APPLICATION FOR LIVESTOCK PACKER LICENSE

(Please Verify and Fill In Proper Information)

License Fee:			**$150.00**
Business Name:		**Owner Name:**	
Physical Address:		**Mailing Address:**	
Business Phone:		**Owner Phone:**	
Cell Phone:		**Emergency Number:**	
Fax Number:		**E-Mail Address:**	

List number needed: _____Plates _____Stickers

List the plate numbers you currently have and the number of vehicles used in transporting livestock:

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All trucks, trailers, or other conveyances used by livestock dealers to transport livestock must be accompanied by a copy of the license and livestock dealer number plate. Plate must be attached to the rear of each trailer.

Prior to issuance of a license, all new applicants will be inspected by a member of the Agency's field staff.

Please send payment of $150.00, signed application form, and proof of surety bond to:

Vermont Agency of Agriculture
Business Office L&R
116 State St
Montpelier VT 05620-2901

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Yes_____ No____ If Yes, provide details:

Is the applicant a representative of another person or business entity whose livestock packer license was suspended or revoked by any state, including Vermont, or any foreign country?
Yes ____ No____ If Yes, please provide details:

Please state whether or not, the applicant, any person or business represented by the applicant, agent of the applicant, or anyone involved in the applicant's business has ever been convicted of violating statutes or regulations of any state or the federal government pertaining to the sale or transportation of livestock, or the control of livestock diseases.
Yes _____ No _____ If Yes, please provide details:

READ THIS SECTION PRIOR TO SIGNING APPLICATION FORM BELOW

By Signing This License You Certify That You Are In Good Standing with the Requirements Below. If You Certify Falsely That You Are In Good Standing You May Be Subject To Prosecution.

By law (15 V.S.A. Section 795), the State may not renew a license for trade or business unless the licensee first certifies that he or she is in good standing with any order to pay child support.

By law (32 V.S.A. Sec. 3113), the State may not renew a license for business or trade unless the licensee certifies, under the pains and penalties of perjury, that he/she is in good standing with the Department of Taxes. The maximum penalties for perjury are fifteen (15) years in prison, a $10,000 fine or both.

Good standing means:
- that no taxes are due;
- the liability is on appeal;
- the licensee is complying with a State authorized payment plan; or
- the immediate payment would cause unreasonable hardship. (If you are claiming hardship, please contact the licensing agency for further information.)

For further information, the licensee should contact the Department of Taxes at (802) 828-2518.

I hereby make application for a Livestock Packer license as required by Title 6 V.S.A., Chapter 63 Vermont Statutes as amended to buy, sell, auction and transport livestock. License period begins July 1 and ends June 30 of the following year. I hereby agree payment in full will be made to the seller not later than 72 hours following the sale of animals. This application is accompanied by a Surety Bond in the amount of $10,000 or Continuation Certificate for an indefinite term bond as prescribed in Title 6 V.S.A, Chapter 63, Section 764 as amended in 1989. In lieu of a surety bond, the Secretary may accept a federal packer and stockyards administration trust agreement, or an irrevocable letter of credit. The Secretary of Agriculture, reserves the right to request such further information as he deems necessary to act upon the applicant's request for a livestock packers license. I have been provided with and understand Rules Governing the Importation of Domestic Animals and Duties of Packers 6 V.S.A. Chapter 63, Section 768.

I hereby certify that the above information is correct, that I am in good standing with respect to any obligation for child support, and that under the pains and penalties of perjury that I am in good standing with respect to all taxes due to the State of Vermont.

Date: _____ **Signature: _____**