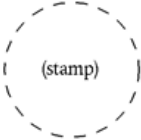

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9.	<p>Public health attestation</p> <p>I, the undersigned official veterinarian, hereby certify that the animals described in this certificate:</p> <p>9.1. come from holdings which have been free from any official prohibition on health grounds, for the last 42 days in the case of brucellosis, for the last 30 days in the case of anthrax, for the last six months in the case of rabies, and have not been in contact with animals from holdings which did not satisfy these conditions;</p> <p>9.2. have not received:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — any stilbene or thyrostatic substances, — oestrogenic, androgenic, gestagenic or β- agonist substances for purposes other than therapeutic or zootechnic treatment (as defined in Directive 96/22/EC); <p>9.3. with regard to bovine spongiform encephalopathy (BSE):</p> <p>(⁵) (¹³) either [were born and continuously reared in the territory described in point 3.]</p> <p>(⁵) or [(a) are identified by a permanent identification system enabling them to be traced back to the dam and herd of origin,</p> <p>(b) are not the progeny of females suspected of BSE, and</p> <p>(c) come from the territory described in point 3, in which the feeding of ruminants with proteins derived from mammals has been banned and the ban has been effectively enforced.]</p>
10.	<p>Animal health attestation</p> <p>I, the undersigned official veterinarian, hereby certify, that the animals described above meet the following requirements:</p> <p>10.1. they come from the territory with code (³) which, at the date of issuing this certificate:</p> <p>(⁵) either [(a) has been free for 24 months from foot-and-mouth disease, for 12 months from rinderpest, bluetongue, Rift valley fever, contagious bovine pleuropneumonia, lumpy skin disease and epizootic haemorrhagic disease, and for six months from vesicular stomatitis, and]</p> <p>(⁵) or [(a) (i) has been free for 12 months from rinderpest, bluetongue, Rift valley fever, contagious bovine pleuropneumonia and epizootic haemorrhagic disease, and for six months from vesicular stomatitis, and</p> <p>(ii) has been considered free from foot-and-mouth disease since (date), without having had cases/outbreaks afterwards, and authorised to export these animals by Decision .../.../EC of (date), and]</p> <p>(b) where during the last 12 months, no vaccination against these diseases has been carried out and imports of domestic cloven-hoofed animals vaccinated against these diseases are not permitted;</p> <p>10.2. they have remained in the territory described in point 10.1 since birth, or for at least the last three months before dispatch to the European Community and without contact with imported cloven-hoofed animals for the last 30 days;</p> <p>10.3. they have remained since birth or at least 40 days before dispatch in the holding(s) described in point 6.1:</p> <p>(a) in and around which, in an area with a 150 km radius, there has been no case/outbreak of bluetongue and epizootic haemorrhagic disease during the previous 100 days, and</p> <p>(b) in and around which, in an area with a 20 km radius, there has been no case/outbreak of the other diseases mentioned in point 10.1 during the previous 40 days;</p> <p>10.4. they are not animals to be killed under a national programme for the eradication of diseases, nor have they been vaccinated against the diseases mentioned in point 10.1;</p> <p>10.5. they come from herds:</p> <p>(a) included in an official system for the control of enzootic bovine leukosis, and</p> <p>(b) that are not restricted under the national legislation regarding eradication of tuberculosis and brucellosis, and</p> <p>(c) recognised as officially tuberculosis free (¹⁰);</p> <p>10.6. they have not been vaccinated against brucellosis and they:</p> <p>(⁵) either [come from herds which are recognised as officially brucellosis free; (¹⁰)]</p> <p>(⁵) or [are castrated males of any age;]</p> <p>10.7. they are individually marked on at least two places on their hindquarters as to show that they are exclusively intended for immediate slaughter (¹¹);</p>

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10.8.	they are/were ⁽⁵⁾ dispatched from their holding(s) of origin, without passing through any market:
(⁵) either	[directly to the European Community,]
(⁵) or	[to the officially authorised assembly centre described in point 6.2 situated within the territory described in point 10.1.]
	and, until dispatched to the European Community:
	(a) they did not come in contact with other cloven-hoofed animals not complying with at least the same health requirements as described in this certificate, and
	(b) they were not at any place where, or around which within a 20 km radius, during the previous 30 days there has been a case/outbreak of any of the diseases mentioned in point 10.1;
10.9.	any transport vehicles or containers in which they were loaded were cleaned and disinfected before loading with an officially authorised disinfectant;
10.10.	they were examined by an official veterinarian within 24 hours of loading and showed no clinical sign of disease;
10.11.	they were loaded for dispatch to the European Community on ⁽¹²⁾ in the means of transport described in point 7 above that were cleaned and disinfected before loading with an official authorised disinfectant and so constructed that faeces, urine, litter or fodder could not flow or fall out of the vehicle or container during transportation.
11.	Animal transport attestation I, the undersigned official veterinarian, hereby certify that the animals described above have been treated before and at the time of loading in accordance with the relevant provisions of Directive 91/628/EEC, in particular as regards watering and feeding, and they are fit for the intended transport.
Official stamp and signature	
Done at on	
	(signature of official veterinarian)
	(name in capital letters, qualifications and title)

Notes

- (¹) Live cattle (*Bos taurus*, *Bison bison* and *Bubalus bubalis*, and their cross-breeds) intended for immediate slaughter.
After importation the animals must be conveyed without delay to the slaughterhouse of destination to be slaughtered within five working days.
- (²) Issued by the competent authority.
- (³) Country and code of territory as appearing in Part 1 of Annex I to Decision 79/542/EEC (as last amended).
- (⁴) The registration number(s) of rail-wagon or lorry and the name of the ship should be given as appropriate. If known, the flight number of the aircraft.
In case of transport in containers or boxes, the total number, their registration and seal numbers, if present, should be indicated in point 7.3.
- (⁵) Keep as appropriate.
- (⁶) Complete if appropriate.
- (⁷) The assembly centre must fulfil the conditions for its approval, as laid down in Part 3.B of this Annex I.
- (⁸) The animals must bear:
- (a) an individual number which permits tracing of their premises of origin. Specify the identification system (i.e. tag, tattoos, brand, chip, transponder) and the anatomic place used in the animal,
- (b) an ear tag that includes the ISO code of the exporting country.
- In case of a consignment of more than one animal species, indicate also "Bos", "Bison" and "Bubalus" as appropriate.
- (⁹) Date of birth (dd/mm/yy). Sex (M = male, F = female, C = castrated).
- (¹⁰) Officially tuberculosis/brucellosis-free regions and herds as laid down in Annex A to Directive 64/432/EEC.

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| <p>(¹¹) This mark shall take the form of "L" having 13 cm in the left side and 7 cm in the bottom side with 1 cm of strength in both lines. It shall be applied using the technique known as "freeze-branding".</p> <p>(¹²) Date of loading. Imports of these animals shall not be allowed when the animals were loaded either prior to the date of authorisation for exportation to the European Community from the territory mentioned in note 3, or during a period where restrictive measures have been adopted by the European Community against imports of these animals from this territory.</p> <p>(¹³) Only for a territory appearing with the entry "T" in column 6 of Part 1 of Annex I to Decision 79/542/EEC (as last amended) regarding BSE, in accordance with the provisions of Regulation (EC) No 999/2001 (as last amended).'</p> |
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