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EXPORT OF LIVE GOATS TO NEPAL

HEALTH CERTIFICATE

EXPORTING COUNTRY: UNITED KINGDOM

FOR COMPLETION BY: OFFICIAL VETERINARIAN

I Identification of the animals

Official ear mark	Breed	Sex	Age

II Origin of the animals

(a) Name and address of exporter:

(b) Place of origin of the animals:

III Destination of the animals

(a) Name and address of consignee:

Email:

(b) Nature and identification of means of transport:

#### IV Health information

I, the undersigned Official Veterinarian, certify that the animals described above are destined for export to Nepal, were examined within 24 hours of loading for export and:

1. Showed no clinical signs of disease;
2. Meet the following requirements:
  - (a) Were born and have been continually resident in the United Kingdom;
  - (b) The parents of the animals were born and have been continually resident in the United Kingdom;
  - (c) They have never been fed with feed of ruminant origin;
  - (d) They are more than six months of age at the time of export;
  - (e) Any female Goats are not more than 3 months pregnant on the scheduled date of export and are suitable for transport;
  - (f) The United Kingdom complies with the recommendations of the World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE) Code in respect of transmissible spongiform encephalopathy (i.e. bovine spongiform encephalopathy, scrapie<sup>1</sup>) and the animals originate from establishments/herds officially free from scrapie in accordance with OIE requirements;
  - (g) The United Kingdom is free from Foot and Mouth disease (Type C, SAT 1,2,3), Vesicular stomatitis, Rinderpest, Peste des petits ruminants, Contagious Caprine Pleuropneumonia and Rift valley fever;
  - (h) The animals originate from herds that are free from clinical or other confirmation of Caprine Brucellosis, Bluetongue, Q fever, Enzootic abortion, Leptospirosis, Salmonellosis (S.abortus ovis), Contagious Caprine Pleuropneumonia, Contagious agalactia, Aujeszky's disease, Sheep & Goat Pox, Pulmonary Adenomatosis, Foot & Mouth Disease (Type O, A, Asia I), Paratuberculosis (Johne's disease), and these diseases have not been reported in the herd of origin during the past two years and no animal from a herd of inferior health status has been introduced to the herd of origin during that period.  
Caprine arthritis/encephalitis was neither clinically nor serologically diagnosed in the herd of origin during the past five years, and no goat from a herd of inferior health status was introduced into the herd of origin during this period;
  - (i) The goats have been held for at least 30 days immediately before shipment to Nepal in quarantine premises approved and supervised by an authorized Government Veterinarian of the exporting country;
  - (j) The goats have been tested for the following diseases with negative results in each case within the 45 days prior to entering pre-export quarantine and/or within the last 30 days prior to export whilst in pre-export quarantine:

Disease	Test	Within 45 Days (Date)	Within 30 Days (Date)	Result
Bluetongue	*AGID/*ELISA/ *Agent id./*PCR			Negative
Paratuberculosis	*DTH/*ELISA			Negative
Q fever	CFT			Negative
Caprine Brucellosis	*CFT/*BBAT			Negative
Caprine arthritis/encephalitis	*AGID/*ELISA			Negative
Salmonellosis (S. Abortus ovis)	Agent id.			Negative

- (k) Within 7 days prior to export during pre-export quarantine, the animal(s) were treated for:

i. **Internal Parasites** using a broad spectrum anthelmintic:

Active ingredient:  
Date treated:

ii. **Liver Fluke** using a Flukicide:

Active ingredient:  
Date treated:

iii. **External Parasites** (including Ticks) using a parasitocidal dip, spray or injectable product:

Active ingredient:  
Date treated:

◆(l) Whilst in pre-export quarantine, the animal(s) were treated for leptospirosis twice with dihydrostreptomycin (25mg per Kg of live body weight) at an interval of 14 days:

Date(s) treated:

(m) Within 48 hours of the goats leaving the pre-export quarantine premises, the animal(s) were examined and found free from any clinical evidence of infectious and contagious diseases and ectoparasites;

(o) A signed declaration has been received from the exporter of the animals stating that the animals have been transported directly to the place of embarkation from the pre-export quarantine premises and have not come into contact with any other animals of a lesser health status;

(q) A signed declaration has been received from the exporter of the animals stating that the animal(s) have been transported in pens/containers from the approved quarantine premises to the place of embarkation and that these pens, together with the transport pens in the aircraft have been cleaned and disinfected before loading to government approved standards.

<sup>1</sup> For scrapie, this means:

- a) i) the disease is compulsorily notifiable; ii) an awareness, surveillance and monitoring system as referred to in the Code is in place; iii) affected sheep and goats are killed and completely destroyed; AND
- b) sheep come from an establishment free from scrapie as described in the OIE and showed no clinical sign of scrapie on the day of export

\* **Delete as appropriate**

Issued at: .....on .....(date)

Official Stamp

Signed ..... RCVS  
Official Veterinarian

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Title and name in block letters

Address .....  
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Contact Number and e-mail: .....