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No:

EXPORT OF FRESH/CHILLED/FROZEN CANINE SEMEN FROM UNITED KINGDOM TO BARBADOS
HEALTH CERTIFICATE

EXPORTING COUNTRY: UNITED KINGDOM

CERTIFYING VETERINARIAN: OFFICIAL VETERINARIAN

I. Information concerning the donor animal

Identification (Microchip No*/ Tattoo*)	Name	Breed

II. Information concerning the semen

Date of Semen Collection	Clinical inspection YES/ NO	Number of straws	Straw Identification
1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			
5.			
6.			

a) Identification marks on straws*/ampoules* or pellets* (markings must be indelible):

b) Date(s) of collection of the semen:

III. Origin of the semen

- a) Name and address of owner:
- b) Address of the premises at which the semen was collected:

IV. Health information

I, _____, being an Official Veterinarian hereby certify that:

- a) **Either*** (i) the United Kingdom is officially free of rabies according to the rules of the World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE), Terrestrial Animal Health Code;
- Or*** (ii) on _____ (date), being no more than 12 months and no less than 30 days prior to collection of the semen for this consignment the donor dog was vaccinated against rabies with an approved inactivated vaccine;
- Name of vaccine:
- Batch number:
- b) I have received a written declaration from the owner of the donor dog stating that the dog has been resident in the United Kingdom during the 6 months immediately prior to the date of collection of semen for this consignment;
- c) on the day(s) of collection of the semen, I examined the donor dog and found it to be free from clinical signs of rabies or other infectious or contagious disease;
- d) **either*** (i) no cases of *Brucella canis* have been recorded in the United Kingdom during the past 6 months;
- or*** (ii) on _____ (date), being within 30 days of the first semen collection for this consignment, a blood sample was taken from the donor dog and sent to the Veterinary Laboratories Agency laboratory, Weybridge where it was submitted to the serum agglutination test for *Brucella canis* with a negative result (negative means less than 50% agglutination at serum dilution of 1:100);
- e) no unsterilized substance of animal origin was added to the extender or diluents. Egg yolk, if used, was obtained from eggs from a flock free from Newcastle Disease and Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza (HPAI);

- f) either* (i) the semen extender does not contain milk products,
- or* (ii) the milk products used as a semen extender originated from a country recognized, at the time of collection of the milk, as free of Foot and Mouth disease by the World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE), Terrestrial Animal Health Code;
- g) the semen was placed in sealed straws*/ampoules*, which are permanently identified. The identification mark is noted at paragraph II. (a) of this export health certificate;
- h) the sealed straws*/ampoules*/pellets* containing the semen are packed in a new container or one which has been cleaned and sterilized before use. The refrigerant has not been used for any other purpose.

* Delete as appropriate

Stamp SignedRCVS
 Name in block
 letters:
 Official Veterinarian

Date..... Address.....
