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ANNEX B

SUPPORT CERTIFICATION IN RESPECT OF THE HOLDING OF ORIGIN OF HORSES INTENDED FOR EXPORT TO THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA (PRC) AND THE FIRST SERIES OF TESTS ON THE HORSES.

NAME OF HORSE:

PASSPORT NUMBER:

DATE OF BIRTH:

SEX:

COLOUR:

NAME AND ADDRESS OF HOLDING ON WHICH RESIDENT:

INTENDED DATE OF ENTRY INTO PRE-EXPORT QUARANTINE:

I, the undersigned, hereby certify:

- a) That there has been no clinical case of Equine infectious anaemia, Equine paratyphoid (*Salmonella abortus-equi*), Equine rhinopneumonitis, Equine viral arteritis, Equine influenza, Equine piroplasmosis, Contagious equine metritis, Strangles (*Streptococcus equi*), Leptospirosis, Equine mange, Horse pox and Equine ehrlichiosis on the holding mentioned above during the past 12 months;
- b) the horse described above was clinically examined while in isolation on the holding and within 24 hours prior to movement into pre-export quarantine and found to be free from clinical signs of notifiable contagious and infectious disease;
- c) within 30 days prior to entering the approved PEQ facility, samples were taken from the horse and subjected to the following tests in a laboratory approved by Defra , with the results stated:

- 1) Equine infectious anaemia: Agar gel immunodiffusion test (AGIDT), with a negative result;
- 2) Equine paratyphoid (*Salmonella abortus-equi*): tube agglutination test, with a negative result at serum dilution of 1:320;
- 3) Equine rhinopneumonitis:

*3.1) For non-vaccinated horses: *EITHER a complement fixation test (CFT) *OR a serum neutralization test (SNT), with a negative result at a dilution of 1:4; OR

*3.2) For vaccinated horses: *EITHER a complement fixation test (CFT) *OR a serum neutralization test (SNT), with a titre which is no less than 1:32;

Date/s of vaccination:

Type of vaccine:

The effective period of vaccine:

Dosage:

Manufacturer:

OR

*3.3) *EITHER a complement fixation test (CFT) *OR a serum neutralization test (SNT), on two occasions at least 14 days apart, with no more than a two-fold increase in titre;

□ CFT / □ SNT 1st occasion		□ CFT / □ SNT 2nd occasion	
Date of sampling	Test Result (titre)	Date of sampling	Test Result (titre)

OR

*3.4) *EITHER a virus isolation test *OR PCR test, with negative results;

4) Equine viral arteritis:

*4.1) In the case of uncastrated males: *EITHER a serum neutralization test (SNT), with a negative result at a serum dilution of 1:4 *OR a virus isolation test on a semen sample collected within 60 days before export, with a negative result;

*4.2) In horses other than uncastrated males: *EITHER a serum neutralization test (SNT), with a negative result at a serum dilution of 1:4 *OR a serum neutralization test (SNT) on two occasions at least 14 days apart, which demonstrated stable or declining antibody titres;

5) Contagious equine metritis (in horses other than castrated males): Bacterial cultural examination on two sets of samples taken at least seven (7) days apart from the appropriate sites in the reproductive organs, with negative results;

6) Equine piroplasmiasis: *EITHER a cELISA, with a negative result *OR an IFAT, with a negative result at a serum dilution of 1:80;

d) during the 6 months prior to entering the approved PEQ facility, the horse was vaccinated against equine influenza (using inactivated vaccine) on at least two occasions:

Dates of vaccination (at least 21 days apart):

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Valid until (date of next booster):

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Type of vaccine:

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Dosage:

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Manufacturer:

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Signed:MRCVS
(Veterinarian)

Name in Capitals:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Date:

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