

Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2020/2235 of 16 December 2020 laying down rules for the application of Regulations (EU) 2016/429 and (EU) 2017/625 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards model animal health certificates, model official certificates and model animal health/official certificates, for the entry into the Union and movements within the Union of consignments of certain categories of animals and goods, official certification regarding such certificates and repealing Regulation (EC) No 599/2004, Implementing Regulations (EU) No 636/2014 and (EU) 2019/628, Directive 98/68/EC and Decisions 2000/572/EC, 2003/779/EC and 2007/240/EC (Text with EEA relevance)

Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2020/2235, CHAPTER 44. (See end of Document for details)

ANNEX III

CHAPTER 44

**MODEL ANIMAL HEALTH/OFFICIAL CERTIFICATE FOR THE
ENTRY INTO THE UNION OF TREATED RAW MATERIALS
FOR THE PRODUCTION OF GELATINE AND COLLAGEN
INTENDED FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION (MODEL TCG)**

COUNTRY		Animal health/Official certificate to the EU	
Part I: Description of consignment	I.1 Consignor/Exporter Name Address Country ISO country code	I.2 Certificate reference	I.2a IMSOC reference
		I.3 Central Competent Authority	QR CODE
		I.4 Local Competent Authority	
	I.5 Consignee/Importer Name Address Country ISO country code	I.6 Operator responsible for the consignment Name Address Country ISO country code	
	I.7 Country of origin ISO country code	I.9 Country of destination ISO country code	
	I.8 Region of origin Code	I.10 Region of destination Code	
	I.11 Place of dispatch Name Address Registration/ Approval No Country ISO country code	I.12 Place of destination Name Address Registration/ Approval No Country ISO country code	
	I.13 Place of loading	I.14 Date and time of departure	
	I.15 Means of transport <input type="checkbox"/> Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Vessel <input type="checkbox"/> Railway <input type="checkbox"/> Road vehicle Identification	I.16 Entry Border Control Post	
		I.17 Accompanying documents Type Country Commercial document reference Code ISO country code	

I.18 Transport conditions	<input type="checkbox"/> Ambient	<input type="checkbox"/> Chilled	<input type="checkbox"/> Frozen
I.19 Container number/Seal number	Container No	Seal No	
I.20 Certified as or for	<input type="checkbox"/> Products for human consumption		
I.21 <input type="checkbox"/> For transit	Third country ISO country code	I.22 <input type="checkbox"/> For internal market	I.23
I.24 Total number of packages	I.25 Total quantity	I.26 Total net weight/gross weight (kg)	
I.27 Description of consignment			
CN code	Species	Cold store	Identification mark
			Type of packaging
			Number of packages
			Net weight
<input type="checkbox"/> Final consumer	Date of collection/ production	Manufacturing plant	Batch No

Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2020/2235, CHAPTER 44. (See end of Document for details)

COUNTRY		Model certificate TCG	
	II. Health information	II.a Certificate reference	II.b IMSOC reference
Part II: Certification	<p>II.1. Public health attestation [to delete when the Union is not the final destination of treated raw materials]</p> <p>I, the undersigned, hereby certify that the treated raw materials described in Part I:</p> <p>II.1.1. have been derived from establishments under the control of and listed by the competent authority,</p> <p>And</p> <p>⁽¹⁾ [II.1.2. have been derived from</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - bones, and/or - hides and skins of domestic and farmed ruminant animals, pigs and poultry described in Part I derived from animals which were slaughtered in a slaughterhouse and the carcasses which were found to be fit for human consumption following ante- and post-mortem inspection,] <p>And/or</p> <p>⁽¹⁾ [II.1.3. are wild game hides, skins and bones described in Part I derived from animals whose carcasses were found to be fit for human consumption following post-mortem inspection,]</p> <p>And/or</p> <p>⁽¹⁾ [II.1.4. are the hides and skins that did not undergo any tanning process, regardless of whether this process was completed,]</p> <p>And/or</p> <p>⁽¹⁾ [II.1.5. are the fish skins and bones derived from plants that produce fishery products for human consumption which are authorised for export,]</p> <p>And</p> <p>⁽¹⁾ <i>Either</i> [II.1.6. are dried bones of species from bovine, ovine, caprine, and porcine animals, including farmed and wild animals, poultry, ratites and feathered game for the production of gelatine and collagen, and they are derived from healthy animals slaughtered in a slaughterhouse, and they have been treated as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - ⁽¹⁾ [crushed to pieces of approximately 15 mm and degreased with hot water at a minimum temperature of 70 °C for at least 30 minutes, a minimum of 80 °C for at least 15 minutes, or a minimum of 90 °C for at least 10 minutes; then separated and subsequently washed and dried for at least 20 minutes in a stream of hot air with an initial minimum temperature of 350 °C, or for 15 minutes in a stream of hot air with an initial temperature of over 700 °C,], or, - ⁽¹⁾ [sun-dried for a minimum of 42 days at an average temperature of at least 20°C,], or, - ⁽¹⁾ [have undergone an acid treatment such that the pH is maintained at less than 6 to the core for at least one hour before drying,] 		

Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2020/2235, CHAPTER 44. (See end of Document for details)

COUNTRY		Model certificate TCG	
II. Health information	II.a Certificate reference	II.b IMSOC reference	
(¹)or	[II.1.6. are hides and skins of farmed ruminant animals, pig skins, poultry skins or wild game hides and skins that are derived from healthy animals and they:		
	– (¹) [have undergone an alkali treatment which ensures a PH>12 to the core followed by salting for at least seven days,], or,		
	– (¹) [were dried for at least 42 days at a temperature of at least 20 °C,], or,		
	– (¹) o [have undergone an acid treatment that provides at least a pH of less than 5 to the core for a minimum of one hour,] or,		
	– (¹) [have undergone an alkali treatment which ensures a pH > 12 to the core for at least 8 hours,]]		
(¹)or	[II.1.6 are bones, hides or skins of farmed ruminant animals, pig skins, poultry skins, fish skins and wild game hides and skins from third countries or regions thereof referred to in implementing acts adopted by the Commission in accordance with Article 127(2) of Regulation (EU) 2017/625, they have undergone any other treatment than those listed above, and come from a third country or region thereof, listed for import of fresh meat or fishery products of the species of origin in accordance with implementing acts adopted by the Commission in accordance with Article 127(2) of Regulation (EU) 2017/,		
	And		
(¹)	[II.1.7. in the case of treated raw materials of bovine, ovine and caprine animal origin, and except for hides and skins,		
	(¹) either [the country or region of origin is classified in accordance with Commission Decision 2007/453/EC ^A as a country or region posing a negligible BSE risk, and(⁶)		
	(¹) [the animals from which the treated raw material is derived were born, continuously reared and slaughtered in a country or region classified in accordance with Decision 2007/453/EC as a country or region posing a negligible BSE risk in which there have been no BSE indigenous cases;]		
	(¹) [the animals from which the treated raw material is derived originate from a country or region classified in accordance with Decision 2007/453/EC as a country or region posing a negligible BSE risk in which there has been at least one BSE indigenous case, and the treated raw material does not contain and is not derived from mechanically separated meat obtained from bones of bovine, ovine and caprine animals;]		
	(¹) [the animals from which the raw material is derived originate from a country or region classified in accordance with Decision 2007/453/EC as a country or region posing a controlled BSE risk and:		

^A Commission Decision 2007/453/EC of 29 June 2007 establishing the BSE status of Member States or third countries or regions thereof according to their BSE risk (OJ L 172, 30.6.2007, p. 84).

Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2020/2235, CHAPTER 44. (See end of Document for details)

COUNTRY	Model certificate TCG	
II. Health information	II.a Certificate reference	II.b IMSOC reference
	(i)	the treated raw material does not contain and is not derived from specified risk material as defined in point 1 of Annex V to Regulation (EC) No 999/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council ^B ;
	(ii)	the treated raw material does not contain and is not derived from mechanically separated meat obtained from bones of bovine, ovine and caprine animals;
	(iii)	the animals from which the treated raw material is derived were not slaughtered after stunning by means of gas injected into the cranial cavity or killed by the same method or slaughtered by laceration after stunning of central nervous tissue by means of an elongated rod-shaped instrument introduced into the cranial cavity;]
	(¹)	[the animals from which the treated raw material is derived originate from a country or region classified in accordance with Decision 2007/453/EC as a country or region posing an undetermined BSE risk and:
	(i)	the treated raw material does not contain and is not derived from specified risk material as defined in point 1 of Annex V to Regulation (EC) No 999/2001;
	(ii)	the treated raw material does not contain and is not derived from mechanically separated meat obtained from bones of bovine, ovine and caprine animals;
	(iii)	the animals from which the treated raw material is derived have not been slaughtered after stunning by means of gas injected into the cranial cavity or killed by the same method or slaughtered by laceration after stunning of central nervous tissue by means of an elongated rod-shaped instrument introduced into the cranial cavity;]
	(iv)	the animals from which the treated raw material is derived have not been fed with meat-and-bone meal or greaves, as defined in the Terrestrial Animal Health Code of the World Organisation for Animal Health ^C ;
	(v)	the treated raw material was produced and handled in a manner which ensures that they do not contain and were not contaminated with nervous and lymphatic tissues exposed during the deboning process;]
	(¹) or	[the country or region of origin is classified in accordance with Decision 2007/453/EC as a country or region posing a controlled BSE risk, and

^B Regulation (EC) No 999/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 22 May 2001 laying down rules for the prevention, control and eradication of certain transmissible spongiform encephalopathies (OJ L 147, 31.5.2001, p. 1).
^C <https://www.oie.int/en/standard-setting/terrestrial-code/access-online/>

Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2020/2235, CHAPTER 44. (See end of Document for details)

COUNTRY	Model certificate TCG	
II. Health information	II.a Certificate reference	II.b IMSOC reference
	<p>(a) the animals from which the treated raw material was derived have not been slaughtered after stunning by means of gas injected into the cranial cavity or killed by the same method or slaughtered by laceration after stunning of central nervous tissue by means of an elongated rod-shaped instrument introduced into the cranial cavity;</p> <p>(b) the treated raw material does not contain and is not derived from:</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">(i) specified risk material as defined in point 1 of Annex V to Regulation (EC) No 999/2001;</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">(ii) mechanically separated meat obtained from bones of bovine, ovine and caprine animals.]</p> <p>(¹) or [the country or region of origin has not been classified in accordance with Decision 2007/453/EC or is classified as a country or region with an undetermined BSE risk, and</p> <p>(a) the animals from which the treated raw material is derived have not been:</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">(i) slaughtered after stunning by means of gas injected into the cranial cavity or killed by the same method or slaughtered by laceration after stunning of central nervous tissue by means of an elongated rod-shaped instrument introduced into the cranial cavity;</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">(ii) fed meat-and-bone meal or greaves derived from ruminants, as defined in the Terrestrial Animal Health Code of the World Organisation for Animal Health;</p> <p>(b) the treated raw material does not contain and is not derived from:</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">(i) specified risk material as defined in point 1 of Annex V to Regulation (EC) No 999/2001;</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">(ii) mechanically separated meat obtained from bones of bovine, ovine and caprine animals;</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">(iii) nervous and lymphatic tissues exposed during the deboning process.]]</p>	
II.2. Animal health attestation⁽¹⁾ [to delete when the treated raw materials derived entirely from solipeds or leporidae or wild land mammals other than ungulates]		
The treated raw materials described in Part I:		
II.2.1. consist of products of animal origin that satisfy the animal health requirements below,		
II.2.2. have been obtained in the country(ies) or region(s) thereof of ⁽¹⁾ [.....] ⁽¹⁾ or [.....] ^{(2),(3)} ,		
II.2.3. have been obtained and prepared without contact with other materials that do not comply with the conditions required above, and have been handled so as to avoid contamination with pathogenic agents,		

Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2020/2235, CHAPTER 44. (See end of Document for details)

COUNTRY	Model certificate TCG	
II. Health information	II.a Certificate reference	II.b IMSOC reference
<p>II.2.4. have been transported in clean and sealed containers or lorries.</p> <p>Notes</p> <p>In accordance with the Agreement on the withdrawal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland from the European Union and the European Atomic Energy Community, and in particular Article 5(4) of the Protocol on Ireland / Northern Ireland in conjunction with Annex 2 to that Protocol, references to European Union in this certificate include the United Kingdom in respect of Northern Ireland.</p> <p>This certificate is intended for entry into the Union of treated raw materials for the production of gelatine and collagen intended for human consumption, including when the Union is not the final destination of such treated materials.</p> <p>This animal health/official certificate shall be completed according to the notes for the completion of certificates provided for in Chapter 4 of Annex I to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2020/2235.</p> <p>Part I:</p> <p>Box reference I.8: Provide the code of the territory as it appears in a list of third countries and territories adopted by the Commission in accordance with Article 230(1) of Regulation (EU) 2016/429</p> <p>Box reference I.27: Insert the appropriate Harmonised System (HS) code(s) such as: 0210, 0305, 0505, 0506, 0511 91, 0511.99, 1602, 1604, 4101, 4102 or 4103.</p> <p>Box reference I.27: Description of consignment:</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;"><i>"Nature of commodity"</i>: hides, skins, bones, tendons and sinews.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;"><i>"Manufacturing plant"</i>: includes slaughterhouse, factory vessel, cutting plant, game handling establishment and processing plant.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;"><i>"Approval number"</i>: When applicable.</p> <p>Part II:</p> <p>(1) Delete as appropriate. In the case of products derived from fishery products, the whole part II.2 should be deleted.</p> <p>(2) The name and ISO code number of the exporting country or territory or zone as laid down in a list of third countries and territories adopted by the Commission in accordance with Article 230(1) of Regulation (EU) 2016/429.</p>		

Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2020/2235, CHAPTER 44. (See end of Document for details)

COUNTRY**Model certificate TCG**

II. Health information	II.a Certificate reference	II.b IMSOC reference
<p>(3) If parts of the materials were derived from animals originating from an(other) third country(ies) or regions thereof listed in implementing acts adopted by the Commission in accordance with Article 127(2) of Regulation (EU) 2017/625, the code(s) of country(ies) or region(s) shall be stated.</p> <p>(4) to be signed by</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — an official veterinarian when part II.2 Animal health attestation is not deleted — a certifying officer or an official veterinarian when part II.2 Animal health attestation is deleted. <p>(5) Keep at least one of the proposed options.</p>		
<p>[Official veterinarian]⁽¹⁾⁽⁴⁾/[Certifying officer]⁽¹⁾⁽⁴⁾</p> <p>Name (in capital letters)</p> <p>Date Qualification and title</p> <p>Stamp Signature</p>		

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2020/2235, CHAPTER 44.