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Brown Swiss Cattle Breeders' Association of the USA
APPLICATION FOR REGISTRY
 (READ BEFORE FILLING OUT - PREPARE IN INK OR USE TYPEWRITER)
Check the application to be sure it is correct and filled out completely.

TATTOO or Official AIN
Double Tag Management #
 LE _____
 RE _____

Sex _____ Name _____
 (Limited to 27 letterspaces - Please print name legibly)

If the name above is in use or not acceptable, do you authorize a name change? No Yes (2nd Choice) _____
 If a bull, is this calf a steer? No Yes Do you want genomics on this bull for an additional fee? No Yes Do you want A2/A2 test? No Yes
 Is this calf a Twin/Triplet? No Yes **If yes, sex of other twin/triplets** _____ **If ET/ETV calf, Embryo ID** _____ **& Flush Number** _____

Name and address of owner of dam or embryo when calf was dropped _____
 (Name) _____ Customer No. _____

 Street or Route and Box No. _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____ Phone No _____

Breeder (Name and Address) _____
 (The owner of the dam at time of service is the breeder of the animal. If same as owner, write "SAME".)

Date of Birth _____ **Date Dam Bred** _____ **Dam bred:** Artificially Natural Service Embryo
 (If pasture bred, give dates dam with sire.)

Check if animal has a white or off color spot? (Must add **OCS** suffix to name. OCS rules on reverse side) Check if Naturally Polled? (Must add NP suffix to name)
Sire _____ Registration No. _____
Dam _____ Registration No. _____

Check if paid for current year:
 BSA If on BSA, DHI HerdCode _____ - _____ - _____
 National Member State Member

OWNER OF DAM AT TIME CALF WAS DROPPED SIGN HERE

 (Signature in ink - Individual, Firm, or Partnership Name)
 By _____
 (Signature - Authorized person of a firm or partnership)

In making this application, I hereby agree to comply with and be bound by the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws of the Brown Swiss Cattle Breeders' Association and all other rules and regulations of said Association and its Board of Directors. I certify to the accuracy of the above data and to the identity of the cow bred as well as the bull and/or semen used for breeding, and I accept full responsibility for any damages resulting from inaccurate breeding information. In addition, I agree that all records on the animals in my herd, whether maintained by me or others, including production records, may be obtained and used by the Brown Swiss Cattle Breeders' Association of the U.S.A., Inc., in its several programs. 1/21

E-mail: _____
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- 3. Name contains a registered prefix _____.
- 4. Sex of calf not indicated.
- 5. Sex of calf does not agree with name _____.
- 6. Sex of other twin not indicated.
- 7. Tattoo missing or vaccination tattoo listed.
- 8. Our records show the owner of the dam at the time of calving was _____.
_____. The owner must transfer the dam to you before the date of calving for you to register the calf.
- 9. The breeding information on this application shows the dam to have been bred on _____.
_____. For this service, the calving date is approximately _____ days (early) (late). Please check your records and provide the correct information.
- 10. Calving date missing.
- 11. The service sire listed on this application was owned by _____.
_____. The owner must sign the enclosed service certificate.
- 12. (Sire's) (Dam's) name and registration number omitted.
- 13. (Sire's) (Dam's) name and registration number do not match.
- 14. Our records show the dam of this calf has another calf _____
_____ registered with the birthdate _____.
Please check your records for the correct birthdate or dam.
- 15. The ET Certificate for this animal must accompany this application.
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- 17. The fee for this registration is \$ _____.

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3. **Breeder's Prefix** (if registered) must be used in naming embryos or calves sold in dam.
4. **Tattoo** - Every animal must be tattooed or double tagged (official AIN tags) before it can be registered.
5. **Breeding Information**
 - A. **Date Bred** - Fill in regardless of whether the female was bred naturally or by A.I. If animal was pasture bred, give the dates the bull had access to the dam.
 - B. **Service Certificate** - A service certificate is required for natural service when the owner of the dam at the time of service is not the owner of the sire.
6. **Registering IE Females**
 - A. **Step II** - the prefix "IE" must be used preceding all names and is included in the limit of 27 letter spaces. Step II females are registered in the IE Herdbook.
 - B. **Step III** - the prefix "CIE" must be used preceding all names and is included in the limit of 27 letter spaces. Step III females are registered in the Official Herdbook.
7. **Registering Twins or Multiple Births**
 - A. In registering twins or members of other multiple births, the sex of the other individual(s) must be stated on the Application for Registry.
 - B. **Suffix** - The words **TWIN, TRI, or QUAD** must be used as an integral part of the name as a suffix in the naming of all animals which are members of multiple births.
8. **Off-Color Spots** - A bull having a sharply contrasting off-color spot or spots (anywhere on the body, including the belly) or having a white core in the switch or a female having a sharply contrasting off-color spot or spots above the underside of the belly or above the udder or the floor of the chest, or having a white core in the switch, is considered to have an "Off-Color Spot." The characteristic mealy band around the muzzle, the light colored line up the back, and light area around the poll and horns shall not be considered an "Off-Color Spot." The letters "OCS" must be used as a suffix in naming such an animal.
9. **Signature for Firm or Partnership** - All firm or partnership applications should be signed in the name of the firm or the partnership and countersigned by an authorized person.
10. **For more information** concerning naming, prefixes, duties of owner, etc., please consult the leaflet entitled "Rules and Regulations Governing Registration and Transfer of Brown Swiss Cattle." You may obtain a copy free of charge from the national office or your field representative.
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