

# Brand Certificate Application

## Overview

This service allows Livestock Keepers to apply for a brand certificate which is used for identification of their livestock as well as for proof of ownership in line with the Branding of Cattle Act CAP 36:02. The service involves new registration, renewal and transfer of the brand certificate. Brand certificates are valid for 10 years.

## Who is eligible?

- Citizens
- Non-citizens
- Companies

## How do I get this service?

- Applicants should visit the office with the relevant supporting documents and pay the applicable fee to the officer present at the District Office.
- The brand certificate will then be issued to the applicant.

## What supporting documents are required?

- A valid national identification card (Omang) or a birth certificate for under 16 years citizens.
- A valid resident permit and valid passport for non-citizens.
- A valid Company's Registration certificate for companies.

## How long will this service take?

In Gaborone or at Assistant Registrar designated district offices, the brand certificate can be issued in thirty (30) minutes and five (5) working days for other district offices.

## How much does it cost?

- BWP 10.00 for keeper registration. (see Livestock Registration)
- BWP 50.00 for a new application, renewal, transfer or additional copy.

## Where can I get more information on this Service

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PRINCIPAL VETERINARY OFFICER P O BOX 4 Molepolole TEL; 5820304/689 DIRECT: 592 0296/5921296 FAX: 5920684/300	PRINCIPAL VETERINARY OFFICER P O BOX 223 Letlhakeng TEL: 5943 034/217	PRINCIPAL VETERINARY OFFICER (A) P O BOX 1159 Francistown TEL: 241 4499 FAX; 241 4427	Artesia Vet Office TEL: 575 0802
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