

# SEMEN RETENTION AT TRIGGER VALE

## *PLEASE NOTE:*

*As of 2019 Trigger Vale Ram Sale Trigger Vale will retain 100% semen retention rights on all rams sold.*

## The Rules for Semen Retention Rights are:

1. The commercial rights to the semen of the animal are forever owned by Trigger Vale and the rights of the Purchaser as to semen of the animal are limited to use, naturally or by way of artificial insemination, on the Purchaser's own herd or flock. The Purchaser does not have any right to sell or otherwise commercially deal with the semen or semen rights of the animal.
2. The names of the all members of any syndicate, partnership or some other joint arrangement of ownership of the animal must be listed on the bidder card at registration prior to the sale.
3. The Purchaser (which includes all members of any syndicate, partnership or other joint arrangement) does not have the right or legal ability to sell, lease, transfer or otherwise deal with fractions or portions of the Purchaser's interest in the animal and can only sell, lease, transfer or otherwise deal with the whole of the interest in the animal.
4. If the Purchaser transfers the animal whether by way of sale, gift or otherwise then the transferee is bound by these rules and the Purchaser agrees to obtain the agreement of the transferee to these rules and to guarantee the performance of the rules by the transferee to Trigger Vale.
5. Trigger Vale at any time during the life of the animal, by notice to the Purchaser or the person in possession of the animal, require the animal to be delivered, at the cost of Trigger Vale, to a Semen Collection Centre for the purpose of extraction of semen and thereafter return, at the cost of Trigger Vale, to the place from which the animal was collected. Any semen so extracted becomes and remains the property of Trigger Vale.
6. The decision as to when to call in an animal for semen extraction and where to take the animal is that of Trigger Vale.
7. Trigger Vale has unrestricted rights to the use, which includes sale or breeding, of the semen of any animal to which Semen Retention Rights apply.
8. The Purchaser has no right to clone the animal.