



**Export Health Certificate for horses exported for  
 Permanent Stay in Canada**

<b>Part I : Details of dispatched consignment</b>	I.1. Consignor			I.2. a. Certificate reference number GBR .....		I.2.b.Import Permit number:		
	Name							
	Address			I.3. Central Competent Authority <b>Defra</b>				
	Country			I.4. Local Competent Authority <b>Animal and Plant Health Agency</b>				
I.5. Consignee			I.6. No.(s) of related Original certificates					No.(s) of accompanying documents
Name								
Address								
Country								
I.7 Country of origin		ISO code	I.8. Region of origin		I.9. Country of destination		ISOcode	I.10. Region of destination
I.11 Place of origin			I.12. Place of destination					
Name			Name					
Address			Address					
Country			Country					
I.13. Place of loading			I.14. Date and time of departure					
I.15. Means of transport			I.16.					
Aeroplane <input type="checkbox"/>			Ship <input type="checkbox"/>		Railway wagon <input type="checkbox"/>			
Road vehicle <input type="checkbox"/>			Other <input type="checkbox"/>					
Identification:			I.17.					
Number(s):								
I.18			I.19.		I.20.			
I.21.								
I.22. Commodities certified for :								
<b>Slaughter</b>		<b>Breeding</b>		<b>Registered Equidae</b>		<b>Production</b>		
I.23. Transit through 3rd country <input type="checkbox"/>				I.24. For Export <input type="checkbox"/>				
I.25. Identification of the commodities								
Species	Breed	ID mark	ID number	Age	Sex			



<b>Part II: Certification</b>	II. Health information	II.a. Certificate reference number GBR .....	II.b. Import Permit number:
	<p>I, the undersigned official veterinarian, hereby certify that the equine animal(s) described above meet(s) the following requirements:</p> <p>II.1 it/they come(s) from UK:</p> <p>II.1.1 in which African horse sickness, Japanese-encephalitis, Venezuelan equine encephalomyelitis, equine infectious anaemia, glanders (<i>Burkholderia mallei</i>) and dourine (<i>Trypanosoma equiperdum</i>) are compulsorily notifiable diseases;</p> <p>II.1.2 that is considered by the CFIA to be free of African horse sickness, Japanese encephalitis and Venezuelan equine encephalomyelitis and in which no restrictive measures are in place on these diseases by the UK, and the UK is in full compliance with all relevant EU legislation for these diseases;</p> <p>II.1.3 that has been free from dourine and glanders during the 6 months immediately preceding export to Canada and in which no restrictive measures are in place on these diseases by the UK, and the UK is in full compliance with all relevant EU legislation for these diseases;</p> <p>II.2 during the 6 months immediately prior to export to Canada, it/they has/have not been in any country or zone in which Venezuelan equine encephalomyelitis has occurred in the past 24 months, it/they has/have not been vaccinated against Venezuelan equine encephalomyelitis within 60 days of export to Canada, and the UK is in full compliance with all relevant EU legislation for this disease;</p> <p>II.3 it/they has/have been continually resident in the UK and if applicable an EU Member State for a minimum of 60 days, or since birth if less than 60 days of age, immediately preceding the pre-export isolation certified in point II.7 for export to Canada;</p> <p>II.4 during the 90 days immediately prior to export to Canada, it/they has/have not been in contact with equidae (including imported horses) that have been in an area where restrictive measures are in place on African horse sickness or in a country or zone where African horse sickness has been diagnosed in the past 60 days, and it/they has/have not been vaccinated against African horse sickness within 60 days of export to Canada, and the UK is in full compliance with all relevant EU legislation for this disease;</p> <p>II.5 during the 90 days immediately prior to export to Canada, it/they has/have not been on any premises subject to restrictive measures for glanders or dourine and it/they has/have not had contact with equidae (including imported horses) that have been in an area where restrictive measures are in place on dourine and glanders during the past 6 months and the UK is in full compliance with all relevant EU legislation for these diseases;</p> <p>II.6 during the 90 days immediately prior to export to Canada, it/they has/have not been on any premises where equine piroplasmiasis (<i>Theileria equi</i> and <i>Babesia caballi</i>) or equine infectious anaemia has occurred nor has equine infectious anaemia occurred on any adjoining premises;</p> <p>II.7 it/they has/have been isolated for the entire time needed to complete all testing requirements, immediately prior to export to Canada on a premises approved by a veterinarian officially recognised by the competent authority of the UK, and it/they has/have remained free from any evidence of infectious and contagious disease during that isolation period;</p> <p>II.8 during the isolation period immediately prior to export to Canada as certified in point II.7, it/they has/have had blood samples taken and has/have tested negative</p> <p>II.8.1 for equine infectious anaemia using ELISA test or agar gel immunodiffusion (Coggins) test or, where applicable, an alternate test acceptable to CFIA;</p> <p>II.8.2 for equine piroplasmiasis using an indirect fluorescent antibody (IFA) test or, where applicable, an alternate test acceptable to CFIA; and the animal(s) has/have been maintained free from ticks, when necessary by preventive treatment, during the 30 days preceding exportation.</p> <p>II.9 during the 90 days immediately preceding exportation to Canada the animal(s) has/have not been on a premises where contagious equine metritis (CEM) has occurred and no manipulation or treatment of the reproductive tract, except collection of swabs where required, has been performed during the 30 days preceding exportation;</p> <p>and (I) either [the animal(s) is/are gelding(s) or under 731 days of age(2) on the day pre-export isolation commenced and have never been bred nor has breeding of the horse(s) been attempted and it/they has/have never been commingled and left unattended with adult equidae of the opposite sex, except in case of foals left with their dam and the owner or his/her representative has/have been advised of the relevant post-import conditions that must be met, as outlined in the Canadian Import Permit(3), and the test requirements in points II.10 and II.11 for contagious equine metritis (CEM) do not apply.]</p> <p>(I) or [the animal(s) is/are stallion(s) or a mare(s) over 731 days of age on the day pre-export isolation commenced and the owner or his/her representative has/have been advised of the relevant post-import conditions that must be met, as outlined in the Canadian Import Permit(3), and was/were tested for CEM in accordance with the procedure described in point II.10 for stallions and in point II.11 for mares with samples taken within the 30 days prior to export, in which case all specimens have been collected(4)(5) by a licensed veterinarian under the supervision of an official veterinarian and were cultured for CEM within 48 hours of collection in a laboratory officially approved to culture for CEM(6);]</p> <p>II.10 stallion(s), in the country of origin, during the 30 days preceding exportation has/have not been mated by natural breeding or has/have not had semen collected for the purpose of artificial insemination and within that same period one (1) set of three (3) specimens (swabs) has been collected from the prepuce (sheath), the fossa glandis (same as urethral fossa) including the diverticulum (same as the urethral sinus) and the terminal (distal) end of the urethra, and all specimens were subjected to the required test for CEM(6)(7) with</p> <p>(I) either [negative results as specified in the table in point II.12 below:]</p> <p>(I) or [negative results obtained on specimens taken not less than 21 days after the completion of the treatment of the stallion(s) for CEM carried out in a manner approved by the competent authority of the UK following a positive result in a previous test for CEM as specified in the table in point II.12 below and the stallion(s) has/have been test mated to two mares in each case which have been subjected with negative results to</p> <p>- an agent identification test for CEM by culture carried out on one (1) set of three (3) specimens (swabs), collected not earlier than 3 days after mating, from the mucosal surfaces of the clitoral fossa, the lateral and medial clitoral sinuses, and the cervix (or the endometrium instead of the cervix in the case the mare(s) is/are in oestrus), and</p> <p>- a complement fixation test for the detection of antibodies to <i>Taylorella equigenitalis</i> carried out on samples taken 21-30 days post mating;]</p> <p>II.11 mare(s), in the country of origin, during the 30 days preceding exportation, has/have not been mated by natural breeding nor artificial insemination and within that same period:</p> <p>(I) either [the mare(s) is/are not pregnant and one (1) set of three (3) specimens (swabs) has been collected from the mucosal surfaces of the clitoral fossa, the lateral and medial clitoral sinuses, and the cervix, (or the endometrium instead of the cervix in the case the mare(s) is/are in oestrus);]</p> <p>(I) or [the mare(s) is/are pregnant and one (1) set of two (2) specimens (swabs) has been collected from the mucosal surfaces of the clitoral fossa and the lateral and medial clitoral sinuses (swabbing of the cervix and endometrium do not apply);]</p> <p>and all specimens were subjected to the required test for CEM(6) (7) with:</p> <p>(I) either [negative results as specified in the table in point II.12 below]</p> <p>(I) or [the negative results specified in the table in point II.12 below were obtained on specimens taken not less than 21 days after the completion of the treatment of the mare(s) for CEM carried out in a manner approved by the competent authority of the UK following a positive result in a previous test for CEM as specified in the table in point II.12 below, and the mare(s) has/have been subjected with negative result(s) to a complement fixation test for the detection of antibodies to <i>Taylorella equigenitalis</i> ]</p>		



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and (I)either [the mare(s) has/have not been mated by natural breeding nor artificially inseminated within the last 21 days preceding the 30-day pre-export period during which no breeding or artificial insemination is allowed;]

(I)or [the mare(s) has/have been artificially inseminated within 21 days preceding the 30-day pre-export period during which no breeding or artificial insemination is allowed and has/have been subjected with negative result to a complement fixation test, carried out on (a) blood sample(s) taken between 21 and 30 days after artificial insemination;]

II.12 Details (7) on testing and treatments for CEM as referred to in points II.10 and II.11

Date and time of specimen collection (A)	Date and time of culturing (B)	Results (C)	Name of the official laboratory (D)	Treatments performed, dates(1) (E)

II.13 it/they has/have been inspected on (dd/mm/yyyy) within 72 hours prior to loading for export to Canada by a veterinarian officially recognised by the competent authority of the UK and found to be free of ectoparasites and clinical evidence of infectious or contagious diseases of equidae and, as far as can be determined, exposure thereto.

II.14 it/they has/have not come into contact with any animals, products or equipment of a lesser zoosanitary health status during the entire required periods of residency, isolation, transportation to the port of exportation and loading onto the international transport carrier and the carrier has been instructed to maintain this status throughout transport to Canada

II.15 it/they has/have been treated before and at the time of loading in accordance with the relevant provisions of Regulation (EC) No 1/2005, in particular as regards watering and feeding and it/they are fit for the intended transport.

Notes  
 Part I:

Box no. I.11: Indicate the premises of export and/or pre-export isolation facility, if different.

Box no. I.25: Identification system: insert "Passport in accordance with Commission Regulation (EC) No 504/2008" or describe the other recognised (e.g FE1 passport, breed registry, etc.) means of identification (which clearly and uniquely identifies the animal, and includes verifiable visual characteristics) used, and "microchip". Specify where the microchip is located.

Identification number: shall correspond to the alpha-numeric code of the microchip displayed by the appropriate reading device. If there is a unique number associated with the second means of identification (e.g. passport number), it should be recorded on the accompanying export health certificate.

According to the import rules of Canada, the animal must be marked with a microchip. The number of the microchip must be recorded on the accompanying export health certificate and, when possible, on the second means of identification.

For the verification of the identity of the animal it is mandatory to make available at the point of entry into Canada a reading device capable of reading and displaying the alpha-numeric code inserted in Box I.25, unless the microchip used is an ISO microchip.

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Part II:

- (1) Delete as appropriate.
- (2) Geldings and equidae 731 days of age or less are exempt from CEM testing.
- (3) Check against wording of corresponding Canadian Import Permit.
- (4) All specimens must have been collected by a licensed veterinarian under the supervision of an official veterinarian and were submitted in Amies transport medium with charcoal, transported refrigerated but not frozen, and cultured for CEM within 48 hours of collection in a laboratory officially approved to culture for CEM. During transport to the laboratory the specimens were accompanied by a statement made by the veterinarian collecting the specimens indicating the date and time of their collection.
- (5) If the equine animal(s) has/have undergone any form of antibiotic treatment, collection of specimens for CEM testing (swabs) must not commence until a minimum of seven (7) days post treatment.
- (6) In the laboratory the specimens must be cultured for a minimum of 7 days (starting when the samples are cultured to laboratory media) on Eugon agar with 10% chocolate horse blood and onto the same medium with the following selective inhibitors: amphotericin-B (5µg/ml), trimethoprim (1µg/ml) and clindamycin (5µg/ml). The plates must be incubated at 37°C in an atmosphere of 5 to 10 percent carbon dioxide and examined for gross contamination at 24 and 48 hours. The plates must be examined for suspect CEM organism colonies after 72 hours incubation and at 48-hour intervals thereafter. If no suspect colonies are observed after at least 168 hours of incubation, specimens should be reported as "CEM organism was not isolated.
- (7) An official copy of the laboratory report on CEM testing must be attached to this certificate

The official stamp and the signature of the official veterinarian must appear at the bottom of each page of this certificate in a colour different to that of the printing.

Part II: Certification

Official veterinarian

Name (in Capital):  
 Local Veterinary Unit:  
 Date:  
 Stamp

Qualification and title:  
 LVU N°:  
 Signature: