

Council Regulation (EC) No 1/2005 of 22 December 2004 on the protection of animals during transport and related operations and amending Directives 64/432/EEC and 93/119/EC and Regulation (EC) No 1255/97

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ANNEX I

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CHAPTER I

FITNESS FOR TRANSPORT

1. No animal shall be transported unless it is fit for...
2. Animals that are injured or that present physiological weaknesses or...
3. However, sick or injured animals may be considered fit for...
4. When animals fall ill or are injured during transport, they...
5. Sedatives shall not be used on animals to be transported...

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6. Lactating females of bovine, ovine and caprine species not accompanied...
7. Requirements of paragraphs 2(c) and 2(d) do not apply for registered...

CHAPTER II

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1. Provisions for all means of transport
 - 1.1. Means of transport, containers and their fittings shall be designed,...
 - 1.2. Sufficient space shall be provided inside the animals' compartment and...
 - 1.3. For wild animals and for species other than domestic Equidae...
 - 1.4. Partitions shall be strong enough to withstand the weight of...
 - 1.5. Piglets of less than 10 kgs, lambs of less than...
 - 1.6. Without prejudice to Community or national rules on crew and...
2. Additional provisions for transport by road or rail
 - 2.1. Vehicles in which animals are transported shall be clearly and...
 - 2.2. Road vehicles shall carry suitable equipment for loading and unloading...
 - 2.3. When assembling trains and during all other movement of rail...
3. Additional provisions for transport on roll-on-roll-off vessels
 - 3.1. Before loading onto a vessel the master shall verify that...
 - 3.2. Road vehicles and rail wagons shall be equipped with a...
4. Additional provisions for transport by air
 - 4.1. Animals shall be transported in containers, pens or stalls appropriate...
 - 4.2. Animals shall be transported only in conditions where air quality,...
5. Additional provisions for transport in containers
 - 5.1. Containers in which animals are transported shall be clearly and...
 - 5.2. During transport and handling, containers shall always be kept upright...
 - 5.3. Containers of more than 50 kg shall be equipped with a...

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TRANSPORT PRACTICES

1. Loading, unloading and handling
 - 1.1. Due regard shall be paid to the need of certain...
 - 1.2. Where loading or unloading operations last for more than four...
Facilities and procedures
 - 1.3. Facilities for loading and unloading, including the flooring, shall be...
 - 1.4. Ramps shall not be steeper than an angle of 20...
 - 1.5. Goods which are being transported in the same means of...
 - 1.6. Appropriate lighting shall be provided during loading and unloading.
 - 1.7. When containers loaded with animals are placed one on top...
 - Handling
 - 1.8. It shall be prohibited to:
 - 1.9. The use of instruments which administer electric shocks shall be...
 - 1.10. Markets or assembly centres shall provide equipment for tethering animals...
 - 1.11. Animals shall not be tied by the horns, the antlers,...

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Separation

- 1.12. Animals shall be handled and transported separately in the following...
- 1.13. Points (a), (b), (c) and (e) of paragraph 1.12. shall not...

2. During transport

- 2.1. Space allowances shall at least comply with the figures laid...
- 2.2. Domestic Equidae except mares travelling with their foals shall be...
- 2.3. Equidae shall not be transported in multi-deck vehicles except if...
- 2.4. Unbroken Equidae shall not be transported in groups of more...
- 2.5. Paragraphs 1.10. to 1.13. shall apply mutatis mutandis to the means...
- 2.6. Sufficient ventilation shall be provided to ensure that the needs...
- 2.7. During transport, animals shall be offered water, feed and the...

CHAPTER IV

ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS FOR LIVESTOCK VESSELS OR VESSELS TRANSPORTING SEA CONTAINERS

SECTION 1

Construction and equipment requirements for livestock vessels

- 1. Strength for pen rails and decks shall be appropriate to...
- 2. Compartments where animals are to be transported shall be equipped...
- 3. Storage or production capacity for fresh water shall be appropriate...
- 4. The fresh water system shall be capable of supplying freshwater...
- 5. The drainage system shall be of appropriate capacity to drain...
- 6. Livestock areas, passageways and ramps to livestock areas shall be...
- 7. A fire fighting system shall be appropriately installed in all...
- 8. The following systems for livestock shall be equipped with a...
- 9. A primary source of power shall be sufficient to supply...

SECTION 2

Feed and water supply on livestock vessels or vessels transporting sea containers

Table 1 Minimum daily feed and water supply on livestock vessels or...

CHAPTER V

WATERING AND FEEDING INTERVAL, JOURNEY TIMES AND RESTING PERIODS

- 1. Domestic Equidae, domestic animals of bovine, ovine, caprine and porcine...
 - 1.1. The requirements laid down in this Section apply to the...
 - 1.2. Journey times for animals belonging to the species referred to...

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- 1.3. The maximum journey time in point 1.2. may be extended...
 - 1.4. The watering and feeding intervals, journey times and rest periods...
 - 1.5. After the journey time laid down, animals must be unloaded,...
 - 1.6. Animals must not be transported by train if the maximum...
 - 1.7. Animals must not be transported by sea if the maximum...
 - 1.8. In the interests of the animals, the journey times in...
 - 1.9. Without prejudice to the provisions of points 1.3. to 1.8.,...
2. Other species
 - 2.1. For poultry, domestic birds and domestic rabbits, suitable food and...
 - 2.2. Dogs and cats being transported shall be fed at intervals...
 - 2.3. Other species other than those referred to in point 2.1....

CHAPTER VI

ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS FOR LONG JOURNEYS OF DOMESTIC EQUIDAE AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS OF BOVINE, OVINE, CAPRINE AND PORCINE SPECIES

1. All long journeys
 - Roof
 - 1.1. The means of transport shall be equipped with a roof...
 - Floor and Bedding
 - 1.2. Animals shall be provided with appropriate bedding or equivalent material...
 - Feed
 - 1.3. The means of transport shall carry a sufficient quantity of...
 - 1.4. Where specific feeding equipment is used for the feeding of...
 - 1.5. Where feeding equipment as referred to in paragraph 1.4. is used,...
 - Partitions
 - 1.6. Equidae shall be transported in individual stalls except mares...
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 - 1.7. The means of transport must be fitted with partitions so...
 - 1.8. The partitions shall be constructed in such a way that...
 - Minimum criteria for certain species
 - 1.9. Except if accompanied by their mother, long journeys are only...
2. Water supply for transport by road, rail or sea containers...
 - 2.1. The means of transport and sea containers shall be equipped...
 - 2.2. The watering devices shall be in good working order and...
 - 2.3. The water tanks' total capacity for each means of transport...
 - 2.4. A derogation from point 2.3. may apply to sea containers...
3. Ventilation for means of transport by road and temperature monitoring...
 - 3.1. Ventilation systems on means of transport by road shall be...
 - 3.2. The ventilation system must be capable of ensuring even distribution...
 - 3.3. Means of transport by road must be fitted with a...
 - 3.4. Means of transport by road must be fitted with a...
 - 3.5. The Commission shall elaborate before 31 July 2005 a report on...
4. Navigation System
 - 4.1. Means of transport by road must be equipped as from...

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- 4.2. The Commission shall submit to the Council, by 1 January 2008,...
- 4.3. The Commission shall submit to the Council, not later than...

CHAPTER VII

SPACE ALLOWANCES

- A. Domestic equidae
 - Transport by rail
 - Transport by road
 - Transport by air
 - Transport by sea
- B. Bovine animals
 - Transport by rail
 - Transport by road
 - Transport by air
 - Transport by sea
- C. Sheep/Goats
 - Transport by rail
 - Transport by road
 - Transport by air
 - Transport by sea
- D. Pigs
 - Transport by rail and by road
 - Transport by air
 - Transport by sea
- E. Poultry
 - Densities applicable to the transport of poultry in containers

ANNEX II

JOURNEY LOG

- 1. A person planning a long journey shall prepare, stamp and...
- 2. The journey log shall comprise the following sections:
- 3. The organiser shall:
- 4. Keepers at the place of departure and, when the place...
- 5. When the place of destination is located within the territory...
- 6. When the journey has been completed within the territory of...
- 7. If animals are exported to a third country, transporters shall...
- 8. The transporter referred to in Section 3 of the journey log...

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TRAINING

1. Road drivers and attendants as referred to in Article 6(5) and...
2. The training courses referred to in paragraph 1 shall include at...

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- (1) Opinion delivered on 30 March 2004 (not yet published in the Official Journal).
- (2) [OJ C 110, 30.4.2004, p. 135.](#)
- (3) [OJ L 340, 11.12.1991, p. 17.](#) Directive as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 806/2003 ([OJ L 122, 16.5.2003, p. 1.](#))
- (4) [OJ L 148, 30.6.1995, p. 52.](#)
- (5) [OJ C 273, 28.9.2001, p. 1.](#)
- (6) [OJ L 174, 2.7.1997, p. 1.](#) Regulation as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1040/2003 ([OJ L 151, 19.6.2003, p. 21.](#))
- (7) [OJ L 370, 31.12.1985, p. 1.](#)
- (8) [OJ L 370, 31.12.1985, p. 8.](#) Regulation as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 432/2004 ([OJ L 71, 10.3.2004, p. 3.](#))
- (9) [OJ L 224, 18.8.1990, p. 42.](#) Directive as last amended by Directive 2004/68/EC ([OJ L 139, 30.4.2004, p. 320.](#))
- (10) [OJ P 121, 29.7.1964, p. 1977/64.](#) Directive as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 21/2004 ([OJ L 5, 9.1.2004, p. 8.](#))
- (11) [OJ L 340, 31.12.1993, p. 21.](#) Directive as amended by Regulation (EC) No 806/2003 ([OJ L 122, 16.5.2003, p. 1.](#))
- (12) [OJ L 351, 2.12.1989, p. 34.](#)
- (13) [OJ L 38, 12.2.1998, p. 10.](#)
- (14) [OJ L 52, 21.2.1998, p. 8.](#)
- (15) [OJ L 184, 17.7.1999, p. 23.](#)

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