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| 1. [Verify name and mailing address of this operation. Make any corrections necessary (including the correct operation name) on the label and continue.] | [Check if name label verified] |

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| 2. Were any **sheep, lambs, goats or kids**, regardless of ownership:  (Include Barbados and all hair breed sheep.)  - on this operation on **January** **1**, **2016**?  - on this operation at any time during **2015**?  - or will there be any on this operation at any time during **2016**? | |  |
| **Yes** [Go to **Item 3*.***] | **No** [Go to **Item 2a*.***] |  |
| a. Were you (the individual named on the label) operating a farm or ranch  on January 1, 2016? | |  |
| **Yes** [Go to **Section 4*.***] | **No** [Go to **Section 3*.***] | |

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| 3. Are the day-to-day decisions for this **operation** made by  one individual, a hired manager, or partners? [Check one] | |  |  |  |
|  | One individual *–* [Go to **Section 1.**]  A hired manager *–* [Go to **Section 1.**]  Partners – How many partners make the day-to-day decisions? |  |  | **Number of Partners** |
| [Enter number of partners, including the partner named on the label. Identify the other person(s) in this partnership in the boxes on the next page, then continue with **Section 1*.***] . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | | | |  |

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| 4. | Please identify the other person(s) in this partnership, then *continue.*  [Verify partners’ names and make necessary corrections if names have already been entered.] | | | | | | | | |  |  |
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|  | Did this partner operate land individually on June 1, 2015? | | | | | | | |  |  |  |
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|  | Did this partner operate land individually on June 1, 2015? | | | | | | |  |  |  |
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|  | Did this partner operate land individually on June 1, 2015? | | | | | | |  |  |  |
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|  | Did this partner operate land individually on June 1, 2015? | | | | | | | | |  |  |  |
|  | **Yes**  **No** | |  |  | | |  | | |  |  |  |

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| **Section 1 - Sheep and Lambs** |

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| 1. On January 1, 2016 were any sheep or lambs, regardless of ownership, on this operation?  (Include Barbados and all hair breed sheep. Sheep and lambs on grazing land leased on a fee per head or animal unit month (AUM) basis should be included by the sheep owner, excluded by the land owner.) | | | |
| **Yes** – [Go to **Item 2.**] | | **No** – [Go to **Item 1a**.] | |
| a. Will there be any sheep or lambs, regardless of ownership, on this operation at any time during 2016? | | | |
|  | 1 **Yes** = 1 2 **Don’t Know** = 2 3 **No** = 3 | | 494 |

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| b. Were any sheep or lambs, regardless of ownership, on this operation at any time during 2015? | | |
|  | **Yes** – [Go to **Item5.**] | **No** – [Go to **Section 2.**] |

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| **Sheep and Lambs for Breeding** | | |
| 2. Of the sheep and lambs for breeding, regardless of ownership,  on this operation on January 1, how many were: | | |
| a. Ewes 1 year old and older?. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | **+** | 281 |
| b. Rams 1 year old and older?. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | **+** | 282 |
| c. Replacement lambs less than 1 year old (including unweaned lambs kept for breeding)?. . . . . | **+** | 285 |

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| **Sheep and Lambs for Market** | | |
| 3. Of the sheep and lambs for market, regardless of ownership,  on this operation on January 1, how many were: | | |
| a. Market lambs less than 1 year old and: |  |  |
| (i) Under 65 pounds (including unweaned market lambs)?. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | **+** | 836 |
| (ii) 65 to 84 pounds?. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | **+** | 837 |
| (iii) 85 to 105 pounds?. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | **+** | 838 |
| (iv) Over 105 pounds?. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | **+** | 839 |
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| b. Market sheep 1 year old and older (not used for breeding)?. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | **+** | 287 |

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| **Total Sheep and Lambs** | | |
| 4. [Add Items 2a through 3b and verify total.] | | |
| Then the total sheep and lambs on hand January 1 was:. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | **=** | 280 |
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| **Section 1 - Sheep and Lambs - Continued** |

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| **Lamb Crop for** **2015**  (Include lambs born on grazing land leased on a fee per head or animal unit month (AUM) basis.) | |
| 5. How many lambs were born on this operation during 2015? (Exclude lambs born dead.). . . . . . . . . . . | 288 |
| **Deaths and Losses During** **2015**  (Include sheep and lambs that died or were lost on grazing land leased on a fee per head or animal unit month (AUM) basis.) |  |
| 6. How many lambs died or were lost from all causes during 2015? (Exclude lambs born dead.). . . . . . . | 270 |
| 7. How many sheep died or were lost from all causes during 2015?. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 271 |

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| **Wool Production in 2015**  (Report sheep and lambs only once if sheared both Spring and Fall.) | | | | |
| 8. How many sheep and lambs (breeding & market) were shorn in2015?. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | | | **Head** | 215 |
| a. How many pounds of wool were shorn from these  sheep and lambs in 2015? (Include tags.). . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | | | **Pounds** | 216 |
|  | Or – Average weight per fleece | 217 | .\_\_ |  |

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| **Wool Price in** **2015** |  |  |
| 9. What was the average price received per pound for wool sold in 2015?  (Include marketing charges for commisions, coring, and grading) . . . . . . . . . . . | **Dollars and Cents** | 296  \_\_\_ \_\_\_ |

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| **Inventory Values for Sheep & Lambs on Hand on** **January 1,** **2016** | |  |
| 10. What is the average value per head of the following: (Report to nearest dollar) | |  |
| a. Breeding ewes 1 year old and older?. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | $ | 680 |
| b. Breeding rams 1 year old and older?. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | $ | 681 |
| c. Breeding replacement lambs less than 1 year old?. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | $ | 679 |
| d. Market lambs less than 1 year old?. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | $ | 845 |
| e. Market sheep 1 year old and older?. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | $ | 846 |
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| **Slaughter for Consumption by this Operation** (regardless of ownership) |

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|  |  | **Lambs** | **Sheep** |
| 11. During 2015, how many lambs and sheep were custom slaughtered at commercial establishments **for consumption by this operation**?. . . . . . . . . . . |  | 1206 | 1205 |

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| 12. During 2015, how many lambs and sheep were slaughtered on this operation **for consumption by this operation**?. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . |  | 1201 | 1202 |

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| Include mobile slaughtering.  Exclude custom slaughter at commercial establishments. |  |  |  |

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|  | **Office Use** | |
|  | 1 – Incomplete, has sheep or lambs  2 – Incomplete, presence of sheep or lambs unknown | 291 |
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| **Section 2 - Goats and Kids** |

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| 1. On January 1, 2016 were any goats or kids, regardless of ownership, on this operation? | | | |  |
| **Yes** – [Go to **Item 2.**] | | **No** – [Go to **Item 1a**.] | | |
| a. Will there be goats or kids, regardless of ownership, on this operation at any time during 2016? | | | | |
|  | 1 **Yes** = 1 2 **Don’t Know** = 2 3 **No** = 3 | | 1171 | |
| b. Were any goats or kids, regardless of ownership, on this operation at any time during 2015? | | | | | |
|  | **Yes** – [Go to **Item5.**] | **No** – [Go to **Section 4.**] | | | |

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| 2. **Goats & Kids for Breeding** – Of the goats and kids for breeding, regardless of ownership, on this operation on January 1, how many were: | | | |  |  |
| (\*\* Report based on utilization regardless of breed \*\*) |  | **Angora** | | **Milk** | **Meat & Other** |
| a. Does 1 year old and older?. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | + | 1172 | | 1180 | 1186 |
| b. Bucks 1 year old and older?. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | + | 1175 | | 1181 | 1187 |
| c. Replacement kids less than 1 year old?. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | + | 1176 | | 1182 | 1188 |
| 3. **Goats & Kids for Market** – Of the goats and kids for market, regardless of ownership, on this operation on January 1, how many were: | | |  |  |  |
| a. Market kids less than 1 year old?. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | + | 1177 | | 1183 | 1189 |
| b. Market goats 1 year old and older (not used for breeding)? | + | 1178 | | 1184 | 1190 |
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| 4. **Total Goats & Kids** | = | 1179 | | 1185 | 1191 |
| [Add Items 2a through 3b and verify.]  Then the total goats and kids on hand January 1 was:. . . . . . . |

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| **Kid Crop for 2015** | **Angora** | **Milk** | **Meat & Other** |
| 5. How many kids were born on this operation during 2015? (Exclude kids born dead.). . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 1101 | 1104 | 1107 |

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| **Deaths and Losses During 2015** | **Angora** | **Milk** | **Meat & Other** |
| 6. How many kids died or were lost from all causes **before** being weaned during 2015: (Exclude kids born dead.). . . . . . . . . . . . . | xxx | xxx | xxx |
| 7. How many kids died or were lost from all causes **after** being weaned during 2015?. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | xxx | xxx | xxx |
| 8. How many goats died or were lost from all causes during 2015?. | 1103 | 1106 | 1109 |

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| **Inventory Values for Goats and Kids on Hand on January 1, 2016** | | | | | | |
| 9. What is the average value per head of the following: (Report to nearest dollar) | | | | | | |
|  |  | **Angora** |  | **Milk** |  | **Meat & Other** |
| a. Breeding does 1 year old and older?. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | $ | 1120 | $ | 1125 | $ | 1130 |
| b. Breeding bucks 1 year old and older?. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | $ | 1121 | $ | 1126 | $ | 1131 |
| c. Breeding replacement kids less than 1 year old?. . . . . . | $ | 1122 | $ | 1127 | $ | 1132 |
| d. Market kids less than 1 year old?. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | $ | 1123 | $ | 1128 | $ | 1133 |
| e. Market goats 1 year old and older?. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | $ | 1124 | $ | 1129 | $ | 1134 |

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| **Section 2 - Goats and Kids - continued** |

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| **Slaughter for Consumption by this Operation** (regardless of ownership) |

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|  |  | **Kids** | **Goats** |
| 10. During 2015, how many kids and goats were custom slaughtered at commercial establishments **for consumption by this operation**?. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . |  | 1208 | 1207 |

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| 11. During 2015, how many kids and goats were slaughtered on this operation **for consumption by this operation**?. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . |  | 1203 | 1204 |

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| Include mobile slaughtering.  Exclude custom slaughter at commercial establishments. |  |  |  |

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| **Mohair Production in 2015** (Report goats and kids only once if clipped both Spring and Fall.) | | | | | |
| 12. How many Angora goats and kids were clipped in 2015?. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | | | | **Head** | 278 |
| a. How many pounds of mohair were clipped from these  Angora goats and kids in 2015? (Include tags.). . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | | | **Pounds** | | 279 |
|  | Or – Average weight per fleece | 205 | **.** \_\_ | |  |

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| **Mohair Price in 2015** | | | |
| 13. What was the average price received per pound for mohair sold in 2015?  (Include marketing charges for commissions, coring, and grading.). . . . . . . . . . . . | **Dollars and cents** | 297 | **.** \_\_ \_\_ |

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|  | 3 – Valid Zero |  |

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| **Section 2 - Goats and Kids - continued** |

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| **Deaths and Losses During 2015**  (Include goats and kids that died or were lost on grazing land leased on a fee per head or animal unit month (AUM) basis.) |  | How many **kids** died or were lost from all causes **before** being weaned during 2015? | How many **kids** died or were lost from all causes **after** being weaned during 2015? | How many **goats** died or were lost from all causes during 2015? |
| 14. Report the number of kids or goats that died or were lost from all causes for the following:. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | = | xxx | xxx | xxx |

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| **[If the total in Item 14 was zero, go to Section 3; otherwise, continue. The total for Item 14 should equal the total**  **reported for Items 6, 7, and 8.]** |

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| 15. Of the (item 14) kids or goats that died or were lost, how many were lost from the following causes in 2015? |

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| **Predator Causes** |  | **Kids before**  **being weaned** | **Kids after**  **being weaned** | **Goats** |
| a. Bears . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | + | xxx | xxx | xxx |
| b. Bobcats or Lynx . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | + | xxx | xxx | xxx |
| c. Coyotes . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | + | xxx | xxx | xxx |
| d. Dogs . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | + | xxx | xxx | xxx |
| e. Foxes . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | + | xxx | xxx | xxx |
| f. Mountain lions, cougars, or pumas . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | + | xxx | xxx | xxx |
| g. Wolves . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | + | xxx | xxx | xxx |
| h. Vultures . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | + | xxx | xxx | xxx |
| i. Ravens . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | + | xxx | xxx | xxx |
| j. Feral pigs . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | + | xxx | xxx | xxx |
| k. Eagles . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | + | xxx | xxx | xxx |
| l. Other known predator causes (specify: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_) | + | xxx | xxx | xxx |
| m. Other unknown predator causes . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | + | xxx | xxx | xxx |

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|  |  | **Kids before**  **being weaned** | **Kids after**  **being weaned** | **Goats** |
| **Non–Predator Causes** | + | xxx | xxx | xxx |
| n. Enterotoxemia (overeating) . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | + | xxx | xxx | xxx |
| o. Internal parasites. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | + | xxx | xxx | xxx |
| p. Other digestive problems (bloat, scours,  acidosis, etc.). . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | + | xxx | xxx | xxx |
| q. Respiratory problems. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | + | xxx | xxx | xxx |
| r. Metabolic problems (milk fever, etc.). . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | + | xxx | xxx | xxx |
| s. Other disease problems (mastitis, foot rot, etc.). . . . . . . . . . . . . | + | xxx | xxx | xxx |
| t. Weather related (chilling, drowning, lightning, etc.) . . . . . . . . . . | + | xxx | xxx | xxx |
| u. Starvation . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | + | xxx | xxx | xxx |
| v. Kidding problems . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | + | xxx | xxx | xxx |
| w. Pregnancy toxemia . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | + | xxx | xxx | xxx |
| x. Poisoning (nitrate, noxious feeds, noxious weeds, etc.). . . . . . . | + | xxx | xxx | xxx |
| y. Theft (stolen). . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | + | xxx | xxx | xxx |
| z. Other non-predator causes  (lameness, etc.) (specify: . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . ) | + | xxx | xxx | xxx |
| aa. Found dead (cause undetermined) . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | + | xxx | xxx | xxx |
| bb. Unknown non-predator causes . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | + | xxx | xxx | xxx |

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| **Section 2 - Goats and Kids - continued** |

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|  | **Head** |
| 16. During 2015, how many bred does were on this operation?. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | xxx |

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|  | **Head** |
| 17. Of the (Item 16) bred does, how many aborted (stillborn, mummified, fetuses) during 2015?. . . . . . . . | xxx |

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|  |  | **Kids before**  **being weaned** | **Kids after**  **being weaned** | **Goats** |
| 18. How many kids and goats were **injured but not killed** by predators during 2015? |  | xxx | xxx | xxx |

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| 19.Which of the following nonlethal methods did you use to prevent wildlife-caused losses on your  goat operation during 2015? |

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| a. Guard dogs for goats. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | | | xxx | 1  Yes 3  No |
| b. Llamas for guarding goats. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | | | xxx | 1  Yes 3  No |
| c. Donkeys for guarding goats. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | | | xxx | 1  Yes 3  No |
| d. Fencing (predator exclusion fencing). . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | | | xxx | 1  Yes 3  No |
| e. Kid shed. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | | | xxx | 1  Yes 3  No |
| f. Herding. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | | | xxx | 1  Yes 3  No |
| g. Night penning. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | | | xxx | 1  Yes 3  No |
| h. Fright tactics. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | | | xxx | 1  Yes 3  No |
| i. Removing carrion. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | | | xxx | 1  Yes 3  No |
| j. Culling older goats to prevent death loss. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | | | xxx | 1  Yes 3  No |
| k. Changing bedding grounds. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | | | xxx | 1  Yes 3  No |
| l. More frequent checks in high predation areas/seasons. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | | | xxx | 1  Yes 3  No |
| m. Altered breeding season so kids are not born when predators  such as coyotes are feeding their young. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | | | xxx | 1  Yes 3  No |
| n. Other nonlethal (specify: |  | ) | xxx | 1  Yes 3  No |

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| **Section 2 - Goats and Kids - continued** |

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| 20. Did you spend any money on **nonlethal** predator-control measures for goats and kids during 2015? |  |
| xxx  1  Yes – [Continue] 3  No – [Go to Item 21] |  |

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|  | Dollars |
| a. How much was spent on goats and kids for **nonlethal** predator-control measures  by this operation during 2015? . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | xxx |

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| 21. Did you spend any money on **lethal** predator-control measures for goats and kids  during 2015? | |  |
| xxx | 1  Yes – [Continue] 3  No – [Go to Item 22] |  |

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|  | Dollars |
| a. How much was spent on goats and kids for **lethal** predator-control measures  by this operation during 2015? . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | xxx |

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| 22. Did you have the assistance of a State or Federal government trapper  in controlling predators of goats and kids in 2015? . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | | | xxx | | 1  Yes 3  No |
| 23.Did you quit raising goats during 2015? | | | | | |
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| 1  Yes – [Continue] 3  No – [Go to Section 3] | | | | | |
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| 24. Which of the following was the main reason you quit raising goats during 2015? [Check one only.] | | | | | |
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| 1  Disease . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | | | |
| 2  Predator loss . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | | | |  | |
| 3  Price of meat or milk . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | | | |  | |
| 1  Retirement . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | | | |  | |
| 1 Parasites or worms . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | | | |  | |
| 4  Other reason (specify: |  | ) | |  | |

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|  | 1 – Incomplete, has goats or kids losses  2 – Incomplete, goats or kids losses unknown | 116 |
|  | 3 – Valid Zero |  |

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| **Section 3 – Change in Operator** |

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| ● **[Complete this section only if all questions in Item 2 on the front page are answered “No”.]** | |
| 1. Has the operation named on the label been sold, rented, or turned over to someone else? | |
| **Yes** - [Continue]  **No** - [Go to Item 1a.] | 1a. Will the land be used for any agricultural purpose by you (the operator), or anyone else in the next year? (Including growing crops or raising livestock.)  **Yes**  **Don't Know**  **No**  [Regardless of answer to above, write a note to explain the situation, then go to **Section 4**.]  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| 2. Was the operator (name on label) operating a farm or ranch  on June 1, 2015? |
| **Yes** - [Continue]  **No** - [Continue] |
| 3. Please provide the following information for the operation that has taken over the land: |
| a. What is the name and address of the new operation?  Operation Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Operator Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  City: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_  Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |

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| b. Was the [Item 3a] new operation in business before June 1, 2015? |
| **Yes** - [Go to **Section 4**.]  **No** - [Continue] |

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| c. Is the [Item 3a] new operation managed? |
| **Yes** - [Go to **Section 4**.]  **No** - [Continue] |

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| d. Were any individuals associated with the [Item 3a] operation operating land individually before June 1, 2015? |
| **Yes** - [Go to **Section 4**.]  **No** - [Go to **Section 4.**] |

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| **Section 4 – Conclusion** |

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| 1. Do you (the operator named on the label) make any day-to-day decisions for another farm or ranch?  **Yes** – [Continue.]  **No** – [Go to **Item 2**.] | | | |
| a. What is the name of the other operation(s)? . . . . . . . | Operation Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | | |
| b. Was this additional operation in business  before June 1, 2015?  **Yes** – [Continue.]  **No** – [Continue.] | Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | | |
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| 2. **Survey Results:** To receive the complete results of this survey on the release date, go to www.nass.usda.gov/results/  Would you rather have a brief summary mailed to you at a later date? | |
| **Yes** – [Enter **code 1**.]  **No** – [Enter **code 3**.]. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 9990 |
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| Phone: ( ) | Date: \_\_ \_\_ \_\_ \_\_ \_\_ \_\_ |
| This completes the survey. Thank you for your help. | | |

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| **Response** | | **Respondent** | | **Mode** | | **Enum.** | | **Eval.** | **Change** | **Office Use for POID** | | | | |
| 1-Comp  2-R  3-Inac  4-Office Hold  5-R – Est  6-Inac – Est  7-Off Hold – Est | 9901 | 1-Op/Mgr  2-Sp  3-Acct/Bkpr  4-Partner  9-Oth | 9902 | 1-Mail  2-Tel  3-Face-to-Face  4-CATI  5-Web  6-e-mail  7-Fax  8-CAPI  19-Other | 9903 | 9998 | | 9900 | 9985 | 9989  \_\_ \_\_ \_\_ - \_\_ \_\_ \_\_ - \_\_ \_\_ \_\_ | | | | |
| **Optional Use** | | | | |
| 9907 | 9908 | | 9906 | 9916 |
| S/E Name | | | | | |  |  | | |  | |  | | |