## APPLICATION FOR TYPE CLASSIFICATION

Application must be submitted at least 2 months prior to month of scheduled classification tour Application MUST be in the office by the  $1^{st}$  of the month 2 months prior to the tour.

# American Milking Shorthorn Society

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I hereby make an application to have my herd officially inspected and classified. This will be subject to the rules of the American Milking Shorthorn Society for the inspection and classification of Milking Shorthorn cattle. In making this application, I hereby agree to comply with and be bound by the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws of the American Milking Shorthorn Society and all other rules and regulations of said Society and its Board of Directors.

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#### MINIMAL DEPOSIT DUE AT SIGN UP

### Additional instructions for completing application:

- 1. Enclose a copy of your DHI test sheet including cow registration numbers. If not on test, list on the back of this application all registered cows in your herd which have freshened at least once. Also list all eligible bulls 18 months of age or older that you wish to have classified.
- 2. Animals required to be classified include females recorded with the American Milking Shorthorn Society. All first and second lactation animals must be classified if not previously classified in their current lactation. Cows become permanent once classified after the age of 5.
- 3. Please review the "Official Rules Governing AMSS Type Classification" for additional rules and policies.

**Special Classifications:** If a breeder applies to have their herd classified at a specific time, the regular classification fees for members or non-members applies with a minimum fee of \$520 per herd. In addition, the applicant must pay all travel expenses of the classifier. When remitting this application, the fees per animal or minimum herd fee are due and travel expenses will be billed separately. It may not be possible to have a special classification made at the exact time desired by the owner, but preference of the month should be given in the fee box on this form. **Late Fee:** If the AMSS office is notified of a classification request within 30- days of a scheduled tour, a **\$100 late fee** will apply in addition to other classification fees. If a special classification is requested within 30 days of notification, the late fee will also apply. Any herd which cancels after tour schedules have been mailed/emailed will be charged a **\$100 cancellation fee**.

Please list below the information for all animals to be classified. If you are sending in a copy of your DHI herd list, you only need to include heifers that will be fresh but are not on the DHI herd sheet:

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