WP5 Scottish Case Study

Specially Selected Scotch Beef



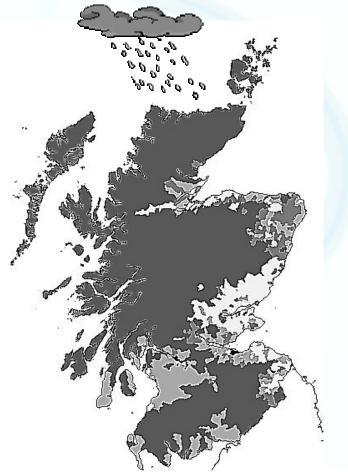


1. General information

OLP: Scotch Beef, (SSSB) Product: fresh & processed beef

Denomination: PGI (1998)

Area: Scotland

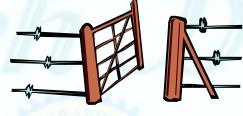


2. Characteristics

Basis of PGI status:

Product derived from an integrated system of Quality Assurance Schemes that addresses:

Quality

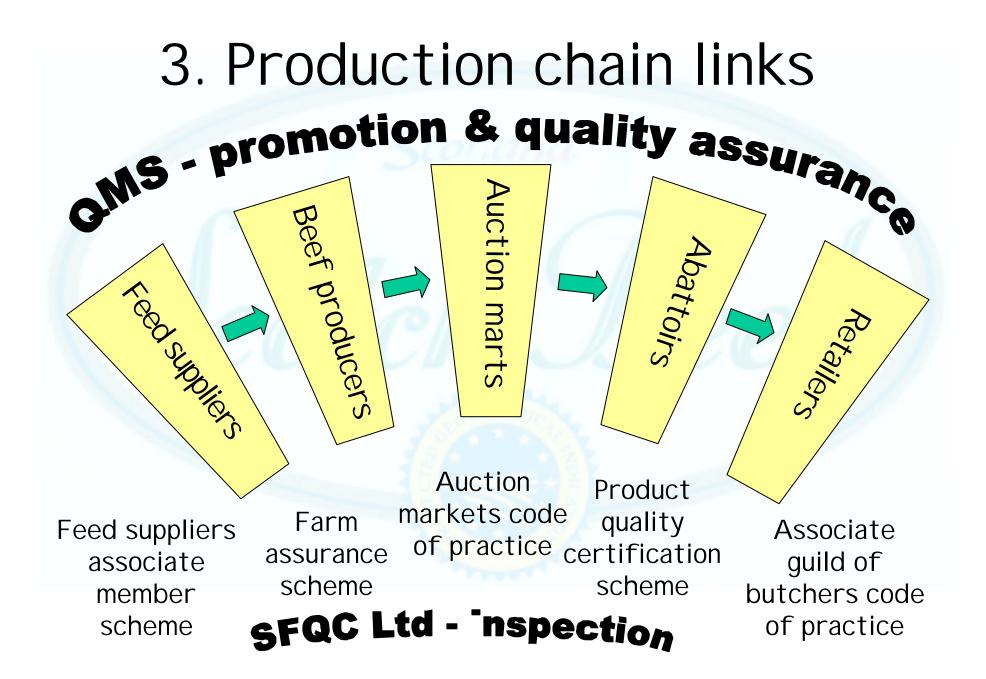


Consumer safety

Animal welfare



at all stages of the Scottish supply chain.



4. Rural development links Till now, weak & indirect: Beef production support schemes Scottish Rural Development Plan But changing:

"Targeting of national envelop funds at producers who are members of certified quality assurance schemes underlines our commitment to quality production in Scotland"

Ross Finnie, Minister for Environment & Rural Development 18/9/02

The future:

Using PGI as springboard for VA business

