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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, ENVIRONMENT AND RURAL AFFAIRS - NORTHERN
IRELAND

EXPORT OF LIVE PIGEONS TO AUSTRALIA

No:.....

HEALTH CERTIFICATE 4 OF 5: DISEASE FREEDOM CERTIFICATION

EXPORTING COUNTRY: UNITED KINGDOM

FOR COMPLETION BY: VETERINARY OFFICER OF THE DEPARTMENT FOR
ENVIRONMENT, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS

I. Identification of consignment

- (a) DAWE import permit number:
- (b) Source flock address(es):

PEQ address:

II. Government veterinary officer health certification

I, _____ (block letters), being a full time
Government veterinary officer (government veterinary officer employed
by the government veterinary authority), certify in relation to the
birds listed in Schedule 7 attached to Certificate 3 that:

Disease Freedom declaration

- a) The United Kingdom is officially free from highly pathogenic
notifiable avian influenza. **Avian influenza** has not been reported
within 40 kilometres of any of the source flocks for the consignment,
or of the approved pre-export quarantine facility, at any time within
21 days prior to the entry of the birds into pre-export quarantine.
Avian influenza has not been reported within 40 kilometres of the
pre-export quarantine facility from the commencement of pre-export
quarantine until export;
- b) EITHER*
 - i) The United Kingdom is free from strains of paramyxovirus type 1
which are classified as mesogenic or velogenic at all times
from 21 days prior to the entry of the birds into pre-export
quarantine until export*;

OR*

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Official Stamp, signed, and dated by the certifying veterinarian.

ii) Clinical Newcastle disease has not been reported within 40 kilometres of any of the source flocks for the consignment, or of the approved pre-export facility, at any time within 21 days prior to the entry of the birds into the pre-export quarantine. Clinical Newcastle disease has not been reported within 40 kilometres of the pre-export quarantine facility from the commencement of pre-export quarantine until the date of export*;

- c) **Equine viral encephalomyelitis** does not occur in the United Kingdom;*
- d) Infectious bursal disease does not occur in commercial poultry in the United Kingdom;*
- e) There are no recorded incidences of detection of live **West Nile virus** in the United Kingdom*.

Pre-export quarantine

- f) Where post mortem or laboratory reports from birds dying in pre-export quarantine indicate the presence of a disease of quarantine concern as listed in this certificate, copies of those reports were submitted to DAWE prior to shipment of the birds.
- g) The birds for export were inspected by me within 48 hours (preferably 24 hours) prior to leaving the pre-export quarantine facility and were found to be free from evidence of infectious or contagious disease and external parasites, and fit to travel.

Health certification

- h) I have read the health certificate provided in relation to the birds listed in the attached schedules and I have no reason to doubt the truth of that certification.

Official Stamp

Signed

.....RCVS

**Name in
block letters**

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**Whole Time Veterinary Officer of the
Department for Environment, Food and Rural
Affairs**

Date

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Address

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