American Lamb Checkoff: How it Works



LIVE WEIGHT ASSESSMENT \$.007/LB

Paid to lamb purchaser by seller at the time of each sale

PAID BY:

- Producers
- Feeders
- Seedstock producers
- Exporters
- Direct marketers

COLLECTION PROCESS:

Auctions

- 1. Collect live weight and first handler assessments
- 2. Remit to ALB

Sales. Fairs & Shows

1. Sale managers, fair boards and 4-H/FFA clubs can collect and remit directly to ALB

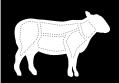
OR

2. Deduct and pass through to the buyer, who becomes the first handler who is responsible for remitting both assessments to ALB

Exporters

1. Remit to ALB at the time of export





FIRST HANDLER ASSESSMENT

\$.42/Head

First Handler is the owner of the animal at time of slaughter, such as packer, processor or direct marketer

PAID BY:

- Packer/processors
- Direct marketers
- Any individuals, groups, partnerships, cooperatives or other legal entities that own the animals at the time of slaughter

COLLECTION PROCESS:

Packers/Processors

- 1. Collect live weight assessments from sellers
- 2. Add first handler assessments
- 3. Remit both to ALB

Direct Marketers

- 1. Pay both live weight and first handler assessments
- 2. Remit directly to ALB



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