

# APPLICATION ONLY NOT TO BE CERTIFIED



DEPARTMENT FOR ENVIRONMENT, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS  
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No: .....

EXPORT OF HAMSTERS FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM TO THE STATE OF KUWAIT

HEALTH CERTIFICATE

EXPORTING COUNTRY: UNITED KINGDOM

FOR COMPLETION BY: OFFICIAL VETERINARIAN

**I. Number and identification of the animal(s)\***

Number	Identification/ colour	Species/Breed (scientific name)	Sex	Age

**II. Origin of the animal(s)\***

(a) Name and address of consignor/exporter:

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

**III. Destination of the animal(s)\***

(a) Name and address of consignee:

(b) Means of transportation:

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(c) Type of vehicle and registration number (if known):

(d) Name of vessel or aircraft flight number (if known):

(e) Place and date of loading:

#### IV. Health Information

I, the undersigned, certify that the animals described above meet the following requirements:

- a) on \_\_\_\_\_, being within 24 hours prior to export, I examined the animals and found them to be healthy, free from clinical signs of infectious or contagious disease, and in my opinion fit to travel;
- b) the hamsters have been effectively treated, if necessary, against internal and external parasites;
- c) the hamsters were raised in a breeding centre of an approved company or organisation;
- d) the hamsters have not been used for an experimental trial with infectious or contagious diseases;
- e) a written declaration has been received from the owner/exporter\* stating that the animals will be exported directly from the holdings of origin and will not come into contact with other animals of a lesser health status, nor pass through an area officially restricted because of a notifiable disease to which the animals are susceptible, during their transit to the port of embarkation;
- f) a written declaration has been received from the owner/exporter\* stating that the animals will be shipped in a container which conforms to IATA regulations, and which is either new or has been suitably disinfected and fumigated before loading and is of such a nature that contact with other animals of a lesser health status en route will be prevented.

\* Delete as applicable

V. This certificate is valid for 2 (two) days from the date of loading

Official Stamp

Signed.....RCVS

Name in block

letters.....

Official Veterinarian

Date.....

Address.....

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