

MEDIA STATEMENT

SUPPLY OF LIVESTOCK FOR KORBAN 2017

The Singapore Mosques Korban Committee (JKMS) is happy to announce that a total of 3,700 livestock will be offered for Korban this year from Australia. The community will also be able to perform Korban at 25 mosques this year.

Registration for Korban

2. Registration for Korban 2017 opens on **Tuesday, 11 July 2017** and will close **15 Aug 2017**, subject to availability on a first-come first-serve basis. Members of the public who wish to perform Korban can register their intent and submit their particulars at the 25 listed mosques (see Annex A) for orders of livestock. Hardcopy forms are available at all 25 mosques from Tuesday, 11 July 2017. Forms can also be downloaded from www.bigfoot-groups.com/korban2017

Pricing

3. The price of each sheep supplied by the Approved Korban Vendor (AKV) for 2017 for each Australian sheep is set at **\$485.00**, which is \$5.00 less than the price in 2016.

Animal Welfare and Public Health Standards

4. JKMS continues to work with the Agri-Food & Veterinary Authority of Singapore (AVA) to explore the most suitable sources that meet the highest criteria of Singapore's food safety, animal health and veterinary public health standards.

5. This year Big Foot Logistic Pte Ltd as the Approved Korban Vendor (AKV) will import from AVA-approved sources from Australia. JKMS decided that this was the most cost effective and best possible option for Korban 2017.

6. Korban using Australian sheep will be conducted at all mosques¹ that meet the requirements of Australia's Exporter Supply Chain Assurance System (ESCAS)² regulatory framework. All Korban centres will adopt the same standard operating procedures for Korban operations, which includes transporting, handling and slaughtering of livestock.

JAWATANKUASA KORBAN MASJID-MASJID DI SINGAPURA (JKMS) SINGAPORE MOSQUES KORBAN COMMITTEE

¹ In addition to the 25 mosques, 2 Malay/Muslim Organisations will continue to offer Australian sheep this year. The full list of korban centres is at Annex A

² ESCAS is a regulatory framework implemented by the Australian Government in 2012 to ensure that livestock exported from Australia to different countries are treated in accordance to the World Organisation for Animal Health's (OIE) internationally accepted animal welfare standards. To comply, the Australian exporter must provide a report from an independent and internationally accredited auditor to certify that livestock to be exported meet the standards required from the farm to the point of slaughter.

ANNEX A: LIST OF APPROVED KORBAN VENUES FOR 2017

(A) 25 Mosques

Central North	Central South	South East	South West	North East	North West
<p>Masjid Sultan 3 Muscat Street Singapore 198833 Tel: 6293 4405</p>	<p>Masjid Al-Amin 50 Telok Blangah Way Singapore 098801 Tel: 6272 5309</p>	<p>Masjid Darul Aman 1 Jalan Eunus Singapore 419493 Tel: 6744 5544</p>	<p>Masjid Ar-Raudhah 30 Bukit Batok East Ave 2 Singapore 659919 Tel: 6899 5840</p>	<p>Masjid Al-Istighfar 2 Pasir Ris Walk Singapore 518239 Tel: 6426 7130</p>	<p>Masjid Al-Iman 10 Bukit Panjang Ring Road, Singapore 679943 Tel: 6769 0770</p>
<p>Masjid Omar Salmah 441-B Jalan Mashhor Singapore 299173 Tel: 6250 0120</p>	<p>Masjid Jamae Chulia 218 South Bridge Road Singapore 058767 Tel: 6221 4165</p>	<p>Masjid Kampung Siglap 451 Marine Parade Road Singapore 449283 Tel: 6243 7060</p>	<p>Masjid Assyakirin 550 Yung An Road Singapore 618617 Tel: 6268 1846</p>	<p>Masjid En-Naeem 120 Tampines Road Singapore 535136 Tel: 6287 9225</p>	<p>Masjid Darul Makmur 950 Yishun Ave 2 Singapore 769099 Tel: 6752 1402</p>
<p>Masjid An-Nahdhah 9A Bishan Street 14 Singapore 579786 Tel: 6354 3138</p>	<p>Masjid Jamiyah Ar-Rabitah 601 Tiong Bahru Road Singapore 158787 Tel: 6273 3848</p>		<p>Masjid Al-Firdaus 11 Jalan Ibadat Singapore 698955 Tel: 6764 6334</p>	<p>Masjid Al-Mawaddah 150 Compassvale Bow Singapore 544997 Tel: 6489 0224</p>	<p>Masjid Petempatan Melayu Sembawang 27-B Jalan Mempurung Singapore 759055 Singapore 6257 7614</p>
			<p>Masjid Tentera Di-Raja 81 Clementi Road Singapore 129797 Tel: 6776 5612</p>	<p>Masjid Alkaff Kg Melayu 200 Bedok Reservoir Road Singapore 479221 Tel: 6242 7244</p>	<p>Masjid An-Nur 6 Admiralty Road Singapore 739983 Tel: 6363 1383</p>
			<p>Masjid Hang Jebat 100 Jalan Hang Jebat Singapore 139533 Tel: 6471 0728</p>	<p>Masjid Haji Yusoff 2 Hillside Drive Singapore 548920 Tel: 6284 5459</p>	<p>Masjid Assyafaah 1 Admiralty Lane Singapore 757620 Tel: 6756 3008</p>
			<p>Masjid Al-Khair 1 Teck Whye Crescent Singapore 688847 Tel: 6760 1139</p>		<p>Masjid Ahmad Ibrahim 15 Jalan Ulu Seletar Singapore 769227 Tel: 6454 0848</p>

(B) 2 Malay/Muslim Organisations

1	Muhammadiyah Association of Singapore 14 Jalan Selamat, Singapore 418534
2	Jamiyah Singapore No.31 Lorong 12 Geylang, Singapore 399006