

9006NFG

**EXPORT OF REPTILES AND AMPHIBIANS AS PETS TO SPAIN**

**NOTES FOR GUIDANCE (NFG) FOR OFFICIAL VETERINARIANS AND EXPORTERS**

This document should not be read as a standalone document but in conjunction with 9006EHC.

**Scope of the certificate**

This certificate may be issued for the export of reptiles and amphibians as pets where the certification takes place in Wales, Scotland or England, i.e. Great Britain only.

A note on the English text and translation:

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

**Country of origin**

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).

**Original vs copy.**

The original must accompany the animal to the final destination. In the UK only an original certificate can be issued and the original box must be crossed. Delete the box and text for copy.

**Certification**

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

**Place of loading**

In the case of traveling by plane, write "name of the airport". In case of traveling by sea, write "name of the port". In case of traveling by land, write "name of the establishment where the animals are loaded onto means of transport".

**Means of transport**

Indicate the means of transport and its identification:

- aircraft (indicate the flight number);
- ship (indicate the ship name and number);

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- railway (indicate the train identity and wagon number);
- road vehicle (indicate the registration number with trailer number, if applicable);
- ferry (identify the road vehicle(s) with registration number (with trailer number, if applicable), in addition to the name and number of the scheduled ferry.

**Notes**

2. The exception in transitional measure 4 (on page 18 of the Decreto 630/2013) refers to those companion animals, exotic or domestic animals, and exotic animals in zoos that were acquired prior to their inclusion in the listing of invasive alien species, where owners may keep the animals, as long as they notify the competent authority before 1 January 2022. Therefore additional conditions apply to such animals. Regulation EU 1143/2014 refers.

**Disclaimer:** This certificate is provided based on 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, see the link below.

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