Important Related Documents

for the

KSAR Open Registry

- 1. Why Register
- 2. Color Genetics
- 3. Traditional Flocks
 - 4. Judges Guide

While not directly related to the registration process these four Important Related Documents are provided to assist in your quest for information on Karakul sheep.

Why Register A bit of motivation on registering your Karakul sheep—common-sense, down-to-earth reasons on the importance of breed certificates.

The next two are more scientifically-minded papers.

Color Genetics by Letty Klein presents in shepherd's terms, an easier-to-understand genetic outline of what makes Karakul lambs the colors they are.

Traditional Flocks by Deborah Hunter presents an understanding of Karakul Bloodline development, followed by a short summary of the registration process for sheep from isolated, multi-sire managed flocks. Developed since 2015, this was the Alliance's original policy paper; many parts were used in our new 2020 **Registry Policy**, now outlined by subject.

Judges Guide Standard is last for accessibility, and makes an easy tear-off document. Consider presenting to your judge before showing, as many could use a refresher on the composition of excellent Karakul sheep.

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