



# STUD BOOK AUTHORITY OF INDIA

## Royal Western India Turf Club, Ltd.

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### Monthly Circular

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#### ALL BREEDING ESTABLISHMENTS

##### Microchips – Foals of 2026

1. Some Breeding Establishments are yet to request for microchips for **foals of 2026**.
2. Breeding Establishments are requested to collate information of all births at their breeding establishments and request SBAI for microchips and hair sample envelopes.
3. Based on requests received from the breeding establishments, microchips shall be sent to them. Implantation of microchips may be carried out by the resident / contracted Veterinarian at the breeding establishments.
4. Hair samples of foals born in 2026 shall be collected from the foals and dispatched to SBAI in the designated envelopes by the breeding establishments.

##### Certificates Of Identity – Foals of 2026.

5. A Certificate of Identity shall be submitted on-line or by hard copy in the prescribed form, duly signed by a Panel Veterinarian, by post or by email by **31 October** of the year of foaling.

##### Covering Certificates for 2026

6. As done in previous years, Covering Returns for the year 2026 will need to be submitted on-line on <https://indianstudbook.com>. Breeding Establishments have already been given access to submit Covering Certificates for stallions standing at their respective farms.
7. Covering Certificates, if submitted in paper form will NOT be accepted.

## **Debit In Stud Accounts**

8. Breeding Establishments whose Accounts are in debit are requested to clear the same at the earliest. Registration of documents submitted by Breeding Establishments whose accounts are in debit will be processed in terms of Para 125 of the Rules and Requirements for Registration of Thoroughbred and Half-bred Horses in India, effective from 30 Jan 2025.

Sd/-

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