					

## DECLARATIONS

*It is a condition of the Scheme that all applicants sign the following declarations to confirm that they are aware of, and will abide by the Terms of the Scheme.*

*Before signing please ensure all required fields have been fully completed. If you have any queries please contact LR.*

## APPLICANT DECLARATION

**I (the undersigned) have read the requirements which pertain to the LR Certification Scheme operated on behalf of QMS.**

**I am fully responsible for the production policy at the unit(s)/site(s) declared and I hereby wish to apply to join the QMS Cattle & Sheep Assurance Scheme.**

**If accepted, I agree to abide by the conditions of membership as detailed in the LR Certification Regulations and QMS Cattle & Sheep Assurance Scheme Standards.**

**I agree to abide by the terms of the scheme, undertake to inform Lloyd's Register immediately if, for whatever reason, the requirements of the scheme can no longer be conformed to. I will notify Lloyd's Register of any major changes to the company's business or changes to products prior to these being put on the market.**

**I agree that the unit(s) will be assessed by an LR assessor appointed to the scheme.**

**I understand that, for the effective running of the Assurance Scheme, it will be necessary for QMS to circulate my membership details (membership number and business details as provided on this application form) to Auction Markets and Meat Plants/Processors, and to list the same on the QMS website for the purpose of verification of the assurance status of my business and the Scotch eligibility status of my livestock.**

## PROSECUTIONS

*Please read the following declarations in relation to current/past/pending prosecutions and tick the box next to the paragraph which does apply. Failure to provide any relevant information may result in refusal or termination of application and/or membership.*

- 1. I declare that I know of a current, past (within the last 5 years) or pending prosecutions relating to my Business activities which may impact on my application.**
- 2. I declare that that I do not know of any current, past (within the last 5 years) or pending prosecutions relating to my business activities which may impact on my application.**

*If declaration 1 applies, please submit details of any relevant pending or past prosecutions (within the last 5 years) with this application.*

**Signature:**

**Print Name:**

**Position:**

**Date:**

## CALCULATION OF MEMBERSHIP FEES

Your membership fee is based on the amount of stock marketed annually which is destined for the food chain

Cattle = (1 animal = 1 QMS Livestock Unit)

Sheep = (10 sheep = 1 QMS Livestock Unit)

Example	Number of Stock	QMS Livestock Units (LU)
Store Cattle	3	3
Finished Cattle		
Cast Cows (destined for food chain)	5	5
Store Cattle		
Finished Sheep	70	7
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>15 = Band 3</b>

Please complete number of stock sold annually into the food chain:

	Number of Stock
Store Cattle	
Finished Cattle	
Cast Cows (destined for food chain)	
Store Sheep	
Finished Sheep	
<b>TOTAL</b>	

Additional Stock numbers for information (breeding stock only) not included within LU calculation

	Number of Stock
Dairy Cows	
Beef Cows	
Ewes	

### QMS Cattle and Sheep Crofting Group

The above scheme is available to crofters who wish to be assured as part of a group.

If you would like to obtain details re discounted fees or QMS Cattle & Sheep Crofting Group, please contact the LR Office: Tel No: 0131 335 6602 or email: [agriculture-ca@lr.org](mailto:agriculture-ca@lr.org)

Membership period: 1 April – 31 March annually.

Renewal Notification including membership fee will be issued in advance of year end

#### QMS MARKETING

QMS would like to keep you up to date with news, event information and recipe inspiration.

- To join our email mailing list (*Please indicate*)                      YES    NO
- To unsubscribe to the above please email QMS: [info@qmscotland.co.uk](mailto:info@qmscotland.co.uk)

## FEES

### QMS Scheme: Cheque/Card Payment

Band	QMS (LU)	Sub	VAT @ 20%	Total Due
1	1-5	£41.60	£8.32	£49.92
2	>1-5	£85.57	£17.11	£102.68
3	>10-20	£120.10	£24.02	£144.12
4	>20-45	£143.45	£28.69	£172.14
5	>45-85	£158.40	£31.68	£190.08
6	>85-150	£201.97	£40.39	£242.36
7	>150-25	£213.95	£42.79	£256.74
8	>250-350	£247.41	£49.48	£296.89
9	>350	£281.33	£56.27	£337.60

### QMS Scheme: Direct Debit/BACS Payment

Band	QMS (LU)	Sub	VAT @ 20%	Total Due
1	1-5	£39.74	£7.95	£47.69
2	>1-5	£81.90	£16.38	£98.28
3	>10-20	£115.50	£23.10	£138.60
4	>20-45	£137.95	£27.59	£165.54
5	>45-85	£151.61	£30.32	£181.93
6	>85-150	£192.37	£38.47	£230.84
7	>150-25	£203.76	£40.75	£244.51
8	>250-350	£235.45	£47.09	£282.54
9	>350	£266.96	£53.39	£320.35

A discount is available if a QMS Cattle & Sheep assessment are combined with other scheme(s) e.g. Scottish Quality Crops or Red Tractor Dairy schemes.

### Payment methods:

Direct Debit Please complete the attached mandate and return it to the address below

BACS You have the option of paying your fee directly into the QMS bank account.  
Please quote your participant number as a reference.

Bank: Bank of Scotland  
Sort Code: 80-02-78  
Account Number: 00793667

Cheque Cheques should be made payable to "QMS"

Please return this application form with payment or completed Direct Debit mandate to:

**QMS Assurance Schemes  
Lloyd's Register  
6 Redheughs Rigg  
South Gyle  
Edinburgh EH12 9DQ**

**VAT Registration Number: GB 830 1566 54**

