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Animal health certificate to the EU

Part I: Description of consignment	I.1 Consignor/Exporter		I.2 Certificate reference		I.2a	
	Name					
	Address		I.3 Central Competent Authority DEPARTMENT FOR ENVIRONMENT, FOOD & RURAL AFFAIRS			
	Country		ISO country code		I.4 Local Competent Authority ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH AGENCY	
	I.5 Consignee/Importer			I.6 Operator responsible for the consignment		
	Name			Name		
	Address			Address		
	Country			ISO country code		Country
	Country			ISO country code		ISO country code
	I.7 Country of origin			I.9 Country of destination		
ISO country code			ISO country code			
I.8 Region of origin			I.10 Region of destination			
Code			Code			
I.11 Place of dispatch			I.12 Place of destination			
Registration/Approval No			Registration/Approval No			
Name			Name			
Address			Address			
Country			ISO country code		Country	
Country			ISO country code		ISO country code	
I.13 Place of loading			I.14 Date and time of departure			
I.15 Means of transport			I.16 Entry Border Control Post			
<input type="checkbox"/> Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Vessel						
<input type="checkbox"/> Railway <input type="checkbox"/> Road vehicle						
Identification			I.17 Accompanying documents			
			Type			
			Code			
			Country			
			ISO country code			
			Commercial document reference			
I.18 Transport conditions			<input type="checkbox"/> Chilled			
<input type="checkbox"/> Ambient <input type="checkbox"/> Frozen						
I.19 Container number/Seal number						
Container No			Seal No			
I.20 Certified as or for						
<input type="checkbox"/> Further keeping						
I.21			I.22			
<input type="checkbox"/> For transit			<input type="checkbox"/> For internal market			
Third country			ISO country code		I.23	
I.24 Total number of packages		I.25 Total quantity		I.26 Total net weight/gross weight (kg)		

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I.27 Description of consignment

1	CN Code	Species	Subspecies/Category	Quantity
2	CN Code	Species	Subspecies/Category	Quantity
3	CN Code	Species	Subspecies/Category	Quantity
4	CN Code	Species	Subspecies/Category	Quantity
5	CN Code	Species	Subspecies/Category	Quantity

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Part II: Certification	II. Health information
	II.1. Animal health attestation
	I, the undersigned official veterinarian, hereby certify that the day-old chicks ⁽¹⁾ of ratites described in this certificate:
	II.1.1. have hatched on the zone with code __ - _ ⁽²⁾ which, at the date of issue of this certificate:
	(a) is authorised and listed in Part 1 of Annex V to Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 for entry into the Union of day-old chicks of ratites;
	(b) carries out a disease surveillance programme for highly pathogenic avian influenza in accordance with Article 37(a) of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692;
	(c) is considered free from highly pathogenic avian influenza in accordance with Article 38 of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692;
	II.1.2. come from the zone referred to in point II.1.1, which at the date of issue of this certificate:
	⁽³⁾ either [is considered free from infection with Newcastle disease virus in accordance with Article 39 of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692;]
	⁽³⁾⁽⁴⁾ or [is not considered free from infection with Newcastle disease virus in accordance with Article 39 of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692 and the day-old chicks come from flocks:
(a) which have been placed in isolation under official surveillance for a period of at least 30 days prior to the date of laying of the hatching eggs from which the day-old chicks of this consignment have hatched;	
(b) which have undergone a virus detection test ⁽⁵⁾ for infection with Newcastle disease virus:	
(i) which was carried out on cloacal swabs or faeces samples collected from each ratite within 7 to 10 days of the date the ratites were placed under official surveillance referred to in point (a);	
(ii) in which no avian paramyxovirus type 1 isolates with an Intracerebral Pathogenicity Index (ICPI) of more than 0.4 have been found;	
(iii) with favourable results being available for all birds before the day-old chicks left the hatchery for dispatch to the Union;	
(c) in which surveillance for infection with Newcastle disease virus was carried out under a statistically-based sampling plan which produced negative results for a period of at least 6 months immediately prior to the date of dispatch of the consignment for entry into the Union;	
(d) have not been kept with poultry which do not fulfil the guarantees under points (a), (b) and (c) during the period of 30 days prior to the date of laying and during the laying of the hatching eggs from which the day-old chicks of this consignment have hatched;]	
II.1.3. come from the zone referred to in point II.1.1, in which:	
⁽³⁾ either [(a) vaccination against highly pathogenic avian influenza is not carried out;]	
⁽³⁾⁽⁶⁾ or [(a) vaccination against highly pathogenic avian influenza is carried out in accordance with a vaccination programme that complies with the requirements set out in Annex XIII to Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692;]	
⁽³⁾ either [(b) vaccination against infection with Newcastle disease virus with vaccines which do not comply with both the general and specific criteria of Annex XV to Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692 is prohibited;]	
⁽³⁾⁽⁷⁾ or [(b) vaccination against infection with Newcastle disease virus with vaccines which comply only with the general criteria of Annex XV to Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692 is not prohibited, and the animals:	
(i) have not been vaccinated with such vaccines;	
(ii) come from flocks which:	
- have not been vaccinated with such vaccines for a period of at least the 12 months prior to the date of loading of the consignment for dispatch to the Union;	
- underwent a virus isolation test ⁽⁵⁾ for infection with Newcastle disease virus carried out on a random sample of cloacal swabs taken from at least 60 birds in each flock, not earlier than 2 weeks prior to the date of loading of the consignment for dispatch to the Union, and in which no avian paramyxoviruses with an ICPI of more than 0.4 were found;	
- were kept in isolation under official surveillance on the establishment of origin during the 2 weeks prior to the date of loading of the consignment for dispatch to the Union;	
- during the period of 60 days prior to the date of loading of the consignment for dispatch to the Union, were not in contact with poultry which do not fulfil the conditions in first and second indent above;	
(iii) come from hatching eggs which have not been in contact in the hatchery or during transport with poultry or hatching eggs not meeting the requirements set out in (ii);]	
II.1.4. come from a hatchery, indicated in Box I.11, approved by the competent authority of the country or territory of origin in accordance with requirements which are at least as stringent as those laid down in Article 7 of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/2035 and:	
(a) the approval of which has not been suspended or withdrawn;	
(b) which is under the control of the competent authority of the country or territory of origin and has a system in place to maintain and to keep records in accordance with Article 8 of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692;	
(c) which receives regular animal health visits from a veterinarian for the purpose of the detection of, and information on, signs indicative of the occurrence of diseases, including the relevant listed diseases referred to in Annex I to Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692 and emerging diseases, at a frequency that is proportional to the risk posed by the establishment;	
(d) which was not subject to national restriction measures for animal health reasons, including for the listed diseases referred to in Annex I to Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692 relevant for the species and emerging diseases, at the time of dispatch of the animals to the Union;	
(e) within a 10 km radius of which, including, where appropriate, the territory of a neighbouring country, there has been no outbreak of highly pathogenic avian influenza or infection with Newcastle disease virus for at least 30 days prior to the date of loading for dispatch to the Union;	
II.1.5. come from a flock which:	
(a) has remained in the zone referred to in point II.1.1 for a continuous period of at least 3 months immediately prior to the date of collection of the eggs from which the day-old chicks have hatched;	
and where the flock was imported into the zone referred to in point II.1.1, the import took place in accordance with animal health requirements that are at least as stringent as the relevant requirements of Regulation (EU) 2016/429 and Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692 and the zone from where the animals were imported, is listed in Part 1 of Annex V to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 for entry into the Union of breeding ratites and productive ratites;	

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(b) has been kept for a continuous period of at least 6 weeks immediately prior to the date of collection of the eggs from which the day-old chicks have hatched in establishments:

(i) approved by the competent authority of the country or territory of origin in accordance with requirements which are at least as stringent as those laid down in Article 8 of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/2035;

(8)

Name of establishment	Address	Approval number

(ii) the approval of which has not been suspended or withdrawn at the time the hatching eggs, from which the day-old chicks have hatched, were sent to the hatchery;

(iii) in which no confirmed case of infection with low pathogenic avian influenza viruses has been reported for at least 21 days prior to the date of collection of the hatching eggs, from which the day-old chicks have hatched;

⁽³⁾either [(c) has not been vaccinated against highly pathogenic avian influenza;]

⁽³⁾⁽⁶⁾or [(c) has been vaccinated against highly pathogenic avian influenza in accordance with a vaccination programme which complies with the requirements set out in Annex XIII to Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692;]

⁽³⁾either [(d) has not been vaccinated against infection with Newcastle disease virus in the last 12 months prior to the date of loading of the consignment for dispatch to the Union;]

⁽³⁾or [(d) has been vaccinated against infection with Newcastle disease virus in the last 12 months prior to the date of loading of the consignment for dispatch to the Union, with vaccines that comply with both the general and specific criteria of Annex XV to Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692;

(9)

Identification of the flock	Age of the birds	Date of vaccination	Name and type of virus strain used	Batch number of the vaccine	Name of the vaccine	Manufacturer of the vaccine

II.1.6. come from hatching eggs which:

(a) comply with the requirements for entry into the Union laid down in Title 2 of Part III of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692;

(b) prior to their dispatch to the hatchery, have been marked in accordance with the instructions of the competent authority of the country or territory of origin;

(c) have been disinfected in accordance with the instructions of the competent authority of the country or territory of origin;

(d) have had no contact with poultry or hatching eggs of lower health status, captive birds or wild birds, either during transport to the hatchery or in the hatchery;

II.1.7. have remained:

(a) in the country or territory or zone thereof referred to in point II.1.2 since hatching;

(b) in the establishment indicated in Box I.11 since hatching;

II.1.8. had no contact with animals of a lower health status since hatching;

II.1.9. have not been vaccinated against highly pathogenic avian influenza;

II.1.10. are not to be killed under a national programme for the eradication of diseases, including the listed diseases referred to in Annex I to Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692 relevant for the species and emerging diseases;

II.1.11. have hatched on(dd/mm/yyyy);

II.1.12. have been subjected to a clinical inspection⁽¹⁰⁾ on ___/___/___ (dd/mm/yyyy), within the 24 hours prior to loading for dispatch to the Union, and showed no signs indicative of the occurrence of diseases, including the listed diseases referred to in Annex I to Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692 relevant for the species and emerging diseases;

II.1.13. are loaded for dispatch to the Union in containers which:

(a) are constructed in such a way that:

(i) animals cannot escape or fall out;

(ii) visual inspection of the space where animals are kept is possible;

(iii) the escape of animal excrements, litter, feed or feathers is prevented or minimized;

(b) contain only poultry of the same species and category coming from the same establishment;

(c) are disposable, clean and used for the first time;

(d) are closed in accordance with the instructions of the competent authority of the country or territory of origin to avoid any possibility of substitution of the content;

(e) bear the information set out in Point 3 of Annex XVI to Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692 relevant for day-old chicks;

II.1.14. are loaded for dispatch to the Union on ___/___/___ (dd/mm/yyyy)⁽¹¹⁾ in a means of transport which is constructed in accordance with II.1.13(a) and was cleaned and disinfected prior to loading with a disinfectant authorised by the competent authority of the country or territory of origin;

⁽¹²⁾II.1.15. are intended for a Member State which has been granted the status free from infection with Newcastle disease virus without vaccination in accordance with Article 66 of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/689, and they:

(a) have not been vaccinated against infection with Newcastle disease virus;

(b) come from hatching eggs coming from flocks which:

⁽³⁾either [have not been vaccinated against infection with Newcastle disease virus;]

⁽³⁾or [have been vaccinated against infection with Newcastle disease virus with an inactivated vaccine;]

⁽³⁾or [have been vaccinated against infection with Newcastle disease virus with a live vaccine at the latest 60 days prior to the date the eggs were collected;]

(c) come from a hatchery where working practices ensure that the hatching eggs from which the day-old chicks have hatched, were incubated at completely separate times and locations from eggs not satisfying the requirements of point (b).]

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Notes:

This certificate is intended for entry into the Union of day-old chicks of ratites, including when the Union is not the final destination of those animals. In accordance with the Agreement on the withdrawal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland from the European Union and the European Atomic Energy Community, and in particular Article 5(4) of the Protocol on Ireland / Northern Ireland in conjunction with Annex 2 to that Protocol, references to European Union in this certificate include the United Kingdom in respect of Northern Ireland.

This animal health certificate shall be completed according to the notes for the completion of certificates provided for in Chapter 4 of Annex I to Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2020/2235.

Part I:

Box reference I.8: Provide the code of the country or territory or zone thereof as it appears in column 2 of the table in Part 1 of Annex V to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404.

Box reference I.27: "CN code": use the appropriate Harmonised System (HS) code of the World Customs Organisation: 01.06.39.
 "Category": select one of the following: Pure line/grandparents/parents/others.

Part II:

- (1) 'Day-old chicks' means poultry less than 72 hours old, as defined in Article 2 of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692.
- (2) Code of the zone as it appears in column 2 of the table in Part 1 of Annex V to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404.
- (3) Keep as appropriate.
- (4) This guarantee is required only for consignments from zones which are not considered free from infection with Newcastle disease virus in accordance with Article 39 of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692 and are listed in Part 1 of Annex V to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 with the entry "C" in column 6 of the table.
- (5) Tests should be carried out on samples taken by or under the control of the competent authority of the country or territory of origin and testing should be carried out in an official laboratory designated in accordance with Article 37 of Regulation (EU) 2017/625.
- (6) This applies only to zones in which vaccination against highly pathogenic avian influenza is carried out in accordance with a vaccination programme that complies with the requirements set out in Annex XIII to Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692, and are listed in Part 1 of Annex V to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 with the entry "A" in column 6 of the table.
- (7) This guarantee is required only for day-old chicks coming from zones in which the use of vaccines against infection with Newcastle disease virus which comply only with the general criteria of Annex XV to Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692 is not prohibited, in accordance with Article 37(e)(ii) thereof, and are listed in Part 1 of Annex V to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 with the entry "B" in column 6 of the table.
- (8) Indicate the name, address and approval number of the establishment where the flock of origin of the day-old chicks was kept during the 6 weeks immediately prior to the date of collection of the eggs from which the day-old chicks have hatched.
- (9) To be completed when animals were vaccinated against infection with Newcastle disease virus.
- (10) The clinical inspection must have been carried out by an official veterinarian of the country or territory of origin.
- (11) The date of loading cannot be a date prior to the date of authorisation of the country or territory or zone thereof for entry into the Union, or a date in a period when restriction measures have been adopted by the Union in relation to the entry of these animals from that country or territory or zone thereof.
- (12) This guarantee is required only for consignments intended for a Member State which has been granted the status free from infection with Newcastle disease virus without vaccination in accordance with Article 66 of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/689.

Official veterinarian

Name (in capital letters)

Date

Qualification and title

Stamp

Signature