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BREED DESCRIPTOR for REGISTRATION of CAMEL BREEDS

Species: Camel

I. GENERAL DESCRIPTION

- 1. Name of the breed
- 2. Synonyms
- 3. Background for such a name / origin
- 4. Since when the breed is known
- 5. Strains (or within breed types)
- 6. Most closely related breeds

(in appearance)

- 7. a. Native tract of distribution in terms of longitude and latitude
 - b. Approximate area of distribution (sq km)
 - c. Place(s)

<u>State</u>

Male

District

Female

- 8. Estimated population
 - a. Year of estimation
 - b. Population
 - c. Source / Reference
- 9. a. Communities responsible for developing the breed
 - b. Description of community (Farmers/nomads/isolated/tribals)
- 10. Utility of the breed (Milk/meat/draught/manure/other specify)
- 11. Temperament of the breed (Active/ Dull)
- 12. Any other information

II. PHYSICAL CHARACTERS

- 1. Coat color
- 2. Body color
- Hair on ears and eye lid (Jheepra) (Absent/ Prominent/ Very Prominent)
- 4. Hair length (Small/ Medium/ Large)
- 5. Head
 - a. Size (Small/ Medium/ Large)
 - b. Stop (Well marked depression above the eyes)

(Absent/ Prominent/ Very Prominent)

- c. Fore head (Normal / Prominent)
- d. Supra-orbital fossa
- e. Muzzle
 - Туре
 - Lips
- 6. Ears
 - a. Length
 - b. Orientation (horizontal/drooping)
- 7. Body size(Small/ Medium/ Large)
- 8. Chest pad (Developed/ Not developed)
- 9. Hump size (Small/ Medium/ Large)
- 10. Udder (Round/ Pendulous)
- 11. Milk vein (Small/ Medium/ Large)
- 12. Any other information

III. PERFORMANCE

1. Body weights (kg) and measurements (cm)

Parameter		Male			Female		
		Average	Range	Ν	Average	Range	Ν
Birth weight							
Adult weight							
Chest-girth							
Body length							
Height at withers							
Neck length							
Distance between eyes							
Length of fore leg							
Length of hind leg							
Foot pad Length	Fore						
	Hind						
Foot pad Width	Fore						
	Hind						

2. Dairy performance

Parameter	Fir	First Lactation			Overall		
	Average	Range	Ν	Average	Range	Ν	
Daily milk yield (kg)							
Peak milk yield (kg)							
Lactation length (days)							
Lactation milk yield (kg)							
Fat %							
SNF %							

3.	Reproduction		Average	Range	Ν
	a.	Age at first mating in males (mo)			
	b.	Age at first mating in females (mo)			
	c.	Age at first Oestrus (mo)			
	d.	Oestrus cycle duration (mo)			
	e.	Age at first calving (mo)			
	f.	Calving interval (mo)			
	g.	Service period (mo)			
4.	Hair production		Average	Range	Ν
	a.	Age at clipping (mo)			
	b.	Weight of clipping(kg)			

- c. Hair length (cm)
- d. Hair diameter (µ)
- 5. Draught capacity (Hard/medium/light)
- 6. Any other information specific to the breed