



Guidelines for Selling Registered Galloway Cattle

When selling an animal the vendor has a responsibility to ensure that he provides the purchaser with as much information on the animal(s) being purchased and therefore should:

- Give the Purchaser a copy of the Registration Certificate of the animal to be purchased. If the animal is not registered, have a copy of the Registration Certificate of the sire and of the dam available.
- Check the tattoo of the animal and confirm it is the same as that recorded on the Registration Certificate.
- If selling a female in calf, give the purchaser written details of the depasture dates or AI dates and the identity of the sire. Consider having a pregnancy test done. Any depasture or AI details must be noted on the Transfer Form.
- If selling a bull, consider having a veterinary report done to confirm the bull is reproductively sound.
- Give a warranty that animals that do not breed will be replaced or purchase price will be refunded.
- If selling semen or embryos, give the purchaser a signed Semen Sire Permit or Embryo Transfer Permit signed by the owner of both the dam and the sire of the embryos.
- If selling a Miniature Galloway, the animal must be measured and the height recorded on the Hip Height Recording form. This form must be sent to the AGA office with the Registration Certificate for the transfer to be processed.
- Give the purchaser details of the animal's health treatments (vaccinations, drenching, etc).
- Animals must have NLIS Tags, and the vendor should obtain the purchasers' Property Identification Code in order to transfer the animals for NLIS purposes. A record should be kept of the NLIS numbers of the animals sold.
- If the animal is to be collected at a later date, draw up an agreement about agistment and at who's risk the animal is held.



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- If the animal is to be delivered, obtain clear delivery instructions and establish who will be responsible for the cost of delivery.
- All Transfer Forms should be lodged with the Association within 30 days from the date of sale.
- It is normal practice for the vendor to pay the transfer fee, however it is recommended that this be confirmed at the time of purchase.

Any disputes regarding the identity of the animal(s) purchased, breeding details or the payment of transfer fees, should be resolved between the purchaser and the vendor. Written information may help reduce the possibility of misunderstandings in the future.