

**Model health certificate for domestic porcine animals (*Sus scrofa*) intended for immediate slaughter after importation from EU countries**

GBHC018E v3.0 September 2022

<b>Part I. Details of dispatched consignment</b>							
<b>I.1 Consignor</b> Name: Address: Tel:		<b>I.2 Certificate reference no.</b>		<b>I.3 Central competent authority</b>			
		<b>I.2.a UNN</b>		<b>I.4 Local competent authority</b>			
<b>I.5 Consignee</b> Name: Address: Tel:				<b>I.6 Not in use</b>			
<b>I.7 Country of origin</b>	<b>ISO code</b>	<b>I.8 Region of origin</b>	<b>Code</b>	<b>I.9 Country of destination</b>	<b>ISO code</b>	<b>I.10 Region of destination</b>	<b>Code</b>
<b>I.11 Place of origin</b> Name: Approval number: Address:				<b>I.12 Not in use</b>			
<b>I.13 Place of loading</b> Address			<b>I.14 Date of departure</b> Approval number				
<b>I.15 Means of transport</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Aeroplane <input type="checkbox"/> Ship <input type="checkbox"/> Railway wagon <input type="checkbox"/> Road vehicle <input type="checkbox"/> Other Identification: Documentation references:				<b>I.16 Entry BCP in Great Britain</b>			
				<b>I.17 Not in use</b>			

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<b>I.18 Description of commodity</b>				
<b>I.19 Commodity code (HS code)</b> 01.03	<b>I.21</b> Not in use		<b>I.23 Identification of container / seal number</b>	
<b>I.20 Quantity</b>	<b>I.22 Number of packages</b>		<b>I.24</b> Not in use	
<b>I.25 Commodity certified for</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Slaughter				
<b>I.26</b> Not in use		<b>I.27</b> <input type="checkbox"/> For import or admission into Great Britain		
<b>I.28 Identification of the commodities</b>				
Species (Scientific name)	Identification system	Identification number	Age	Sex

## Part II. Certification

### II.1 Public health attestation

I, the undersigned official veterinarian, hereby certify, that the animals described in this certificate,

**II.1.1** come from holdings which have been free from any official prohibition on health grounds, for the last 42 days in the case of brucellosis, for the last 30 days in the case of anthrax and for the past six months in the case of rabies and, the animals have not been in contact with animals from holdings which did not satisfy these conditions;

**II.1.2** have not received:

- any stilbene or thyrostatic substances
- oestrogenic, androgenic, gestagenic or  $\beta$ -agonist substances for purposes other than therapeutic or zootechnic treatment (as defined in Directive 96/22/EC).

<sup>(1)(2)(5)</sup>**II.1.3** are domestic porcine animals either coming from a holding officially recognised as applying controlled housing conditions in accordance with Article 8 of Regulation (EC) No 2015/1375 or are not weaned and less than 5 weeks of age.]

### II.2 Animal Health attestation

I, the undersigned official veterinarian, hereby certify, that the animals described above meet the following requirements:

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**II.2.1** they come from the territory with code: .....<sup>(1)</sup> which, at the date of issuing this certificate:

<sup>(2)</sup>either [(a) has been free for 24 months from foot-and-mouth disease, for 12 months from rinderpest, African swine fever (ASF), classical swine fever, swine vesicular disease and vesicular exanthema, and for 6 months from vesicular stomatitis, and]

<sup>(2)</sup>or [(a) (i) has been free [for 24 months from foot-and-mouth disease]<sup>(2)</sup>, for 12 months from rinderpest, African swine fever, vesicular exanthema, [classical swine fever]<sup>(2)</sup> and [swine vesicular disease]<sup>(2)</sup>, and for 6 months from vesicular stomatitis, and

(ii) has been considered free from [foot-and-mouth disease]<sup>(2)</sup>, [classical swine fever]<sup>(2)</sup> and [swine vesicular disease]<sup>(2)</sup>, since ..... (dd/mm/yyyy), without having had cases/outbreaks from that date, and authorised to export these animals by Commission Regulation (EU) No...../....., of .....(dd/mm/yyyy), and]

(iii) In the case of African swine fever, authorised to export domestic porcine animals to Great Britain in accordance with Commission Implementing Decision 2014/709/EU (L 295, 11.10.2014, p. 63), as it applied on the 20 April 2021, and taking into account the regions of the EU affected by African swine fever which are published on GOV.UK: <https://data.gov.uk/dataset/b7712d2e-debb-4996-8e79-d27ca7492a00/animal-health-status-of-countries-approved-to-export-animals-and-animal-products-to-great-britain> <sup>(2)</sup> <sup>(10)</sup>; and]

(b) where during the last 12 months, no vaccination against these diseases has been carried out and imports of domestic cloven-hoofed animals vaccinated against these diseases are not permitted.

<sup>(2)</sup>either [II.2.2 they have remained in the territory described under point II.2.1 since birth, or for at least the last six months before dispatch to Great Britain and without contact with imported cloven-hoofed animals for the last 30 days and have been kept separate from wild cloven-hoofed animals since birth;]

<sup>(2)</sup>or [II.2.2 have been introduced on ..... (dd/mm/yyyy) into the territory described under point II.2.1, from the EU territory/ies with code(s) .....<sup>(1)</sup> that at that date was authorised to import the animals into Great Britain and the animals have not been in contact with imported cloven-hoofed animals from countries not subject to transitional import arrangements for the last 30 days and have been kept separate from wild cloven-hoofed animals since birth;]

**II.2.3** they have remained in the holding(s) described under box reference I.11 since birth, or for at least 40 days prior to dispatch, and, during this period, in the holding(s) and in an area with a 10 km radius around the holding(s) of origin, there has been no case/outbreak of the diseases referred to in point II.2.1;

**II.2.4** they are not animals to be killed under a national programme for the eradication of diseases, nor have they been vaccinated against the diseases referred to in point II.2.1;

**II.2.5** they are/were<sup>(2)</sup> dispatched from their holding(s) of origin, without passing through any market,

<sup>(2)</sup>either [directly to the Great Britain,]

<sup>(2)</sup>or [to the officially authorised assembly centre described under box reference I.13 situated within the territory described under point II.2.1,]

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and, until dispatched to the Great Britain:

- (a) they did not come in contact with other cloven-hoofed animals not complying with the health requirements as described in this certificate, and
- (b) they were not at any place where, or around which within a 10 km radius, during the previous 40 days there has been a case/outbreak of any of the diseases referred to in point II.2.1;

- II.2.6** any transport vehicles or containers in which they were loaded were cleaned and disinfected before loading with an officially authorised disinfectant;
- II.2.7** they were examined by an official veterinarian within 24 hours of loading and showed no clinical sign of disease;
- II.2.8** they have been loaded for dispatch to the Great Britain on .....(dd/mm/yyyy)<sup>(3)</sup> in the means of transport described under box reference 1.15 that were cleaned and disinfected before loading with an officially authorised disinfectant and so constructed that faeces, urine, litter or fodder could not flow or fall out of the vehicle or container during transportation.

**II.3 Animal transport attestation**

I, the undersigned official veterinarian, hereby certify, that the animals described above have been treated before and at the time of loading in accordance with the relevant provisions of Regulation (EC) No 1/2005, in particular as regards watering and feeding, and they are fit for the intended transport.

**(2)(4) II.4. Specific requirements**

- II.4.1** Aujeszky's disease is notifiable in the country referred to in box reference I.7;
- II.4.2** according to official information, no clinical, pathological or serological evidence of Aujeszky's disease has been recorded in the holding(s) of origin referred to in box reference 1.11 for the last 3 months;
- II.4.3** the animals referred to in box reference I.28:
  - (a) have remained in the holding(s) of origin referred to in box reference I.11 since birth or for the last 60 days prior to dispatch for exportation, and
  - (b) have not been vaccinated against Aujeszky's disease.]

**Notes**

References to European Union legislation within this certificate are references to direct EU legislation which has been retained in Great Britain (retained EU law as defined in the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018) and can be viewed on the UK legislation website (legislation.gov.uk).

References to Great Britain in this certificate include Channel Islands and Isle of Man.

This certificate is meant for live domestic porcine animals (*Sus scrofa*) intended for immediate slaughter after importation.

After importation the animals must be conveyed without delay to the slaughterhouse of destination to be slaughtered within five working days.

**Part I:**

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- Box reference I.8: Provide the code of territory as it appears in a document relating to 'live ungulates' published on gov.uk, in accordance with Regulation (EU) No 206/2010.<sup>(7)</sup>
- Box reference I.13: The assembly centre, if any, must fulfil the conditions for its approval, as laid down in Part 5 of Annex I to Regulation (EU) No 206/2010.
- Box reference I.15: Registration number (railway wagons or container and lorries), flight number (aircraft) or name (ship) is to be provided. In case of unloading and reloading, the consignor must inform the BIP of entry into the Union.
- Box reference I.23: For containers or boxes, the container number and the seal number (if applicable) should be included.
- Box reference I.28: Identification system: The animals must bear:
- An individual number which permits tracing of their premises of origin. Specify the identification system (such as tag, tattoos, brand, chip, transponder) and the anatomic place used in the animal.
- An ear tag that includes the ISO code of the exporting country. The individual number must permit tracing of their premises of origin.
- Box reference I.28: Age: months.
- Box reference I.28: Sex (M = male, F = female, C = castrated)

**Part II:**

- (1) Code of the territory as it appears in a document relating to 'live ungulates' published on gov.uk, in accordance with Regulation (EU) No 206/2010.<sup>(7)</sup>
- (2) Keep as appropriate.
- (3) Date of loading. Imports of these animals shall not be allowed when the animals were loaded either prior to the date of authorisation for exportation to the Union of the third country, territory or part thereof referred to in boxes 1.7 and 1.8, or during a period where restrictive measures have been adopted by the Union against imports of these animals from this third country, territory or part thereof.
- (4) When required by the EU Member State of destination, in accordance with Decision 2008/185/EC.
- (5) Only for third countries with the entry 'XI' in column 6 'Specific conditions' as set out in a document relating to 'live ungulates' published on gov.uk, in accordance with to Regulation (EU) No 206/2010.<sup>(7)</sup>
- (6) Only for EU territories with the entry 'E' in column 'SG' as set out in a document relating to 'live ungulates' published on gov.uk, in accordance with Regulation (EU) No 206/2010.<sup>(7)</sup>
- (7) A document relating to 'live ungulates' for EU and EFTA states published by the Secretary of State, with the consent of the Scottish and Welsh Ministers, may be found here:

[EU and EFTA states approved to export animals and animal products to Great Britain - data.gov.uk](https://data.gov.uk)

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**Official Veterinarian**

Name (in capital letters):

Qualification and title:

Date:

Signature:

Stamp:

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