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No:

VETERINARY CERTIFICATE FOR THE EXPORT OF PETFOODS CONTAINING INGREDIENTS OF ANIMAL ORIGIN TO ISRAEL

HEALTH CERTIFICATE

EXPORTING COUNTRY: UNITED KINGDOM

FOR COMPLETION BY: OFFICIAL VETERINARIAN

I. IDENTIFICATION OF THE PRODUCTS

- (a) Producer (name, approval number, full address & post code):
- (b) Description of the products:
- (c) Product contains animal origin materials from the following species:
- (d) Nature of packaging:
- (e) Number of packages: Net Weight:
- (f) Lot/Batch production reference number:

II. ORIGIN

- (a) Consignor (name and address):
- (b) Port of Loading:

- (c) Means of Transport: Flight/Ship:
(d) Container Number: Seal Number:

III. DESTINATION

- (a) Place of Destination:
(b) Consignee (name and address):

IV. HEALTH INFORMATION

I, the undersigned Official Veterinarian hereby certify that:

1. The product meets the requirements of the United Kingdom's Laws and Regulations and may be freely sold for animal feeding in the United Kingdom;
2. The product/s was/were produced under the supervision of an official or accredited veterinarian;
3. No cases of foot and mouth disease, swine vesicular disease, rinderpest and African swine fever have been diagnosed within a radius of 30 km from the processing plant during the last 6 months prior to shipment;
4. In the case of canned petfood or retorted pouches, the product has been:
 - a. Heat treated in hermetically sealed containers to a minimum Fc value of 3.0;
 - and
 - b. Manufactured and packaged complying with approved manufacturing practice, sufficient to render it commercially sterile and free from pathogenic microorganisms;
5. In the case of dry petfood and semi-moist petfood:
 - a. The processed petfood or the ingredients of animal origin have been subjected to a heat treatment of at least 90°C throughout their substances;
 - b. The product has been manufactured and packaged with approved manufacturing practice, sufficient to render it microbiologically stable;
 - c. The product was analysed by a random sampling of at least five samples from each processed batch, taken during or after storage at the processing plant and complies with the following standards⁽¹⁾:

Salmonella: absence in 25 g: n = 5, c = 0, m = 0, M = 0
Enterobacteriaceae: n = 5, c = 2, m = 10, M = 300 in 1 g;
6. The finished product does not contain and is not contaminated with commodities that should not be traded as defined in the B.S.E chapter of the OIE Terrestrial Animal Health Code;⁽²⁾

7. The finished product was stored in enclosed storage and has undergone all precautions to prevent recontamination with pathogenic agents after treatment.

Date:..... Signed:RCVS

Stamp: Name and title
in block letters:.....

Official Veterinarian

Address:.....

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Footnotes:

(1) Where:

- n = number of samples to be tested;
- m = threshold value for the number of bacteria: the result is considered satisfactory if the number of bacteria in all samples does not exceed m;
- M = maximum value for the number of bacteria; the result is considered unsatisfactory if the number of bacteria in one or more samples is M or more; and
- c = number of samples the bacterial count of which may be between m and M, the sample still being considered acceptable if the bacterial count of the other samples is m or less.

(2) Article 11.5.14 OIE Terrestrial Animal Health Code, 2010: Recommendations on commodities that should not be traded:

1. Tonsils and distal ileum from cattle of any age from a controlled or undetermined BSE risk country, zone, or compartment.
2. brains, eyes, spinal cord, skull and vertebral column from cattle that were, at the time of slaughter over 30 months of age originating from a controlled BSE risk country, zone, or compartment.
3. brains, eyes, spinal cord, skull and vertebral column from cattle that were, at the time of slaughter over 12 months of age originating from a undetermined BSE risk country, zone, or compartment.

Article 11.5.13 OIE Terrestrial Animal Health Code, 2010: Recommendation on ruminant-derived meat-and-bone meal or greaves:

1. Ruminant-derived meat-and-bone meal or greaves from a negligible BSE risk country where there has been an indigenous case of BSE, should not be traded if such products were derived from cattle born before the date from which the ban on the feeding of ruminants with meat-and-bone meal and greaves derived from ruminants had been effectively enforced.
2. Ruminant-derived meat-and-bone meal or greaves from a controlled or undetermined BSE risk country, zone, or compartment.

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