

Breeders are reminded to submit "Form B" to complete mare residency in 2020 if they have not already done so. Establishing residency for a broodmare ensures that the breeder will be eligible for Breeders Awards when the resulting foal races in the NYSS program. Residency is 180 days inside New York, including conception.

Breeders must submit the form within 30 days of the mare leaving the state. They may also do so at the end of the year or any time after the 180-day period is reached for mares that do not leave the state. For example, mares in New York through the end of the year must return the form no later than Jan. 30, 2021, but if they have established the 180-day period they may submit the form now. Postdated forms will not be accepted. Click <u>here</u> for the complete rules.

For questions, call the NYSS Office at 518-388-0178 or email <u>info@nysirestakes.com</u>.