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IRELAND

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EXPORT OF MILK AND MILK PRODUCTS FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION TO NEW ZEALAND

HEALTH CERTIFICATE

ASSIGNED NUMBER (AN) 8

EXPORTING COUNTRY: UNITED KINGDOM

FOR COMPLETION BY: OFFICIAL VETERINARIAN

**I. IDENTIFICATION OF PRODUCT**

- (a) Name of milk/milk product:  
*\*pasteurised, UHT, or sterilised milk products*  
*\*thermised cheeses*  
*\*raw milk (unpasteurised) cheeses*  
*\*other raw milk (unpasteurised) products, excluding  
raw fresh drinking milk and products made from  
colostrum*
- (b) Number of packages:
- (c) Nature of packaging:
- (d) Nature/Description of goods:
- (e) Species product derived from:
- (f) Net weight in kilograms (kg):
- (g) Number of container(s) and container seal number(s):
- (h) Production date(s):

**II. ORIGIN OF PRODUCT**

(a) Name and address/es of establishment(s):

(b) Official approval number:

**III. CONSIGNMENT INFORMATION**

- (a) The products are to be dispatched from: **UNITED KINGDOM**  
to:
- (b) Place of loading:
- (c) Name and address of consignor:
- (d) Name and address of consignee:
- (e) Port of disembarkation:
- (f) Country of final destination: **NEW ZEALAND**

**IV. HEALTH ATTESTATION**

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that the animal product herein described:

- (a) complies with the relevant United Kingdom standards and requirements which have been recognized as equivalent to the New Zealand standards and requirements, as prescribed in the United Kingdom-New Zealand Agreement on Sanitary Measures.
- (b) was derived from animals of:
- (i) Bovine origin
- (ii) Ovine/caprine origin

**V. ADDITIONAL DECLARATION(S) /GUARANTEE(S)**

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that:

- (a) The animal product is eligible for intra-community trade without restriction.

**\* (b) Treatment**

The milk or milk products were subjected to:

**EITHER**

- \* (i) pasteurisation at 72°C for a minimum of 15 seconds;

**OR**

- \* (ii) UHT at 135°C for a minimum of 1 second;

**OR**

- \*<sup>(1)</sup> (iii) the product has been heat treated at [ ]°C for a minimum of [ ]seconds.

**OR**

- \* (iv) the thermised cheese has a moisture content of less than 39% and pH less than 5.6.

The milk used to produce this cheese was rapidly heated to at least 64.5° Celsius for 16 seconds.

The cheese was stored at not less than (greater than) 7° Celsius for 90 days;

**OR**

- \* (v) the hard raw milk cheese has undergone a curd heat treatment of no less than 48° Celsius and has a moisture content of less than 36%, and has been stored at no less than 10° Celsius for at least 6 months (including transit time);

**OR**

\* (vi) the milk products listed below are raw milk (unpasteurised) products:

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\* (2) (c) **In the case of heat treated milk and milk products (pasteurised and thermised) and raw milk products that have been imported into the UK, from a third country and are subsequently destined for export to New Zealand:**

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that the heat treated milk and milk products (pasteurized and thermised) and raw milk products described herein were derived/partly derived from product which:

(i) was imported into the United Kingdom from:

**Country/Countries of Origin**

*(Note that for thermised and raw milk products, the eligible countries are limited to: New Zealand, Australia, the European Union or Swiss Confederation)*

- (ii) was further stored, handled, processed, wrapped, and/or packaged in an establishment which is eligible to process product for domestic trade;
- (iii) is the subject of an existing import health standard between New Zealand and the third country/countries where the product originated;
- (iv) originated in a third country/countries and establishment(s) listed by the United Kingdom or European Community and is eligible for export to the United Kingdom or European Community.

**The following additional attestations are not requirements under New Zealand's Biosecurity Act, but are *for the purpose of onward export certification:***

**\* (d) In the case of milk/milk products from bovine origin only:**

- (i) The milk or milk products were derived only from animals resident in, and processed in, countries which are approved by the Australian Director of Biosecurity as free from foot and mouth disease and lumpy skin disease;
- (ii) the milk or milk products were derived only from animals resident in, and processed in, countries which are recognised by the World Organisation for Animal Health (WOAH) as free of foot and mouth disease, without vaccination;  
and
- (iii) the milk or milk products were derived only from animals resident in, and processed in, countries which meet the World Organisation for Animal Health (WOAH) standards for freedom from lumpy skin disease;

**AND/OR**

**\* (e) In the case of milk/milk products from ovine/caprine origin only:**

- (i) The milk or milk products were derived only from animals resident in, and processed in, countries which are approved by the Australian Director of Biosecurity as free from foot and mouth disease and sheep and goat pox;
- (ii) the milk or milk products were derived only from animals resident in, and processed in, countries which are recognised by the World Organisation for Animal Health (WOAH) as free of foot and mouth disease, without vaccination;  
**and**
- (iii) the milk or milk products were derived from animals resident in, and processed in, countries which meet the World Organisation for Animal Health (WOAH) requirements for freedom from sheep pox and goat pox.

Done on: ..... At: .....

Stamp<sup>(3)</sup>: ..... Signed<sup>(3)</sup>:.....MRCVS

Name in  
block letters: .....  
**Official Veterinarian**

Address: .....  
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**NOTES:**

- \*** Delete as appropriate
- (1) This treatment option can only be used if the Australian **Department of Agriculture, Water and the Environment (DAWE)** has approved the parameters and they are specifically stated in the Australian Import Permit for the product exported from UK to New Zealand.
- (2) Does not apply to milk products produced within the UK, EU, or Swiss Confederation. Either list applicable countries or delete this paragraph.
- (3) The signature and the stamp must be in a colour different to that of the printing. The official stamp must be applied to all the pages of the Health Certificate.