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ANNEX I

TECHNICAL RULES (as referred to in Article 6(3), Article 8(1), Article 9(1) and (2)(a))

CHAPTER V

WATERING AND FEEDING INTERVAL, JOURNEY TIMES AND RESTING PERIODS

- 1. Domestic Equidae, domestic animals of bovine, ovine, caprine and porcine species
- 1.1. The requirements laid down in this Section apply to the movement of domestic Equidae, except registered Equidae, domestic animals of bovine, ovine, caprine and porcine species, except in the case of air transport.
- 1.2. Journey times for animals belonging to the species referred to in point 1.1. shall not exceed eight hours.
- 1.3. The maximum journey time in point 1.2. may be extended if the additional requirements of Chapter VI are met.
- 1.4. The watering and feeding intervals, journey times and rest periods when using road vehicles which meet the requirements in point 1.3. are defined as follows:
- (a) Unweaned calves, lambs, kids and foals which are still on a milk diet and unweaned piglets must, after nine hours of travel, be given a rest period of at least one hour sufficient in particular for them to be given liquid and if necessary fed. After this rest period, they may be transported for a further nine hours;
- (b) Pigs may be transported for a maximum period of 24 hours. During the journey, they must have continuous access to water;
- (c) Domestic Equidae may be transported for a maximum period of 24 hours. During the journey they must be given liquid and if necessary fed every eight hours;
- All other animals of the species referred to in point 1.1. must, after 14 hours of travel, be given a rest period of at least one hour sufficient for them in particular to be given liquid and if necessary fed. After this rest period, they may be transported for a further 14 hours
- 1.5. After the journey time laid down, animals must be unloaded, fed and watered and be rested for at least 24 hours.
- 1.6. Animals must not be transported by train if the maximum journey time exceeds that laid down in point 1.2. However, the journey times laid down in point 1.4. shall apply where the conditions laid down in points 1.3. and 1.4, except for rest periods, are met.

1.7.

- (a) Animals must not be transported by sea if the maximum journey time exceeds that laid down in point 1.2, unless the conditions laid down in points 1.3. and 1.4, apart from journey times and rest periods, are met.
- (b) In the case of transport by sea on a regular and direct link between two geographical points ^{F1}... by means of vehicles loaded on to vessels without unloading of the animals,

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the latter must be rested for 12 hours after unloading at the port of destination or in its immediate vicinity unless the journey time at sea is such that the voyage can be included in the general scheme of points 1.2. to 1.4.

Textual Amendments

- F1 Words in Annex 1 Ch. 5 para. 1.7(b) omitted (31.12.2020) by virtue of The Animal Welfare (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 (S.I. 2019/802), regs. 1, 3(40)(e)(i) (as substituted by S.I. 2020/1590, regs. 1(1)(b)(i), 2(29)); 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)
- 1.8. In the interests of the animals, the journey times in points 1.3, 1.4. and 1.7(b) may be extended by two hours, taking account in particular of proximity to the place of destination.

Textual Amendments

- F2 Annex 1 Ch. 5 para. 1.9 omitted (31.12.2020) by virtue of The Animal Welfare (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 (S.I. 2019/802), regs. 1, 3(40)(e)(ii) (as substituted by S.I. 2020/1590, regs. 1(1)(b)(i), 2(29)); 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)
- 2. Other species
- 2.1. For poultry, domestic birds and domestic rabbits, suitable food and water shall be available in adequate quantities, save in the case of a journey lasting less than:
- (a) 12 hours disregarding loading and unloading time; or
- (b) 24 hours for chicks of all species, provided that it is completed within 72 hours after hatching.
- 2.2. Dogs and cats being transported shall be fed at intervals of not more than 24 hours and given water at intervals of not more than eight hours. There shall be clear written instructions about feeding and watering.
- 2.3. Other species other than those referred to in point 2.1. or 2.2. shall be transported in accordance with the written instructions about feeding and watering and taking into account any special care required.

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