Myotonic Goat Registry Scorecard- Bucks & Does			version 3-29-2018
CATEGORY General Appearance 20/20 (Consider Breed Character)	IDEAL TRAITS General: Alert, but not afraid, balanced, stylish, deep body, smoothly blended, level top-line, proportionate & balanced. Overall breed character. Body Condition: Optimal, healthy appearance  Muscling: Well muscled Bone: Strong boned  Coat/Hair: All colors and lengths acceptable Size: All sizes acceptable, each animal evaluated according to all criteria of score card	FAULTS General: Consider degree of deviation, traits not characteristic to the breed- Very Serious Completely healed scars due to injury-Acceptable.  Body Condition: Emaciated or Obese- Very Serious Underweight or Overweight- Moderate Muscling: Flat or lacking depth- Moderate Bone: Excessively dense or excessively fine- Very Serious Coat/Hair: Ringlets or locks- Very Serious	DISQUALIFYING FAULTS Genetic Hernias (scrotal, umbilical) Breed Character indicative of breeds other than Myotonic.
Basic Structure  1. Head & Expression 24/24	Head: Medium length, broad muzzle, strong broad jaw, straight to slightly concave face. Ears: To be of medium length, near horizontal, forward facing in a non alerted state. The middle portion of the ear should be some what cylindrical. Ears should not extend past the corner of the lip when flattened against the face. Ears should not break over or droop. A half inch of ripple effect is permissible in the center of the top side of the ear. When viewing the profile, the ears should be set slightly behind and level (or slightly higher) with the eye.	Head: Roman nose or deeply concave face- Very Serious Ears: Erect, broken over, too long or too short, deeply waved- Very Serious	Total Blindness, Crooked Face, Disfiguring Malocclusion. Pendulous, Elf, twisted, or folded.
2. Neck, Chest, Shoulders 12 /12	Eyes: Alert, Bold, wide set, prominent, should bulge slightly. Any color.  Bite: Incisors meet dental pad evenly.  Horns: Shall have a minimum of 1.5" in between the bases. They should protrude upward and then turn backward and then turn outward.	Eyes: Sunken, very small- Serious  Bite: Under bite or Over bite- Serious  Missing or having extra teeth- Moderate  Horns: Pointed forward,- very serious too close together or laying too flat against the neck - moderate	
	Polled and Dis-budded are correct.  Neck: Muscular, blending smoothly into chest and withers, Massive in Bucks and Feminine in Does.  Chest: Wide chest floor, prominent brisket Shoulder: Firmly attached shoulder blades, full at point of elbow	Neck: Thin, ewe neck- Very Serious  Chest: Narrow- Moderate Shoulder: Poor attachment or loose elbows- Moderate to Very Serious depending on severity	Neck drawn to one side

3. Legs, Pasterns, & Feet 12 / 12	Fore legs: Muscular, straight front & side, strong, clean, smooth knees Rear legs: Muscular, good angulation, perpendicular line from pin bones thru rear of hock & pastern, straight from rear, strong bone.	Knock Kneed, Bow Legged, Cow Hocked, Post Legged, Lack of Muscle Definition - Moderate to Very Serious depending on severity.	Enlarged Knees, Hocks, or Ankles.
	Front and Rear Legs set squarely under each corner of the body. Rear feet should track straight behind the front feet. Pasterns should be strong, flexible, short to medium in length. Feet should be short, tight toes, pointed forward, set at a 55 - 60 degree angle.	Poor Tracking - Serious Feet turned in or out - Moderate to Serious depending on the severity.	
4. Barrel, Back, Loin, Rump 12/12	Barrel: Ribs long, well sprung, deep, blending	Barrel: tubular, shallow, lacking	
	smoothly into a strong flank. <b>Back:</b> Strong, level, thick, wide, muscular.	capacity – Serious <b>Back:</b> Weak, swayed, roached, short,	Sharp Dip or Severe Sway in the top-line.
	Loin: Long and wide but proportionate, well muscled and thick.	or excessively long - Serious  Loin: Narrow, short, thin, lacking muscle - Serious	
	Rump: Strong, wide, slightly angled from hips to pins. Well defined muscles around the hip and down toward the pins, extending downward into the thigh.  Tail: Attached straight out of the dock & swings	Rump: Excessively steep or level – Serious.  Tail: Wry tail, Moderate depending on Severity	
	freely in all directions.	Tail. Wity tail, Moderate depending on Severity	
Mammary System 10/10	Teats: Bucks & Unrefreshed Does: two single teats, one per side, with one orfices each. Freshened Does: Two single teats cylindrical, symmetrically shaped & placed, functional,	<b>Teats:</b> More than two, multiple orifices, uneven sizes- Moderate to Severe depending on severity	Multiple Teats, multiple orifices, bifurcal (fish)teats, non functional teats.
	milkable devoid of multiple orifices and lumps. <b>Udder:</b> Functional, firm, elastic, well attached, high and wide in the escuteon, strong medial suspensory ligament, rounded underneath, well attached fore udder without pockets.	Udder: Pendulous, unbalanced, lumps - Very Serious Weak or lack of udder support ( Medial Suspensory Ligament) – Serious	Non functional or blind udder.
Reproductive Organs 10/10	Bucks: Two symmetrical testes firm and free of lumps, fully descended, circumference size appropriate for age and stature. No split, dividing the two testes	<b>Testes:</b> Too small for age and maturity- Very Serious. Scrotal split .25 to 1.0 inches- Moderate to Serious depending on depth.	Scrotal split exceeding 1.0 inches, failure to display two normally, descended testicles Hermaphrodite
	Does: Vulva shall be normal size and flat against the body. Does over 24 months of age shall show signs of pregnancy or signs that they have nursed a live kid	Mature does who do not exhibit physical signs of pregnancy or signs of a milk producing udder- Very Serious	Tea cup shaped Vulva
Total Points 100			