



DEPARTMENT FOR ENVIRONMENT, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS  
SCOTTISH EXECUTIVE ENVIRONMENT AND RURAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT  
NATIONAL ASSEMBLY FOR WALES

No: .....

EXPORT OF GEL DERIVED FROM PORCINE HIDES AND SKINS TO THE USA

HEALTH CERTIFICATE

EXPORTING COUNTRY: UNITED KINGDOM (GREAT BRITAIN)

FOR COMPLETION BY: OFFICIAL VETERINARIAN

**I Identification of consignment**

(a) Description of the products:

(b) Type and number of packages:

(c) Net weight of consignment:

(d) Shipping marks:

**II Origin of products**

(a) Name and address of exporter:

(b) Name, address and registration number of premises of production:

**III Destination of products**

(a) The product was despatched from: GREAT BRITAIN to:

(Country and place of destination)

(b) Name and address of consignee:

(c) Means of transportation:

**IV Health Information**

I, the undersigned official veterinarian, hereby certify, that:

1. the gel products present in the consignment
  - (a) was/were produced exclusively from hides/skins of porcine origin;
  - (b) does/do not contain and was/were not derived from bones or any material of bovine origin.
2. deliveries of raw materials are accompanied by the necessary veterinary certification and import documentation stating that the hides/skins were obtained from animals slaughtered in a slaughterhouse and whose carcasses have been found fit for human consumption following ante- and post mortem inspection.
3. the exporting/processing facility does not receive, store or process any ruminant material (except milk, hides and tallow derivatives) sourced from BSE countries below:

No: .....

4. the consignment described at I (a) overleaf has undergone all reasonable precautions to avoid recontamination with pathogenic agents after treatment.
5. the hides/skins were subjected to a pH of 12 or more for at least 4 days.

Date .....

Signed .....RCVS

Name in block letters: .....

Stamp

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