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Subject: - Weaning / branding of newly born lambs for the year 2017-18 & submission of information thereof.

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Since the weaning operation of newly born lambs has fallen over due but it has been observed that some of the farm officers have not conducted the operation as yet.

Further as per departmental practice weaners are to be branded at the time of weaning but it has been observed that some farm officer keep the operation of branding pending for months together on one or the other pretext which at times leads to misbranding among livestock groups of both sexes.

Therefore it is impressed upon all farm officers to complete both the operations as early as possible and submit the weaning statement as well as branding list to this office well before 10th of August 2018.

To keep a proper account of performance of weaning operations at various sheep/Goat breeding Farms at this Directorate, summary as mentioned below be incorporated at the end of weaning statement

Particulars	Male	Female	Total
Total No. of lambs born			
No. of lambs decreased before weaning (with details of decrease)			
Mortality % from birth to weaning			
No. of lambs weaned			
Weaning %			
Maximum Weaning weight			
Minimum weaning weight			
Average weaning weight			
No. of weaners having above average weaning weight			
No. of weaners having below average weaning weight			

The failure in furnishing the above information within stipulated time shall be considered as poor performance and reflected in the APR's of the defaulting officers & any emergence of duplicate brand number/unbranded animals, later on, shall be at risk and responsibility of officer concerned.

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Director

Sheep Husbandry Department,
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No: - DSHK/Tech/2017-18/ Lambing/ 4448-57

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Copy of the above for information and necessary action: -

1. Joint Director Farms Sheep Husbandry Department Kashmir
- 2-3. Deputy. Director Sheep Breeding Farm Dachigam/Daksum.
- 4-9-. Assistant Director S B F Poshnar/ Goabal/ Kralpathri/Hardshiva/ Zawoora.
- 10-11 Officer Incharge SBF Kewa / Goat Farm Arindardpora.

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