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No: .....

EXPORT OF DAY OLD CHICKS AND CHICKEN HATCHING EGGS FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM  
TO INDIA

EXPORTING COUNTRY: UNITED KINGDOM

FOR COMPLETION BY: OFFICIAL VETERINARIAN

I. Number and identification of the day old chicks/hatching eggs\*

Number	Identification	Breed or Type

II. Origin of the chicks/eggs\*

a) Name and address of exporter:

b) Address(es) of premises of origin:

c) \*Address of hatchery:

**III. Destination of the chicks/eggs\***

- a) Country of destination: INDIA
- b) Name and address of consignee:
- c) Nature and identification of means of transportation:
- d) Type of containers:

**IV. Health Information**

I, the undersigned official veterinarian, certify that the day old chicks/hatching eggs\* described above meet the following requirements:

- a) \*(delete in the case of hatching eggs) I have today examined the chicks for export and found them healthy, free from evidence of disease, and in my opinion fit for the intended journey;
- b) The day old chicks/hatching eggs\* were kept in:
  - EITHER\* (i) The United Kingdom
  - OR\* (ii) A Region of the United Kingdom
  - OR\* (iii) A poultry Compartment within the United Kingdom which has been free from viruses of **highly pathogenic avian influenza** in poultry since they were hatched/laid\*;
- c) The day old chicks/hatching eggs\* were derived from parent flocks which had been kept in:
  - EITHER\* (i) The United Kingdom
  - OR\* (ii) A Region of the United Kingdom
  - OR\* (iii) A poultry Compartment within the United Kingdom which was free from **notifiable avian influenza** in poultry for at least the last 21 days prior to and at the time of the collection of eggs;
- d) The flock(s) of origin are free of **Mycoplasmosis**, and the flocks of origin and the hatchery are members of a Government supervised Poultry Health Scheme, which implements and exceeds the disease control and biosecurity recommendations contained in the OIE Terrestrial Animal Health Code, chapter 6.4., and as such they are subject to regular veterinary inspection;

e) With respect to **Infectious Laryngotracheitis** (ILT):

(i) \*(delete in the case of hatching eggs) the day old chicks have:

EITHER\* not been vaccinated for ILT

OR\* been vaccinated for ILT as follows:

Manufacturer	Name of vaccine	Date administered

(ii) the parent flocks are recognised as being free from ILT, based on serological results;

(iii) the parent flocks have:

EITHER\* not been vaccinated for ILT

OR\* been vaccinated for ILT as follows:

Manufacturer	Name of vaccine	Date administered

f) With respect to **Infectious Bronchitis** (IB) :

(i) \*(delete in the case of hatching eggs) the day old chicks have:

EITHER\* not been vaccinated for IB

OR\* been vaccinated for IB as follows:

Manufacturer	Name of vaccine	Date administered

(ii) the parent flocks are recognised as being free from IB, based on serological results;

(iii) the parent flocks have:

EITHER\* not been vaccinated for IB

OR\* been vaccinated for IB as follows:

Manufacturer	Name of vaccine	Date administered

g) The day old chicks/hatching eggs\* were kept in:

EITHER\*(i) The United Kingdom

OR\* (ii) A Region of the United Kingdom

OR\* (iii) A poultry Compartment within the United Kingdom

which has been free from **Newcastle disease** since they were hatched/laid\*;

h) The day old chicks/hatching eggs\* were derived from parent flocks which had been kept in:

EITHER\*(i) The United Kingdom

OR\* (ii) A Region of the United Kingdom

OR\* (iii) A poultry Compartment within the United Kingdom

which was free from **Newcastle disease** for at least the last 21 days prior to and at the time of the collection of eggs;

j) The flock(s) of origin and the hatchery are members of a Government supervised Poultry Health Scheme, under which they are regularly tested for **fowl typhoid (Salmonella gallinarum)** and **pullorum disease (S.pullorum)**, and as such they are recognised as being free from these diseases;

k) the flock(s) of origin have not been vaccinated for avian influenza;

l) \*(delete in the case of day old chicks) the surface of the hatching eggs has been sanitised in accordance with the guidance in the OIE Terrestrial Animal Health Code chapter 6.4.;

m) The boxes in which the day old chicks/hatching eggs\* are packed for export are new, unused and clean;

n) The flocks from which the day old chicks/hatching eggs\* originate have been kept in the United Kingdom for the past 12 months, or since hatching, and during this period they have not had any contact with imported birds.

V. This certificate is valid for 15 days.

\* Delete as appropriate

OFFICIAL VETERINARIAN Stamp Signed .....RCVS

Name in block letters .....

OFFICIAL VETERINARIAN

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