



General Licence No: IMP/GEN/2016/05

DEPARTMENT FOR ENVIRONMENT, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS

Animal Health and Welfare Act 1984

The Importation of Embryos, Ova and Semen Order 1980 as amended

The Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, by this licence issued under Article 4 of the Importation of Embryos, Ova and Semen Order 1984 as amended, hereby authorises the landing in England, in accordance with the conditions set out below for:

Bovine Ova/Embryos	Product
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Originating in

Northern Ireland	Country of Origin
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At

Any Port or Airport in England	Port of Entry
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This licence is valid for imports from the date of issue until varied or revoked by the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs.

Date 26 July 2016



Signed: 

On behalf of the Secretary of State for Environment Food and Rural Affairs

CONDITIONS

1. Each consignment must be accompanied by a certificate signed by an Official veterinarian of the Department of Agriculture and Rural Development, Northern Ireland, stating what follows below and at paragraph 2:
 - a) Details of the consignment: number of ova/embryos, identification of donor animal, date(s) of collection, breed;
 - b) Name, address and registration number of the approved embryo team, including team veterinarian;
 - c) Destination of ova/embryos;
 - place of loading
 - place of destination
 - means of transport
 - names and addresses of consignor and consignee
 - number and code-mark of ova/embryo containers
 - Seal number on shipping flask

2. The ova/embryos ⁽¹⁾ described above:
 - a) were produced/collected ⁽¹⁾, processed and stored by an approved embryo collection/production ⁽¹⁾ team ⁽²⁾ approved and supervised in accordance with Chapter I of Annex A to Directive 89/556/EEC;
 - b) meet the requirements of Chapter II of Annex A to Directive 89/556/EEC;
 - c) come from donor females which meet the requirements of Annex B to Directive 89/556/EEC;

⁽¹⁾either [d) are *in vivo* derived embryos which were conceived as a result of artificial insemination with semen meeting the requirements of Directive 88/407/EEC;]

⁽¹⁾or [d) are *in vivo* derived/*in vitro* collected⁽¹⁾ ova;]

⁽¹⁾or [d) are *in vitro* produced/micromanipulated⁽¹⁾ embryos which were conceived as a result of *in vitro* fertilisation with semen meeting the requirements of Directive 88/407/EEC,

 - e) were sent to the place of loading in a sealed flask under conditions complying with Directive 89/556/EEC and bearing the number detailed in Paragraph 1.

⁽¹⁾ Delete as appropriate

Notes

The certificate should indicate that it is valid for 10 days from the date of issue.

Caution

Any breach of any conditions attached to this licence will constitute an offence against the Animal Health and Welfare Act 1984

Contact for further information:

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