

EXPORT OF CANINE SEMEN TO HUNGARY

NOTES FOR GUIDANCE (NFG) FOR OFFICIAL VETERINARIANS AND EXPORTERS

This document should not be read as a standalone document but in conjunction with 9001EHC.

1. SCOPE OF THE CERTIFICATE

This certificate may be used for the export of canine semen where the certification takes place in Wales, Scotland or England, i.e. Great Britain only.

2. CERTIFICATION

The basic principles of certification apply and although this is not an EU level harmonised EU entry certificate, the general requirements that the EU specifies for its harmonised certificates should be followed.

Please note that this certificate is taken from an English translation provided by Hungary and the English text is therefore constrained by that model certificate.

EXPORTING COUNTRY: Although the certificate has been prepopulated with UNITED KINGDOM, this certificate should and can only be issued for animals that are certified in England, Scotland and Wales (i.e. Great Britain).

I. Identification of the Donor animal

'Registered name' is the name that is registered with the Kennel Club in the UK.

II. Identification of the Semen

Self-explanatory

III. Origin and destination of the semen

Self-explanatory

IV. Owner's statement

Self-explanatory

V. Health Certificate

The Hungarian model certificate is drafted so that the only option is to allow semen from dogs that have been vaccinated against Leptospira and Rabies.

Laboratory results must be attached to the certificate. These should be added as a schedule and the unique certificate number transferred onto the pages as appropriate. OVs should stamp and sign each page added and adjust the page numbering accordingly by adding 'Page X of Y'), etc.

Points 2 & 3 may be attested based on seeing evidence such as the original documentation that can be unambiguously linked to the semen via the identity of the donor.

Point 3 requires a negative result for Brucella canis and RSAT tests are recommended by the Veterinary Diagnostics Directorate of the National Food Chain Safety Office in Hungary.

Disclaimer: This certificate is provided on the basis of information available at the time and may not necessarily comply fully with the requirements of the importing country. It is the exporter's responsibility to check the certificate against any relevant import permit or any advice provided by the competent authority in the importing country. If these do not match, the exporter should contact the APHA Centre for International Trade, in Carlisle, via the link below.

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