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ANNEX I

SPECIES OF ANIMALS

PART A

Dogs

Cats

PART B

Ferrets

PART C

Invertebrates (except bees and crustaceans), ornamental tropical fish, amphibia, reptiles.

Birds: all species (except poultry covered by Council Directives 90/539/EEC⁽¹⁾ and 92/65/EEC).

Mammals: rodents and domestic rabbits.

^{F1}ANNEX Ia

Technical requirements for the identification

Textual Amendments

- F1** Inserted by [Regulation \(EU\) No 438/2010 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 19 May 2010 amending Regulation \(EC\) No 998/2003 on the animal health requirements applicable to the non-commercial movement of pet animals.](#)

For the purposes of Article 4(1), the standard electronic identification system shall be a read-only passive radio frequency identification device ('transponder'):

1. complying with ISO Standard 11784 and applying HDX or FDX-B technology;
2. capable of being read by a reading device compatible with ISO Standard 11785.

ANNEX Ib

Technical requirements for the anti-rabies vaccination (Referred to in Article 5(1)(b)(i))

For the purposes of Article 5(1), an anti-rabies vaccination shall be considered valid provided that the following requirements are complied with:

1. The anti-rabies vaccine must:

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- (a) be a vaccine other than a live modified vaccine and fall within one of the following categories:
 - (i) an inactivated vaccine of at least one antigenic unit per dose (WHO standard); or
 - (ii) a recombinant vaccine expressing the immunising glycoprotein of the rabies virus in a live virus vector;
 - (b) if administered in a Member State, have been granted a marketing authorisation in accordance with:
 - (i) Directive 2001/82/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 6 November 2001 on the Community code relating to veterinary medicinal products⁽²⁾; or
 - (ii) Regulation (EC) No 726/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 31 March 2004 laying down Community procedures for the authorisation and supervision of medicinal products for human and veterinary use and establishing a European Medicines Agency⁽³⁾;
 - (c) if administered in a third country, meet at least the requirements laid down in Part C of Chapter 2.1.13 of the Manual of Diagnostic Tests and Vaccines for Terrestrial Animals, 2008 Edition, of the World Organisation for Animal Health.
2. An anti-rabies vaccination may only be considered valid if it meets the following conditions:
- (a) the vaccine was administered on a date indicated in:
 - (i) Section IV of the passport; or
 - (ii) the appropriate section of the accompanying animal health certificate;
 - (b) [^{F2}the date referred to in point (a) must not precede the date of microchipping or tattooing indicated in:
 - (i) Section III(2) or III(5) of the passport; or
 - (ii) the appropriate section of the accompanying animal health certificate;]
 - (c) at least 21 days must have elapsed since the completion of the vaccination protocol required by the manufacturer for the primary vaccination in accordance with the technical specification of the marketing authorisation referred to in point 1(b) for the anti-rabies vaccine in the Member State or third country in which the vaccination is administered;
 - (d) the period of validity of the vaccination, as prescribed in the technical specification of the marketing authorisation for the anti-rabies vaccine in the Member State or third country where the vaccine is administered, must have been entered by the authorised veterinarian in:
 - (i) Section IV of the passport; or

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- (ii) the appropriate section of the accompanying animal health certificate;
- (e) a revaccination (booster) must be considered a primary vaccination if it was not carried out within the period of validity referred to in point (d) of a previous vaccination.]

Textual Amendments

F2 Substituted by [Commission Delegated Regulation \(EU\) No 1153/2011 of 30 August 2011 amending Annex Ib to Regulation \(EC\) No 998/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards the technical requirements for the anti-rabies vaccination \(Text with EEA relevance\).](#)

[^{F3}ANNEX II

LIST OF COUNTRIES AND TERRITORIES

Textual Amendments

F3 Substituted by [Commission Regulation \(EC\) No 1467/2006 of 4 October 2006 amending Annex II to Regulation \(EC\) No 998/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards the list of countries and territories \(Text with EEA relevance\).](#)

PART A

IE	Ireland
MT	Malta
SE	Sweden
UK	United Kingdom

PART B Section 1

- (a)DK Denmark, including GL — Greenland and FO — Faeroe Islands;
- (b)ES Spain, including the Balearic Islands, Canary Islands, Ceuta and Melilla;
- (c)FR France, including GF — French Guiana, GP — Guadeloupe, MQ — Martinique and RE — Réunion;
- (d)GI Gibraltar;
- (e)PT Portugal, including the Azores Islands and Madeira Islands;
- (f)Member States other than those listed in Part A and points (a), (b),

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AD	Andorra
CH	Switzerland
[^{F4} HR	Croatia]
IS	Iceland
LI	Liechtenstein
MC	Monaco
NO	Norway
SM	San Marino
VA	Vatican City State

Textual Amendments

F4 Inserted by [Commission Regulation \(EC\) No 1144/2008 of 18 November 2008 amending Annex II to Regulation \(EC\) No 998/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards Croatia \(Text with EEA relevance\).](#)

PART C

AC	Ascension Island
AE	United Arab Emirates
AG	Antigua and Barbuda
AN	Netherlands Antilles
AR	Argentina
AU	Australia
AW	Aruba
BA	Bosnia and Herzegovina
BB	Barbados
BH	Bahrain
BM	Bermuda
BY	Belarus
CA	Canada
CL	Chile
FJ	Fiji
FK	Falkland Islands
HK	Hong Kong
JM	Jamaica
JP	Japan
KN	Saint Kitts and Nevis
KY	Cayman Islands
[^{F7} LC	Saint Lucia]
MS	Montserrat
MU	Mauritius
MX	Mexico
[^{F8} MY	Malaysia]
NC	New Caledonia
NZ	New Zealand
PF	French Polynesia
PM	Saint Pierre and Miquelon
RU	Russian Federation

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SG	Singapore
SH	Saint Helena
TT	Trinidad and Tobago
TW	Taiwan
US	United States of America (including GU — Guam)
VC	Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
VG	British Virgin Islands
VU	Vanuatu
WF	Wallis and Futuna
YT	Mayotte]

Textual Amendments

- F5** Deleted by [Commission Regulation \(EC\) No 245/2007 of 8 March 2007 amending and adapting Annex II to Regulation \(EC\) No 998/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards Bulgaria, Romania and Malaysia \(Text with EEA relevance\)](#).
- F6** Deleted by [Commission Regulation \(EC\) No 1144/2008 of 18 November 2008 amending Annex II to Regulation \(EC\) No 998/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards Croatia \(Text with EEA relevance\)](#).
- F7** Inserted by [Commission Regulation \(EC\) No 898/2009 of 25 September 2009 amending Annex II to Regulation \(EC\) No 998/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards the list of countries and territories \(Text with EEA relevance\)](#).
- F8** Inserted by [Commission Regulation \(EC\) No 245/2007 of 8 March 2007 amending and adapting Annex II to Regulation \(EC\) No 998/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards Bulgaria, Romania and Malaysia \(Text with EEA relevance\)](#).

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- (1) Council Directive 90/539/EEC of 15 October 1990 on animal health conditions governing intra-Community trade in, and imports from third countries of, poultry and hatching eggs (OJ L 303, 31.10.1990, p. 6). Directive as last amended by Commission Decision 2001/867/EC (OJ L 323, 7.12.2001, p. 29).
- (2) [^{F1}OJ L 311, 28.11.2001, p. 1.
- (3) OJ L 136, 30.4.2004, p. 1.]

Textual Amendments

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