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No:

EXPORT OF CHICKEN HATCHING EGGS AND DAY OLD CHICKS OF DOMESTIC FOWL TO
ZIMBABWE

SUPPORT HEALTH CERTIFICATE

I. Name and address of Official Veterinarian to whom this certificate
must be returned as soon as possible:

II. Name and address of exporter:

III. Address of flock of origin:

IV. Date of export:

V. Health Information.

I, the undersigned, certify that the birds comprising the flock of
origin meet the following requirements:

- a) on (date), all the birds comprising the flock(s) of
origin were inspected and found to be free from clinical signs of
infectious or contagious disease;

- b) to the best of my knowledge and belief and after due enquiry there have been no cases of **pasteurellosis** (fowl cholera) or **tuberculosis** at the premises of origin during the past 12 months;
- c) to the best of my knowledge and belief and after due enquiry there has been no mortality greater than 2% due to **Marek's disease** in the flocks of origin during the past 12 months;
- d) to the best of my knowledge and belief and after due enquiry there have been no cases of **infectious laryngotracheitis** at the premises of origin during the past 12 months;
- e) the flocks of origin are subject to regular bacteriological testing under a statutory government scheme for **Salmonella enteritidis** and have given negative results in each case during the past 12 months.
- f) the flocks of origin are members of a government supervised poultry health scheme under which they are subject to regular routine bacteriological testing for **Salmonella pullorum** and **S.gallinarum** and have given negative results in each case during the past 12 months.
- g) to the best of my knowledge and belief and after inspecting all relevant reports of post mortem and laboratory examinations there have been no cases of **avian vibronic hepatitis** at the premises of origin during the past 12 months;
- h) no case of **low pathogenic avian influenza** has been confirmed at the premises of origin at paragraph II (b) above during the past 3 months;
- j) the flocks of origin are held within closed houses which are secure against the entry of wild birds;
- k) all hatching eggs are subject to systematic disinfection by an officially approved method before being despatched to the hatchery;
- l) the flocks of origin have not shown any clinical signs of **avian influenza** during the 21 days immediately prior to export;
- m) to the best of my knowledge and belief and after due enquiry there have been no cases of **avian encephalomyelitis, duck virus hepatitis, or duck virus enteritis** at the premises of origin during the past 12 months;
- n) the flocks of origin are members of a government supervised poultry health scheme under which they are subject to regular routine serological testing for **Mycoplasma gallisepticum** and have given negative results in each case during the past 12 months.
- o) the flocks of origin are subject to regular serological testing at a government approved laboratory for **Mycoplasma synoviae** with sample numbers sufficient to give 95% confidence of detecting infection at 5% prevalence and have given negative results in each case during the past 12 months.
- p) the flocks of origin have not shown any clinical signs of **infectious bronchitis** or **infectious bursal disease** during the 21 days immediately prior to collection of the eggs from which the day old chicks for export were hatched;
- q) to the best of my knowledge and belief and after due enquiry there have been no cases of **avian leucosis** or **egg drop syndrome (EDS '76)** at the premises of origin during the past 12 months;

r) the hatching eggs have been kept in isolated conditions and have not come into contact with any other eggs or birds prior to export apart from those of a similar health status;

VI. This certificate is valid for 10 days.

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SignedRCVS

Name in
block letters

Flock Veterinarian

Date

Address
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