

DEPARTMENT FOR ENVIRONMENT, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS

ANIMAL HEALTH ACT 1981

THE IMPORTATION OF HAY AND STRAW ORDER 1979

The Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs by this licence issued under Article 3 of the Importation of Hay and Straw Order 1979 hereby authorises to land in England, in accordance with the conditions set out below:

Product	Hay and Straw
from Country of export	Member States of the European Union, Norway, Switzerland and Lichtenstein
At Port of Entry into England (see Notes 3 and 4)	Any Port or Airport

until further notice, unless revoked by the Secretary for State.

General licence IM352 is hereby revoked.

1 July 2011



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Officer of the Department for
Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

Any expressions used in this licence have the same meaning as they bear in the Animal Health Act 1981.

CONDITIONS ATTACHED TO THIS LICENCE

1. All landings must be in accordance with the provisions of the Importation of Hay and Straw Order 1979.
2. All consignments should be accompanied by a commercial document which describes the product and indicates the place of origin and intended destination.

3. Hay and straw originating from a protection zone for the control of foot-and-mouth disease should be treated in accordance Article 33 of Council Directive 2003/85/EC.
4. Any products imported under this licence shall be made available if so required by an officer of Animal Health and Veterinary Laboratories Agency at any place nominated by him/her for such inspection. The importer or his agent shall afford all assistance necessary to such an officer to enable him/her to carry out the inspection in such a manner as he/she shall determine and the importer shall be responsible for meeting any costs of carrying out such an inspection.

NOTES

1. "Hay" means any grass, clover, lucerne or sainfoin which has been dried either naturally or artificially, and includes any product (other than grain) which is obtained by so drying any green cereal.
2. "Straw" means any green cereal which has been dried either naturally or artificially and includes any product (other than grain) which is obtained by so drying any green cereal.
3. This licence is granted under animal health import legislation and gives no exemption from any prohibition, regulation or restriction imposed by any other Government Department or Agency.

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