

MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION
AMERICAN BRAHMAN BREEDERS ASSOCIATION
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MEMBERSHIP QUALIFICATIONS:

(a) **ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP** - An active member shall be a person, partnership, corporation, firm, trust or setate of reputable character who has paid such membership dues and any other membership fees as may be established by the Board of Directors.

(b) **DESIGNATED REPRESENTATIVE** - Partnership, corporation or estate upon becoming Active Members or Associate Members shall promptly notify the Secretary of the Association in writing, the name of the person authorized to represent their respective organization, and such designated person shall have all the rights, priviliges and consideration of an individual member of the respective membership class.

(c) **MEMBERSHIP NAME LIMITED TO 30 CHARACTERS**

METHOD OF APPROVAL:

Application for membership shall be in writing on forms designed for such purpose and furnished by the Recording Secretary of the Association. For favorable consideration, an applicant must be of good character and in the opinion of the Board of Directors, be a prospective bonafide breeder. Members shall be admitted by a majority vote of the directors present at any regular or special meeting of the Board of Directors. If an application should be rejected by the Board of Directors, the applicant may submit his application at the next annual membership meeting of the Association, when such application shall be approved or rejected by majority of the members present and voting.

ADVANTAGES OF MEMBERSHIP:

Members through their Board of Directors and participation in the ANnual Meeting, control the As-sociation. The Annual Meeting at which members elect their Board of Directors is held each year, usually in Houston, Texas, in the month of March.

TRANSFER OF MEMBERSHIP:

A member may transfer his membership to an Active Brahman Breeder only if he sells to the new owner of the cattle ranch (or membership) name and said name will continue to be used to register and transfer cattle, and further provided that said member makes an affidavit that he has retired from his business of breeding Brahmans. If a partnership shall dissolve, any partner shall be entitled to membership upon the payment of a membership fee. The partnership may be transferred to any partner, an in case of dissolution of the partnership by death, the partnership membership may be transferred to the surviving partner or heirs of the deceased upon presentation of acceptable evidence that such transfer can be made. The administrator or executor of an estate of a member may register animals at membership rates.

ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP \$100.00

PLEASE WRITE IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN OUR F-1 PROGRAM

COMPLETE OTHER SIDE OF THIS APPLICATION AND MAIL

Application is hereby made for membership in the American Brahman Breeders Association to be issued in the name of

If elected, I/we agree to be governed by the rules, regulations, constitution and by-laws of the Association as amended from time to time and to keep a written memorandum of breeding and exact birthdates of my/our Brahman cattle: and further that I/we will furnish promptly any information concerning same at any time requested to do so by the Association.

A remittance of _____ (\$100.00) is enclosed for payment of membership fees.

*Signature of one ABBA Member. Recommended by:

1. _____

*Should the applicant be personally unknown to any member of the Association and therefore not endorsed by person signature of member above, then the personal signature of City, Town or County officials or Banker may be sufficient. Persons signing other than members should indicate their official position.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT

STREET OR ROUTE AND BOX NUMBER

CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE

OFFICE PHONE AC _____ NO. _____

RESIDENCE TELEPHONE AC _____ NO. _____

RANCH TELEPHONE AC _____ NO. _____

FAX NO. _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

I own registered Brahmans: No. Bulls _____ No. Cows _____

My Registered Cattle are: Gray _____ Red _____ Both _____

I do _____ do not _____ have commercial cattle. _____ 50 cows _____ 100 cows _____ over 100 cows

Principal breeds used: 1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____

Holding brand or brands _____

Location of Holding brand on animal _____ Location of ID no. on animal _____

Directions to ranch _____

Ranch Manager's name _____ Phone _____

NOTICE TO FIRMS AND COMPANIES: When a firm applies for membership, the firm name should be given on the face of the application, and below, **each member** of the partnership or corporation should write his **individual signature**.

Please sketch your membership brand in the box to the right. This image will be scanned into our system and be printed on your registration certificates.

