



# Lump Sum Exit Scheme

## Application Form

You need to complete this form if you are exiting farming and applying for a Lump Sum Exit Scheme payment.

Before completing this form, read information about the Lump Sum Exit Scheme, including the scheme rules, at [www.gov.uk/rpa/lump-sum-exit-scheme](http://www.gov.uk/rpa/lump-sum-exit-scheme).

### Notes about this form

Send your completed form to: Rural Payments Agency, PO Box 352, Worksop S80 9FG.

We must receive this completed signed form signed by you, or someone with full permissions in the Rural Payments service for your business, by midnight on 30 September 2022.

**All relevant parts of this form must be completed before you send it to us.**

## Part A - Applicant details

1. Beneficiary / business name
2. Applicant's full name
3. Single Business Identifier (SBI)
4. Business address and postcode

## Part B – Application details

5. Did you claim, and were eligible for, BPS in 2018 or earlier?      Yes                      No

6. Do you qualify for an exemption because you inherited some agricultural land, or succeeded to an Agricultural Holdings Act 1986 tenancy, after 15 May 2018?      Yes                      No

(If you select 'yes', you must send RPA evidence that you meet the exemption before you can be paid.)

7. Did you use the SBI at Q3 in 2018 or before?      Yes                      No

If 'no', please provide the SBI used in 2018 or before, in the appropriate section of Q8 below.

8. Were you or the business involved in a split, merger or inheritance in the reference years 2019, 2020 or 2021?      Yes                      No

If 'yes', please tell us more about these business changes:

### a. Business splits:

SBI(s) of original business (9 digit number)	Scheme year(s) new business split took place (4 digit number)

### b. Business mergers:

SBI(s) of original business (9 digit number)	Scheme year(s) new merger took place (4 digit number)

### c. Inheritance:

SBI(s) of original business (9 digit number)	Scheme year that all or part of the business was inherited (4 digit number)

## Part C – Declaration

### Your declaration

**Warning:** RPA can only pay you if you agree with these conditions and comply with them. If you make a false declaration or if you do not tell us about a change to the information in this application, you may be liable to prosecution.

### Declaration

I have read and understood all of the relevant guidance information, and confirm that all the details given on the application, including any supporting documents are true, accurate and completed to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I confirm that this application supersedes any previous application made by me for the Lump Sum Exit Scheme, and that any such previous application is hereby withdrawn.

If I am submitting the application on behalf of the beneficiary, I confirm I have the appropriate permission to represent the beneficiary.

9. You must sign and date your application

10. Full name (Use BLOCK CAPITALS)

11. Date

12. Relationship to beneficiary

For example, agent, partner, owner, director, sole trader.

## Data Protection

Defra is the data controller for personal data you give to us or we hold about you. We use it in line with the Data Protection Act. For more information visit our Web site at [www.gov.uk/rural-payments-agency](http://www.gov.uk/rural-payments-agency). In the search box type in full: 'Rural Payments Agency Personal Information Charter'.

By submitting the application, you are agreeing to the terms of the declaration. All RPA payments must be made directly into the nominated bank account. If you have not given us your bank details, we will not be able to pay you.