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No:

HORSES COMPETING IN THE TOKYO 2020 OLYMPIC & PARALYMPIC EQUESTRIAN EVENTS
♦ FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM TO JAPAN⁽¹⁾

HEALTH CERTIFICATE

EXPORTING COUNTRY: UNITED KINGDOM

FOR COMPLETION BY: OFFICIAL VETERINARIAN

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PART A

SECTION VII CERTIFICATION ON MOVEMENT INFORMATION OF THE HORSE DURING THE 60 DAYS PRIOR TO ENTRY INTO PRE-EXPORT QUARANTINE

- (a) During the 60 days immediately preceding export from the country/place of export ^(3,4), this horse has ONLY been in Scheduled Countries.
- (b) During the 60 days immediately preceding export from the country/place of export^(3,4), this horse has stayed in or has been imported into the Scheduled Countries/Place⁽⁴⁾ for equestrian events or for other purposes as described in the following point (c) and (d).
- (c) During the stay in the corresponding country/place below and after due enquiry,
- (i) the horse had been held in premises, which have remained free from evidence of infectious or contagious disease;
 - (ii) the horse had only stayed in stables that were emptied, thoroughly cleansed and disinfected prior to the entry of the horse; and
 - (iii) the horse had not come into contact with horses of a lower health status, other than when competing in official FEI equestrian competition.
 - (iv) the horse has not been brought into horse breeding premises ⁽⁹⁾ and has not been used for natural mating and artificial insemination except for semen collection at facilities complying with the recommendations in Article 4.5.3. of the OIE Terrestrial Animal Health Code (Edition 2017).
- (d) After due enquiry, during the 60 days immediately preceding export;
- (i) the horse has not been in any country/place, territory or part of a territory, in which AHS has occurred in the last two years, or in which vaccination against this disease has been practiced in the last 12 months;
 - (ii) the horse has not been in any country/place in which Venezuelan equine encephalomyelitis has occurred during the last two years;
 - (iii) the horse has not been in any country/place in which glanders has occurred during the last three years;

(iv) the horse was continuously resident on holdings under veterinary supervision⁽¹⁰⁾ in which none of the diseases listed below occurred during the previous 90 days.

(v) the horse did not exhibit any clinical signs of the disease listed below:

African Horse Sickness (AHS)	Equine Influenza
Venezuelan Equine Encephalomyelitis	Equine Piroplasmiasis
Eastern and Western Equine encephalomyelitis, Japanese encephalitis	Equine Rhinopneumonitis
West Nile Virus	Equine Viral Arteritis
Vesicular Stomatitis	Surra
Glanders	Equine Morbillivirus Pneumonia (Hendra Virus)
Dourine	Nipah Virus Infection
Equine Infectious Anaemia (EIA)	Screwworm (New world and Old world)
Anthrax	Horse Pox
Rabies	Epizootic Lymphangitis
	Equine Paratyphoid

SECTION VIII TESTING AND VACCINATION INFORMATION OF THE HORSE ^(11&12)

Based on the certification and laboratory results provided,

- (a) No vaccines have been administered to the horse within 14 days prior to export to Japan;
- (b) Blood and nasal samples have been taken from the horse in either the country/place of export or, in any of the countries/places listed in Section VII;
- (c) The results of the tests carried out on the samples referred to in point (b) are valid for 60 days so long as the horse remains in the scheduled countries/places ^(4,13);
- (d) As detailed in Section IV, those tests were performed with negative results (unless otherwise stated) and the vaccinations were administered ⁽¹¹⁾.

SECTION IX PRE-EXPORT QUARANTINE (PEQ)

- (a) The PEQ premises were authorized by the competent veterinary authority ⁽⁵⁾ as a secured and guaranteed place from an animal health point of view for holding horses to export to the 2020 Tokyo Olympic/Paralympic Games in Japan.
- (b) The horse has been continuously held for at least 7 days immediately prior to export in the premises listed under Section II(b), which is a PEQ facility approved by the government authority of the exporting country, for holding horses to export to the 2020 Tokyo Olympic/Paralympic Games in Japan. During PEQ the horse has not come into contact with any equine animal other than horses which are eligible to participate in the 2020 Tokyo Olympic/Paralympic Games in Japan.
- (c) Within 48 hours immediately prior to entry to PEQ, the horse was treated with a broad spectrum parasiticide, licensed/registered for use on horses, capable of killing ticks and used according to the manufacturer's

recommendations.

- (d) Prior to entry to PEQ, the horse was treated with a broad spectrum anthelmintic, licensed/registered for use on horses.
- (e) All horses in the PEQ remained free from evidence of infectious disease and had no contact with horses not of the same health status and remained free of external parasites at daily inspections by a veterinarian authorised by the competent veterinary authority⁽⁵⁾ of the exporting country/place.
- (f) All horses which exhibit any clinical signs of respiratory diseases including pyrexia, nasal discharge, cough, etc. must be tested free from equine influenza virus.
- (g) No horses have been added to, or removed from, the PEQ group intended for export to Japan without official notification to the Government of Japan.
- (h) The pre-export quarantine facility must be prevented from uncontrolled access of other animals. Depending on the situation in the exporting country as regards vector transmitted diseases to which equidae are susceptible and for which equidae do not constitute a dead-end host, the horses in pre-export quarantine must be protected from vector attacks, in particular by insect traps in the barns, screening of windows and doors that can be opened, the removal of tick habitats around the stables and the application of insect repellants before outdoor exercise during the vector active period of the day.
- (i) During the period of PEQ, any horses leaving the approved PEQ premises would not be allowed to enter the premises again.

Name of Official Veterinarian: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Official Stamp:

Date:

FOOTNOTES:

1. The competition schedule of equestrian is as follows:

Events	Date	Venue
Tokyo 2020 Olympic Games	23 rd July to 8 th August 2021	Equestrian Park / Sea Forest Cross-Country Course
Tokyo 2020 Paralympic Games	24 th August to 5 th September 2021	Equestrian Park

2. The language of the exporting/importing country(ies)/place(s) may also be used providing that it appears below the English version on the same certification or as a separate document. In the event of any differences, the English version will prevail.

3. Country/Place of Export: The country/place where the horse has been continuously held for at least 7 days immediately prior to export in the premises listed under SECTION II(b), which is a PEQ facility approved by the authorities of the country of export for holding horses to export to

the 2020 Tokyo Olympic/Paralympic Games in Japan. The country/place of export must be one of the countries/places listed in the scheduled countries/places.

4. Scheduled countries/places: Argentina, Australia, Belarus, Canada, Chile, Japan, Saudi Arabia, New Zealand, Norway, Qatar, Singapore, Switzerland, United Arab Emirates, United Kingdom, United States of America and all Member States of European Union (EU).

5. Competent Veterinary Authority: The government authority of the country/place of export, which is responsible to issue official certification for the export of horse.

6. The consignor or his authorized agent must complete the acknowledgement (Part B) attached to this Document.

7. Laboratory reports should include information on name and address of test conducting laboratory, method of test, sampling date, test date and results of test and given information should fulfil the requirements prescribed in Section IV.

8. If the examination cannot be carried out within 24 hours prior to leaving the PEQ premises in the country/place of export, please consult with JMAFF.

9. Breeding Premises: Premises where any horse (or animal of other equine species) has been mated naturally or an artificial insemination facility which does not comply with Article 4.5.3 of the OIE code, during the 60 days immediately preceding export of the horse which is being certified for export to Japan for the 2020 Tokyo Olympic/Paralympic Games.

10. Veterinary supervision includes supervision provided by treating /team veterinarians.

11. All serological tests and vaccinations must be carried out in accordance with the latest version of the OIE Manual of Standards for Diagnostic Tests and Vaccines if OIE standards exist.

12. Blood samples must be sent to a laboratory approved by the government veterinary authority of the country/place.

13. If the samples were collected in any of the countries/places listed under SECTION VII, the results can be used by the country/place of export while they are still valid.

14. Enter the date the blood sample or nasal sample was collected.

15. If it is difficult for an exporting country to implement the test method for EI determined in SECTION IV (vi) regarding antigen detection test within 5 days of export, the exporting country must inform in advance the JMAFF and get an approval of the method.

16. "Tick free area" is the area where the competent authority can certify there is no tick by conducting the tick-surveillance, while "tick treated area" is the area where the measure to prevent the presence of ticks have been conducted even though the tick surveillance is not conducted. Specific measures are indicated in SECTION IX (h).

17. Movement history should include the information of the horse such as name and address of residence, entering and leaving dates, purpose of the stay during the 60 days prior to entry into PEQ and given information should fulfil the requirements prescribed in Section VII. This movement history should be endorsed by the government authority of the country/place of export, when it is submitted to JMAFF.

18. The information deemed to be necessary such as FEI identification number, Microchip number and arrival date in Japan is required.

19. The competent authority⁽⁵⁾ must, upon request, provide MAFF with necessary information such as movement history⁽¹⁷⁾, laboratory reports⁽⁷⁾ etc. before the shipment to Japan.