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[^{F1}ANNEX VI

Textual Amendments

- F1** Inserted by [Commission Implementing Regulation \(EU\) No 780/2013 of 14 August 2013 amending Commission Regulation \(EU\) No 206/2010 laying down lists of third countries, territories or parts thereof authorised for the introduction into the European Union of certain animals and fresh meat and the veterinary certification requirements \(Text with EEA relevance\)](#).

PART 4

Conditions concerning the approval of bodies, institutes or centres in third countries

1. Approval must be granted only to those bodies, institutes or centres which comply with the requirements set out in Part 3.
2. Where vector protection is required, the approval of a structure as vector-protected must be granted only if the criteria in point (c) of Part 3 are met. In order to grant the approval, the competent authority must verify at least three times during the required protection period (at the beginning, during and at the end of the period) the effectiveness of the vector protection measures, by means of a vector trap inside the vector protected structure.
3. Each approved body, institute and centre must be assigned an approval number.
4. Approval must be maintained only as long as the following conditions continue to be met:

the premises are under the control of an official veterinarian, who must perform at least the following tasks:

- (i) inspect the premises of the body, institute or centre at least once per year;
- (ii) audit the activity of the veterinarian referred to in point (h) of Part 3 and the implementation of the annual disease surveillance plan referred to in the first indent of point (h)(i);
- (iii) ensure that the provisions laid down in Parts 3 and 4 are met;
- (iv) verify ^{F2}...:
 - compliance with the animal health requirements which the animals must fulfil in order to be introduced into [^{F3}Great Britain];
 - [^{F4}that the results of the clinical, post-mortem and laboratory tests on the animals have revealed no occurrence of the diseases listed in Annex A to Directive 92/65/EEC or mentioned in the veterinary certificates for the relevant species [^{F5}, in the form published by the appropriate authority from time to time].

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- F2** Word in Annex 6 Pt. 4 para. 4(iv) omitted (31.12.2020) by virtue of [The Import of, and Trade in, Animals and Animal Products \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2020 \(S.I. 2020/1462\)](#), regs. 1(3), [56\(33\)\(d\)\(i\)\(aa\)](#) (with regs. 69-71)
- F3** Words in Annex 6 Pt. 4 para. 4(iv) substituted (31.12.2020) by [The Import of, and Trade in, Animals and Animal Products \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2020 \(S.I. 2020/1462\)](#), regs. 1(3), [56\(33\)\(d\)\(i\)\(bb\)](#) (with regs. 69-71)
- F4** Word in Annex 6 Pt. 4 para. 4(iv) inserted (31.12.2020) by [The Import of, and Trade in, Animals and Animal Products \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2020 \(S.I. 2020/1462\)](#), regs. 1(3), [56\(33\)\(d\)\(i\)\(cc\)](#) (with regs. 69-71)
- F5** Words in Annex 6 Pt. 4 para. 4(iv) substituted (31.12.2020) by [The Import of, and Trade in, Animals and Animal Products \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2020 \(S.I. 2020/1462\)](#), regs. 1(3), [56\(33\)\(d\)\(i\)\(cc\)](#) (with regs. 69-71)

5. The approval must be withdrawn where the competent authority finds that the requirements of Part 3 are no longer being fulfilled.
6. Where notification is given of the suspicion of the occurrence of one of the diseases listed in Annex A to Directive 92/65/EEC or mentioned in the veterinary certificates for the relevant species [^{F6} in the form published by the appropriate authority from time to time], the competent authority must suspend the approval of the body, institute or centre, until the suspicion has been officially ruled out. Depending on the disease involved and the risk of disease transmission, the suspension may relate to [^{F7}the body], institute or centre as a whole or only to certain categories of animals susceptible to the disease in question. The competent authority must ensure that the measures necessary to confirm or rule out the suspicion and to avoid any spread of disease are taken.

Textual Amendments

- F6** Words in Annex 6 Pt. 4 para. 6 substituted (31.12.2020) by [The Import of, and Trade in, Animals and Animal Products \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2020 \(S.I. 2020/1462\)](#), regs. 1(3), [56\(33\)\(d\)\(ii\)\(aa\)](#) (with regs. 69-71)
- F7** Words in Annex 6 Pt. 4 para. 6 substituted (31.12.2020) by [The Import of, and Trade in, Animals and Animal Products \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2020 \(S.I. 2020/1462\)](#), regs. 1(3), [56\(33\)\(d\)\(ii\)\(bb\)](#) (with regs. 69-71)

7. Where the suspected disease referred to in point 6 is confirmed, the approval of the body, institute or centre must be withdrawn.
8. Where the approval of a body, institute or centre has been withdrawn, it must be restored only where the following conditions are complied with:
 - (a) the disease and the source of infection were eradicated on the premises of the body, institute or centre concerned;
 - (b) the premises of the body, institute or centre concerned were appropriately cleaned and disinfected;
 - (c) the body, institute or centre concerned complies with the requirements set out in points (a) to (d) and (f) to (h) of Part 3.

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9. The competent authority which approved the body, institute or centre must inform the [^{F8}appropriate authority] that included the body, institute or centre on their lists of approved bodies, institutes and centres of the suspension, withdrawal or restoration of that approval.]]

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Textual Amendments

- F8** Words in Annex 6 Pt. 4 para. 9 substituted (31.12.2020) by [The Import of, and Trade in, Animals and Animal Products \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2020 \(S.I. 2020/1462\)](#), regs. 1(3), **56(33)(d)(iii)** (with regs. 69-71)

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