



**ESTATE TRANSFER OF BRAND  
FROM DECEASED OWNER**

T-9 Version 2009-11-28

**INFORMATION AND INSTRUCTIONS**

This form is used to transfer a brand from the deceased brand owner by the personal representatives of the deceased named in the deceased's Last Will and Testament or, if the deceased died without a Will, by the persons authorized to transfer estate assets under the *Intestate Succession Act*.

This form is one of a number of forms that can be used to transfer a brand when the brand owner or one of the brand owners dies. Please read the ***Information Sheet – Transfer of Brand on the Death of a Brand Owner*** (Form T-3) before completing this form to ensure that this is the appropriate transfer document to be used. There is a Questionnaire in the *Information Sheet – Transfer of Brand on the Death of a Brand Owner* that will help you select the appropriate form to use.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

- By completing and submitting this Transfer to the Brand Registrar only the brand is being transferred. This Transfer does not transfer title to livestock bearing the brand.
- The transfer of a brand does not affect the status of the ownership of the livestock or the livestock security interest in the livestock on which the brand was applied prior to the date on which the brand transfer was registered.
- If the Estate of the deceased or the beneficiaries of the livestock sell livestock bearing the brand after the Transfer is registered, the livestock inspectors may put a hold on the livestock or the sale proceeds.
- If the Transferee sells the deceased's livestock bearing the brand after the Transfer is registered, the livestock inspectors will not put a hold on the livestock or on the sale proceeds.

**Brand Registrar Contact Information**

If you have any questions with respect to the proper form to complete or how to complete this form, you can contact the Brand Registrar at:

Livestock Identification Services Ltd.  
#109, 264 Midpark Way SE  
Calgary, AB T2X 1J6  
www.lis-alberta.com

Phone: 403-740-4105  
Toll Free: 866-740-4105  
Fax: 403-740-4124  
E-mail: [brands@lis-alberta.com](mailto:brands@lis-alberta.com)



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Livestock Identification and Commerce Act

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**Part A1 – DECEASED Name and Address**

Name of Deceased \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

Town/City, Prov \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Death \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Death \_\_\_\_\_

**Part A2 – SURVIVING CO-OWNERS** (Only complete if applicable – see note below)

Name of Co-Owner \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Co-Owner \_\_\_\_\_

**Note** Part A2 is for brands that are co-owned by two or more brand owners and when the surviving co-owner is not the beneficiary or transferee of the brand, If this is the case the surviving co-owner and the beneficiary or transferee of the deceased's interest in the brand must complete the *Acknowledgement of Surviving Co-Owner and Beneficiary/Transferee* form.

**Part A3 – BRAND being transferred**

Brand Design	Location	Type
		<input type="checkbox"/> Cattle
		<input type="checkbox"/> Horse

**Part B – PERSON APPLYING TO TRANSFER THE BRAND** (the Transferor)

**Full Name** \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to the Deceased \_\_\_\_\_

Status under the Deceased's Will  
or *Intestate Succession Act* \_\_\_\_\_

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**Part C1 – PERSON(S) RECEIVING THE BRAND (the Transferee)**

**NAMES OF TRANSFEREES**

Please print the full names of the transferee(s) of the brand and indicate whether each transferee is a beneficiary of the brand under the Deceased's Will or, if there is no Will, whether the transferee is a beneficiary under the *Intestate Succession Act*.

Is there any beneficiary of the brand who is not a transferee of the brand?  Yes  No

If any beneficiary of the brand is not listed below as a transferee, a *Renunciation of Brand by Beneficiary Form* must be completed by that beneficiary and submitted with the transfer form.

Is the transferee a beneficiary of the brand?

Transferee 1	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
	Last Name                      First Name                      Middle Name		
Transferee 2	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
	Last Name                      First Name                      Middle Name		
Transferee 3	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
	Last Name                      First Name                      Middle Name		
Transferee 4	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
	Last Name                      First Name                      Middle Name		

**Note** The person shown as Transferee 1 will be the primary contact and will receive the brand certificate unless an Acknowledgement of Surviving Co-Owners and Beneficiary/Transferee is required.

**AGE OF TRANSFEREES** - All of the transferees are 18 years of age or older?  Yes  No

If **No**, print name of transferees under 18 years old: \_\_\_\_\_

**Note** A *Guardian's Acknowledgment of Responsibility Form* is required for any minor transferees.

**OWNERSHIP TYPE** - If there is more than one (1) transferee (and no surviving co-owners), the transferees will own the brand as

Joint Owners       Co-Owners

**Note** This election will apply unless an Acknowledgement of *Surviving Co-Owners and Beneficiary/Transferee form* is required.

**Part C2 – Location of the farm, ranch or pasture where branded livestock will be kept**

Primary Location \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_      \_\_\_\_\_  
 Quarter                      Sec                      Twp                      Rge                      Mer                      Premises ID

or

\_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_      \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Lot \_\_\_\_\_ Block \_\_\_\_\_ Plan \_\_\_\_\_ Premises ID \_\_\_\_\_

**Part D1 – TRANSFEROR - Personal Representative or Beneficiary Contact Information and Signature**

The undersigned hereby declare that all of the above information pertaining to the deceased, the personal representatives, the beneficiaries and the transferees is/are true and correct.

**Print name** \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Town/City, Prov \_\_\_\_\_ Postal \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Fax \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_  
**Date** \_\_\_\_\_ **Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

**Print name** \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Town/City, Prov \_\_\_\_\_ Postal \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Fax \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_  
**Date** \_\_\_\_\_ **Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

**Print name** \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Town/City, Prov \_\_\_\_\_ Postal \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Fax \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_  
**Date** \_\_\_\_\_ **Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

**Print name** \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Town/City, Prov \_\_\_\_\_ Postal \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Fax \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

**Date**

**Signature**

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**PART D2 – TRANSFEREE - Contact Information and Signature**

The undersigned hereby declare that all of the above information pertaining to the transferee(s) is/are true and correct.

**Print name** \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Town/City, Prov \_\_\_\_\_ Postal \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Fax \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_  
**Date** \_\_\_\_\_ **Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

**Print name** \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Town/City, Prov \_\_\_\_\_ Postal \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Fax \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_  
**Date** \_\_\_\_\_ **Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

**Print name** \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Town/City, Prov \_\_\_\_\_ Postal \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Fax \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_  
**Date** \_\_\_\_\_ **Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

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Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Town/City, Prov \_\_\_\_\_ Postal \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Fax \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_  
**Date** \_\_\_\_\_ **Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

**CERTIFICATE OF VERIFICATION OF IDENTITY OF TRANSFEROR**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ of the Town/City of \_\_\_\_\_  
in the Province/State of \_\_\_\_\_, HEREBY CERTIFY THAT

1. I met \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_ and  
verified his/her identity by examining his/her \_\_\_\_\_ (identity document)  
issued by \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_  
as number \_\_\_\_\_.
2. The photograph on the identity document was a true likeness of the person named in paragraph 1 and  
confirmed that he/she is at least 18 years of age.

SIGNED by me at \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
A Commission for Oaths in and for the Province of Alberta  
or a Notary Public in and for the Prov/State of \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print name

\_\_\_\_\_  
City/Town – Prov/State – Postal/Zip Code

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date appointment expires

\_\_\_\_\_  
Phone

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City/Town – Prov/State – Postal/Zip Code

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\_\_\_\_\_  
Phone

**Collection of Information**

This information is being collected for the purposes of brand registry records in accordance with the *Livestock Identification and Commence Act* and the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*. Questions about the collection of this information can be directed to the Privacy Coordinator for the brand registry at LIS at 109, 264 Midpark Way SE Calgary Alberta, T2X 1J6. Phone (403) 509-2088 or (866) 509-2088

**Transfer Fee**

**Payment Method – Transfer Fee for each brand being transferred - \$52.50 (GST included)**

**Number of brands being transferred** \_\_\_\_\_ **Total transfer fees plus GST** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Cheque enclosed payable to “Livestock Identification Services Ltd.”

Charge to credit card  Mastercard  VISA

Card Number \_\_\_\_\_ Expiry Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name on Card \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Please mail the original Transfer, the relevant supporting documents and cheque, if applicable, to

Livestock Identification Services Ltd.  
#109, 264 Midpark Way S.E.  
Calgary, AB, Canada T2X 1J6

If you have any questions, please phone the Brand Registrar at **1-866-740-4105**

**PLEASE NOTE** The transferee(s) **does/do not** have the right to use the brand until the Transfer of Brand has been approved and the transferee(s) has/have been issued a Brand Certificate by the Brand Registrar.

## **INFORMATION AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THE CERTIFICATE OF VERIFICATION OF IDENTITY**

### **Information**

The person registered with the Brand Registry as the owner of the brand has the exclusive right to use the brand for the purposes of denoting ownership of the livestock or a livestock security interest in the livestock, as the case may be, until the registration of the brand is cancelled or transferred.

Identification is required to ensure that documentation affecting the rights of a registered brand owner is completed by the proper person to protect the registered brand owner.

Livestock Identification Services Ltd. (LIS) is subject to the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* and the collection, use, disclosure, retention and destruction of personal information by LIS are done in compliance with this Act.

### **Acceptable identity documents**

Acceptable personal identification documents must

- include a photograph
- be government issued
- be original, not a copy of the document
- indicate a unique identifier
- be valid (current) – not expired.

Acceptable forms of personal identification documents include

- a driver's license
- an identification card
- passport
- citizenship card
- Permanent Resident card
- Certificate of Indian Status card

Note If a brand owner does not have one of the listed identity documents please contact LIS and an alternate form will be provided.

### **Instructions to Commissioner for Oaths or Notary Public**

To complete the Certificate of Verification of Identity do the following

- Print your full name, town or city and province or state in the initial paragraph.
- Print the name of the person in paragraph 1 and the date the person appeared before you to complete this form.
- Request the original identity document from the person and compare the information on the identity document to the information on the form and to the person appearing before you.
- If the information and photograph match the information on the form and the person appearing before you, complete paragraph 2 by printing the name of the government entity that issued the identity document, the date the identity document was issued, the number of the identity document, the date it expires and the name of the person appearing before you.
- Print the day, month and year the Certificate is signed.
- Sign your name on the line provided and strike out which of the two capacities does not apply to you.
- Print your name on the line provided
- Print your phone number and full address on the lines provided.