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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, ENVIRONMENT AND RURAL AFFAIRS - NORTHERN IRELAND

No: .....

EXPORT OF NON-HUMAN PRIMATES FROM UNITED KINGDOM TO SOUTH AFRICA

HEALTH CERTIFICATE

EXPORTING COUNTRY: UNITED KINGDOM

FOR COMPLETION BY: OFFICIAL VETERINARIAN

I. Number and identification of the animals (attach schedule if necessary)

| Microchip Number | Microchip location | Species/Breed | Sex | Age |
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**II. Origin of the animals**

(a) Name and address of exporter:

tel.no

fax.no

(b) Address of premises of origin where the animals were examined:

**III. Destination of the animals**

(a) Name and address of consignee:

tel.no (if known)

fax.no (if known)

(b) Address of premises of destination:

(c) Means of transport:

(flight number or name of ship)

(d) import permit number:

**IV. Health Information**

I, the undersigned Official Veterinarian, hereby certify that:

- (a) each animal listed at paragraph I above is individually identified with the unique microchip number shown, which correlates with its ISIS and/or studbook number where applicable;
- (b) to the best of my belief, and based on a written declaration from the owner/exporter\*, the said animals have been continuously resident in United Kingdom in captivity since birth or for the past 12 months prior to export;
- (c) the said animals originate from an area which is not subject to any official animal health restrictions relating to a disease to which the species is susceptible;
- (d) United Kingdom has been officially free of rabies according to the rules of the World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE), Terrestrial Animal Health Code for the past 2 years;
- (e) no case of **Marburg Fever** or **Ebola fever** has been confirmed at the premises of origin during the past 6 months prior to export;
- (f) no case of **Simian AIDS** Virus has been confirmed at the premises of origin during the past 6 months prior to export;
- (g) United Kingdom is free of indigenous **Yellow Fever**;

- (h) (in the case of macaque species only)\* on the basis of clinical observation, laboratory reports and pathological reports there has been no evidence of **Herpes B virus** in the premises of origin during the 12 months prior to export, and the said animals have not been in contact with any macaques of unknown health status;
- (i) the said animals have been kept at an approved institution which ensures that these primates for export to South Africa have not been in contact with primates of a lesser health status or new introductions of primates for 45 days prior to export to South Africa (pre-export isolation);
- (j) on....., being within 10 days prior to their export to South Africa, I have examined each of the said animals and found them to be free from any clinical evidence of infectious or contagious disease, and free from external parasites, and in my opinion fit for the intended journey;
- (k) I have received a written declaration from the owner/exporter stating that the said animals will be transported in containers constructed in accordance with recognised International Air Transport Association (I.A.T.A.) standards, being either new containers, or containers which have been cleansed and disinfected before use with a disinfectant approved by the Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs.

\* delete as applicable

V. This certificate is valid for 10 (ten) days from the date of signature.

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Signed .....RCVS

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(Name in block letters)

Official Veterinarian

Address .....

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Date .....