

LAMBS Declaration Checklist

Who do I need to contact?

For DECLARATIONS, QUESTIONS or CORRECTIONS

Call 1 866 270-4319



- Declaration of initial tagging with identifiers (on animals born on the farm or purchased without a valid identifier):
 - date of tagging, date of birth, sex
- Entry or exit declaration
- Declaration of entry at a shared site or one that does not belong to you
- Declaration of death
- Missing or irregular information at Agri-Traçabilité Québec (ATQ)
- Tag replacement (new identifier)
- Correction: Site no., sex, date of birth
- Updating of inventory for abandonment or stop in production
- Transfer of ownership without any movement (sale without movement)

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- Eligibility of Stabilization Insurance Program (ASRA)
- Calculation of the number of female breeders
- Calculation of the number of kg of lambs sold
- Calculation of the number of lambs sold
- Transfer of insurance coverage
- File closure (abandonment or stop in production)
- Reasons for ineligibility at La Financière agricole du Québec (FADQ)
- Insurable volume and ASRA payments

For animals missing on the FADQ production statement

- Make sure you have made all your declarations to the ATQ before contacting your FADQ advisor.

What weights will be used by FADQ?

For animals insurable under ASRA (Please keep proof of marketing for animals)

Actual weight when recognized stakeholders send information to the ATQ

- Auction barns inside Québec and outside Québec
- Slaughterhouses:
 - Federal
 - Provincial
 - Local

The actual weight is also used when the sale to a broker is followed by an entry reported by one of these buyers (auction barns or slaughterhouses) when the events occur within a period of seven calendar days processed by FADQ.

Depending on the marketing method for heavy lambs, FADQ will recognize the weights sent to the ATQ by *Les Éleveurs d'ovins du Québec (LEOQ)*.

Custom slaughter in federal or provincial slaughterhouses.

Estimated weight

- Slaughterhouses or auctions inside Québec or outside Québec if not recognized for weight
- Sale to a broker or other lamb producer
- Exit outside Québec (unknown buyer, i.e. without entry declaration on their site to the ATQ)

What animals are not insurable under ASRA?

- Custom slaughter in a local slaughterhouse
- Direct sale of live animals to a consumer
- Personal consumption
- Condemned animals

These conditions also apply to the marketing of heavy lambs supervised by LEOQ.

What declare, to whom?

At all times (ATQ)

Within seven days after the animals are tagged or the event

ESSENTIAL information for every declared event

- ATQ producer number
- Tag number (15-digit identifier)
- Operation's site number (declaration site)
- Lamb production

All animal ENTRIES and BIRTHS (ATQ)

BIRTHS

Essential information

- Actual date of birth
- Sex
- Initial tagging with identifier (tagging date)

Tags must be applied within 30 days of birth or before the animal leaves the farm, whichever comes first.

Animal PURCHASES and MOVEMENTS

Essential information

- Site number or origin or place of origin
- Date of entry on your site for each animal purchased or animal moved within Québec or outside Québec
- Date of entry or change in ownership on the site where the animals are raised
- Date of entry of any movement on a shared site or a site that you do not own, and, if need be, provide your FADQ client number as the animal's owner on this site
- Sex and date of birth for purchases outside Québec.

All animal EXITS and DEATHS (ATQ)

DEATHS

Essential information

- Date of death

SALE inside Québec or outside Québec

Essential information

- Sale or exit date
- **Site number of destination** or place of destination

MARKETING

under the supervision and management of Les Éleveurs d'ovins du Québec (LEOQ)

HEAVY LAMBS

Marketed by the Agency

- Tag number (15-digit identifier)
- LEOQ producer number
- Sale or exit date
- Buyer's site number

Marketed by the producer

Send the Record of *Direct Sales to Consumers* form to LEOQ (Form P6):

Essential information*

- LEOQ producer number
- Exact date of slaughter
- Slaughterhouse site number or place of slaughter
- Sign the local slaughterhouse sales register (*Registre des ventes aux abattoirs de proximité*)
- Provide proof of lambs' slaughter and proof of sale to a farm or local slaughterhouse and keep documents for at least 2 years. LEOQ annually verifies at least 10% of its clientele to ensure marketing compliance.

The slaughterhouse must report slaughters to the ATQ and specify the actual weight of the slaughtered animals.

SUBJECTS SOLD FOR REPRODUCTION

Send the Proof of Ownership of Registered Purebred Stock and Participation in the GenOvis Program form to LEOQ:

Essential information*

- LEOQ producer number
- Buyer's site number and contact information
- Date of sale (actual date of transaction)
- Proof related to subjects' genetic evaluation through the GenOvis program
- Proof related to registration of 10% of female breeders in the Canadian Livestock Records Corporation

LEOQ randomly selects at least 10% of its clientele to verify compliance with the ASRA program for this marketing method before the final payment every insurance year.

* ATQ producer and FADQ client numbers identify producers for whom LEOQ confirms marketing.

Date for sending documents to LEOQ for marketing by heavy lamb producers or breeding stock producers:

- 15th of each month following a transaction. The deadline is March 15 following the end of the ASRA insurance year.

This document may in no way take precedence over the *Règlement sur la vente en commun des agneaux lourds* (Regulation on the collective sale of heavy lambs).

This document may in no way take precedence over the provisions of the program or of any policy of La Financière agricole. For more details, log onto the FADQ website.



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