



ESSENTIAL TO TRAVEL TO WORK

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN,

April 2020

The person in possession of this letter is travelling for the essential purpose of caring for sheep or other livestock.

I declare that I am travelling for the purpose of caring for sheep welfare.

I am a farmer / vet / veterinary student / shearer / other (.....), travelling to ensure welfare and animal care is upheld.

This is essential to ensure food production can continue and animal welfare standards are upheld. In carrying out my work, I will take careful precautions and ensure I maintain a safe distance between myself and others.

The First Minister has been clear that food production is part of our critical national infrastructure and should continue where it is necessary and where it can continue safely in line with social distancing. I am aware of the Government guidelines and am only travelling as it is essential for me to do so. I will do everything within my power to follow Government and on farm guidelines to limit the spread of disease.

This letter was produced by the National Sheep Association Scotland to provide a point of reference for sheep farmers to continue their essential work during the outbreak. NSA Scotland is in no way liable for abuse of this letter and is providing it to farming members to support the industry in this difficult time.

Should you have any questions or to confirm the details in this letter, please do not hesitate to contact:

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