



BETA NOPS CODE FOR EQUINE BEDDING APPLICATION FORM

Application for the BETA NOPS Code for Equine Bedding is open to BETA and Non BETA member companies who are interested in auditing to the Code.

Please complete this form in BLOCK CAPITALS and return with the appropriate remittance to the address stated below.

SECTION A – BUSINESS DETAILS			
To participate in the BETA NOPS Code requires full disclosure of all business activities related to the Code. ANY FALSE OR MISLEADING STATEMENTS ON THIS APPLICATION MAY RESULT IN MEMBERSHIP TO THE CODE BEING WITHDRAWN.			
Contact Name:	Tel No:	Fax No:	
Business Name:			
Business Address:			
	Post Code:	Email:	
Brief description of operations and activities: (Please attach a complete list of the equine bedding products made and marketed by the applicant for which it is intended NOPS will apply to, with details of material from which bedding is made, manufacturer & site, if other than above)			
If manufacturing is conducted at a different site(s) please give details of the site and company name if different to the one named above. All must be audited to the code.			
ADDITIONAL SITE or CONTRACTED MANUFACTURER			
Where there is more than one contract manufacturer please include details on a supplementary sheet.			
Address of premises:		Company name (if different to that named above)	
	Post code:		Post code:
SECTION B - MEMBERSHIP			
We are BETA members		YES	NO
Date of annual audit (if known)			
Are you a Manufacturer Brand holder Both (please circle as appropriate)			
Annual Production of bedding (approx)		Tonnes	
		£ Sterling.	
Proportion of production exported as a % of total production:			
Major markets exported to:			
Please give proportion of bedding, by percentage of total production, according to category listed below:			
Racehorse			
Performance / Sport horse			
Leisure			

SECTION C - DECLARATION

We hereby apply for membership to the BETA NOPS BEDDING CODE, and we declare that:

- I will be seeking certification to the BETA NOPS code using the above declared scheme to qualify to join. I agree at all times to comply with the relevant scheme / Standard and the rules applying at the time.
- The information provided on this form and any supporting documents is true and complete in all respects.
- I confirm that the proposed member of the Scheme has not been the subject of any prosecution relating to advertising standards, safety or other legislation by any relevant authority, nor is any prosecution pending.
- I also confirm that the proposed member has not at anytime been convicted of any offence relating to the above.
- I understand that a failure to disclose any material information required for this application may lead to an immediate suspension or withdrawal\revocation of membership of the code.
- I am the proposed member of the Scheme or I am duly authorised to sign this application on behalf of the proposed member.
- I agree to adhere to the requirement to participate in the industry early alert system.
- I confirm that no guarantees will be given nor declarations made as to the NOPS free status of our bedding nor shall any other such wording that implies similar be used. I agree that should the quality statement as detailed in the Code be used on bag or literature in part, the extract thereof and the surrounding text will be sent to BETA for approval to ensure the spirit of the Code is being adhered to.
- I will adhere to all requirements and obligations as laid down in the BETA NOPS Bedding Code including the sharing of audit related information with BETA by the auditing body.

SECTION D – DATA PROTECTION AND OPERATING PROCEDURES

I confirm I have read and understood the BETA NOPS Code and its Terms and Conditions included in Part A of the Code. By making this application I understand that I am consenting to the processing by BETA of data as outlined on this form.

Signature of applicant or authorised person

Date of signature

Signed on behalf of (Business Name)

Please make sure that:

- You have completed all sections of this form.
- The form is signed and dated.
- Payment is made to BETA Ltd for £1200 (plus VAT at the current rate) assuming the company is a BETA member for the first year and then £800 for every year thereafter. The fee for non-members is £1800 + VAT annually. For companies who operate from more than one production site, there will be an additional registration fee per site of £100 + VAT, per annum. An invoice will be issued on receipt of payment and thereafter an invoice will be produced on an annual basis on the anniversary date of joining.
- **You return the completed forms and payment to BETA Ltd, East Wing, Stockeld Park, Wetherby. LS22 4AW**

Payment : Please tick as appropriate.

- I enclose a cheque, payable to "BETA" for £.....
 - Or I will pay by Bank transfer to Natwest Bank, Account No. 79243932 Sort Code 60-11-28. Account Name: BETA Ltd, giving the payers name and NOPS as ref.
 - Or I wish to pay by credit / debit card.
Please charge my Visa Access Mastercard Switch Please note we do not accept Amex.
- Card Number: Expiry Date..... Sec:.....
- Name on Card:.....
- Postcode card is registered to:..... Issue No:.....
- Business Name:.....
- Address:.....
-Postcode: