

**APPLICATION FOR STANDARD BRED STALLION REGISTRATION**  
**UNDER THE HORSE RACING ACT OF 1975**

(Please Read Instructions Carefully Before Submitting Application)

To qualify a stallion for the first time, or under new ownership, with the Illinois Department of Agriculture's Standardbred Breeders Fund Program for the year 2010, please follow these instructions. **APPLICATION MUST BE SUBMITTED PRIOR TO COVERING MARES.** Eligibility of an Illinois stallion is contingent upon continued compliance with the Horse Racing Act of 1975 and the Rules of this program.

1. **ANNUAL APPLICATION FOR STALLION REGISTRATION** - Complete the enclosed Annual Application for Stallion Registration.
2. **U.S.T.A. CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION** - Submit the U.S.T.A. Certificate of Registration, which must reflect the current ownership of the stallion as recorded by that Association. We're sorry, but photocopies will not be accepted, you must send the original. We will return the Certificate to you by certified mail.
3. **PROOF AND RIGHT OF OWNERSHIP** - Attach to the Application items concerning proof and right of ownership of this stallion. If purchased on contract, attach agreement signed by both parties and notarized; or, submit unsigned agreement for approval of terms prior to executing contract - and subsequent acceptance by this office. If the stallion was paid for by check, attach canceled check. If paid for in cash, you must attach notarized statement from seller detailing transaction. If stallion was purchased at an auction sale, attach purchase receipt or canceled check. If stallion was a gift, attach notarized statement of such from previous owner. If trade was involved, prepare notarized statement, giving name and description of animal(s), services and/or property involved and appraised value of same.

Attach copy of, or give any information as to any agreement or understanding regarding repurchase by the previous owner, free or reduced service fees, or any concessions whatsoever to that person. If none exist, you must so state. You must submit original documents, they will be returned to you. Please be advised that all purchase documents must reflect a legitimate ownership in the stallion by an Illinois resident(s).

4. **OWNERSHIP REQUIREMENTS** - The enclosed Ownership Affidavit requesting the owner name(s), address(es), the date(s) owner Illinois residency was established and percentage(s) of ownership, must be completed, notarized, and filed with the Application. Under the provisions of the Law, the stallion must be owned by a resident(s) of the State of Illinois, such owner(s) having been a resident(s) for a period of at least 12 months prior to the date of Illinois registration of such stallion. PLEASE NOTE: AFTER FILING THE ANNUAL APPLICATION FOR STALLION REGISTRATION, THE OWNER MUST PROVIDE IMMEDIATE NOTIFICATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ANY CHANGES IN OWNERSHIP OR OWNER ADDRESS.
5. **STALLIONS OWNED BY ILLINOIS CORPORATIONS** - If the stallion is owned by an Illinois Corporation, copies of the Articles of Incorporation as filed with the Secretary of State's Office must be submitted with the Application. The Articles must - through a filed Amendment, or an agreement signed by all shareholders - include a clause that sale of stock to out-of-state residents is prohibited.

**ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**

**NEW STANDARDBRED STALLIONS**

**or**

**CHANGE IN OWNERSHIP FROM PREVIOUS YEAR**

1. Complete and submit the APPLICATION FOR STALLION CERTIFICATION.
2. Submit the **original** U.S.T.A. Certificate.
3. Complete and submit the Illinois STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP which lists the owners, their addresses and percentages of ownership. **This form must be notarized.**
4. If the stallion is leased, this section needs to be completed and the lessee must also sign the application. **The application will not be accepted without the signature of the stallion owner and the lessee if applicable.**
5. You must return the completed application and all other pertinent information before servicing any mares.

Return To:

**RETURN THIS FORM TO:**

ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
BUREAU OF COUNTY FAIRS & HORSE RACING  
STATE FAIRGROUNDS, P.O. BOX 19281  
SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS 62794-9281

If you have any questions regarding the application, please call (217) 785-0105 or email [sherri.powell@illinois.gov](mailto:sherri.powell@illinois.gov)

**ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**

**STALLION RENEWAL FOR 2010**

**INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARING AND SUBMITTING A STANDARD BRED RENEWAL  
STALLION APPLICATION FOR LICENSE UNDER THE HORSE RACING ACT OF 1975**

To renew the license of your stallion with the Illinois Department of Agriculture Standardbred Breeders Fund Program for the 2010 breeding season, it will be necessary for you to follow these instructions:

1. Complete the enclosed Application for Stallion Certification. Please review the preprinted information for its correctness, make any necessary corrections, sign the back page of the application and if you wish list your stallion's 2010 fee which is printed in the Department's "Illinois Stallion Listing."
2. If the stallion is leased, the lessee must also sign the application. **The renewal application will not be accepted without the signature of the stallion owner and the lessee if applicable.**
3. Complete the STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP.
4. **Return both pages by December 31, 2009. Renewal applications not submitted by that date shall be subject to monetary penalties.**

Per the Illinois Horse Racing Act of 1975. The late filing penalty for the late filing of a Renewal Application for Stallion Certification (Due before January 1<sup>st</sup>) is as follows:

1 - 30 days late . . . . .	\$ 50.00
31 - 45 days late . . . . .	\$150.00
more than 45 days late . . . . .	\$250.00

IF THERE HAS BEEN ANY CHANGE IN THE OWNERSHIP OF THIS STALLION, YOU MUST CONTACT THIS OFFICE IMMEDIATELY.

IF OWNERSHIP WILL CHANGE FOR 2010 CONTACT THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION IS REQUIRED ALONG WITH THE APPLICATION.

**RETURN THESE FORMS TO:**

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
HORSE RACING PROGRAM  
P.O. BOX 19281  
SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS 62794-9281  
(Street address 801 E. Sangamon Avenue, Springfield, IL 62702)

If you have any questions regarding the application, please call (217) 785-0105.

\* PLEASE READ AND RETAIN \*

## **ILLINOIS STANDARD BRED BREEDERS FUND PROGRAM STALLION RULES**

### **NEW AND RENEWAL CERTIFICATION RULES:**

***I Understand*** - In order for a stallion's foal to be registered as Illinois conceived and foaled, any person who desires to stand the stallion for service shall, before standing or offering the stallion for service, certify the stallion with the Department.

***I Understand*** - That the stallion will be standing for service within the State of Illinois and will not stand for service at any place outside the State of Illinois during the calendar year in which the foal is conceived.

***I Understand*** - In order for a stallion's foal to be registered as Illinois Conceived and Foaled, a person offering or standing the stallion for service shall maintain a complete breeding record and a report submitted to the Department by September 1 of each year, showing all mares bred, each mare's tattoo number, first and last breeding dates and the name and address of the owner(s).

Renewal certification of registered Illinois stallions must be completed each year by December 31 to remain eligible for the upcoming year.

### **NOTIFICATION OF DESIRE TO MOVE STALLION:**

***I Understand*** - The owners or their authorized representative must notify the Department prior to the stallion leaving the location where he is certified.

### **NOTIFICATION OF SALE OR TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP OF STALLION:**

***I Understand*** - The Department must receive notification of transfer of ownership of a certified stallion within 10 days after the sale or transfer.

***I Understand*** - In order for new owners to have a foal registered as Illinois conceived and foaled, they must certify the stallion, before standing or offering the stallion for service, with the Department.

***I Understand*** - The stallion may not be used for breeding purposes outside the State of Illinois during the remainder of the calendar year for which the stallion was certified as an Illinois stallion.

**I UNDERSTAND THAT ANY VIOLATION OF THESE STALLION CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS OR DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE STALLION REGULATIONS MAY RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION FROM THE ILLINOIS STANDARD BRED BREEDERS FUND CONCEIVED AND FOALED PROGRAM OF ANY FOALS Sired BY THIS STALLION DURING THE YEAR FOR WHICH LICENSED.**

If you have any questions, please contact me at 217/785-0105 or e-mail me at [sherri.powell@illinois.gov](mailto:sherri.powell@illinois.gov).

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Horse Racing Programs**

6. **LEASED STALLIONS** - In the event that the stallion is leased, lessee must be a resident of the State of Illinois, and provide copy of signed and notarized formal lease document to be placed in stallion's file. Terms of the lease must encompass the current year registration and include both an inception and termination date. Both signatures, owner's and lessee's, are required on the Application.
7. **SYNDICATED STALLIONS** - NOTE: If the stallion is, or will be, syndicated - please contact this office.
8. **MOVEMENT OF STALLIONS** - IF THE LOCATION OF THE STALLION IS TO CHANGE FOR ANY REASON - OR ANY PERIOD OF TIME - AFTER THE APPLICATION HAS BEEN FILED, IT IS THE OWNER'S OR LESSEE'S RESPONSIBILITY TO PROVIDE IMMEDIATE NOTIFICATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THAT CHANGE. If the reported standing location is to change, a new Stallion Eligibility Certificate will be issued and delivered by a Department investigator. The registration of a stallion for a given year is not complete until such horse has been identified at, and the Stallion Eligibility Certificate delivered to, the reported standing location.
9. **STALLIONS IN TRAINING OR RACING** - If you plan to train or race the stallion during the year for which he is registered with the Department of Agriculture as a breeding stallion, you must notify the Department of your intent and this office must be apprized of his whereabouts. Permission must be obtained if you are racing him out of the State of Illinois. Under no circumstances should he service mares at any location other than the reported standing location.
10. **TRANSPORTED FRESH SEMEN.** Transporting fresh semen from Illinois-registered stallions is allowed provided both the mare and stallion are in Illinois at the time of collection and insemination and the Illinois Department of Agriculture is properly notified. You will find a procedures sheet enclosed, as well as a sample of the Transported Fresh Semen Report form the Department employs. If you plan to transport semen from your Illinois stallion, please advise the mare owner/manager of his/her responsibility in filing these forms with the Department. Additional Report forms are available upon request.
11. **Return the completed Application, and other pertinent information before January 1, 2010, or prior to breeding any mares to:**

**HORSE RACING PROGRAM  
ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
STATE FAIRGROUNDS - P.O. BOX 19281  
SPRINGFIELD, IL 62794-9281  
(217) 782-4231 ☆ FAX: (217) 524-6194**

12. If you have any questions please call the Department.