



DEPARTMENT FOR ENVIRONMENT, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS  
THE SCOTTISH EXECUTIVE ENVIRONMENT AND RURAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT  
NATIONAL ASSEMBLY FOR WALES  
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT NORTHERN IRELAND

EXPORT TO THE USA OF FISHMEAL AND/OR FISH PRODUCTS, INCLUDING  
MIXTURES/FEEDINGSTUFFS CONTAINING IT, FOR FEEDING TO NON-RUMINANT ANIMALS

HEALTH CERTIFICATE

No: .....

EXPORTING COUNTRY: UNITED KINGDOM

FOR COMPLETION BY: OFFICIAL VETERINARIAN OF THE DEPARTMENT FOR  
ENVIRONMENT, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS

**I Identification of product(s)**

(a) Description of the products:

(b) Type and number of packages:

(c) Identification marks on packaging (e.g. lot/batch numbers):

(d) Net weight of consignment:

**II Origin of products**

(a) Name and address of the manufacturing plant:

(b) Name and address of exporter:

**III Destination of products**

(a) The product was despatched from the United Kingdom to:

(country and place of destination)

(b) Name and address of consignee:

(c) Means of transportation:

**IV Health information**

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that:

1. a declaration has been received from an authorised signatory of the manufacturer stating that:

(a) the product was manufactured in a facility which does not receive, store or process any material of biungulate origin (other than dairy products and non-ruminant gelatin);

(b) the product does not contain any mammalian meat meal, bone meal, meat and bone meal or any other animal products (other than dairy, fish or non-ruminant gelatin products);

\* (c) the product contains fish oil;

<sup>(1)</sup>2. the product contains fishmeal which:

(a) under European Commission Decision 2001/9/EC, cannot be fed to ruminant animals, and is clearly labelled as such;

(b) was manufactured in a plant:

\* (ii) dedicated to the production of non-ruminant feedingstuffs;

or

\* (iii) which complies with the following conditions:

- the transport and storage of feed materials destined to ruminant animals is completely separate from feed material prohibited for feeding to ruminant animals, and
- the storage, transport, manufacturing and packaging facilities for the compound feedingstuffs destined to ruminant animals are completely separate, and
- records detailing the purchases and uses of fishmeal and the sales of feedingstuff containing fishmeal are made available to the competent authority, and
- routine tests are carried out on feeding stuffs destined to ruminant animals to ensure that prohibited processed animal proteins as defined by Article 1 of Decision 2000/766/EC are not present;

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(2)3. in the case of products containing dairy ingredients, these ingredients:

\* (a) were milk which has been subjected to an initial pasteurisation (at least 72°C for at least 15 seconds) followed by one of the following:

\*i a second heat treatment by high temperature pasteurisation, UHT or sterilisation so as to produce a negative reaction to the peroxidase test;

or

\*ii a drying process which includes a heat treatment with an equivalent effect to the above treatments;

or

\*iii treatment whereby the pH is lowered to below 6.0 and held there for at least one hour;

or

\* (b) were milk products which have been subjected to heat treatment of at least 72°C for 15 seconds or an equivalent treatment;

or

\* (c) were milk products prepared from milk which meets the criteria described at 5(b) above;

(3)4. with respect to import permit numbered , I further certify that:

- (1) if the animal feedingstuffs do not contain any fishmeal, this entire paragraph may be deleted.
- (2) if the animal feedingstuffs do not contain any dairy ingredients, this entire paragraph may be deleted.
- (3) if no further information is required in order to meet the conditions of the import permit, this entire paragraph may be deleted.
- \* delete as appropriate

Date: .....

Signed .....RCVS

Name in block letters .....

Stamp

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