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No:

EXPORT OF *FRESH / *FROZEN PORCINE SEMEN TO THE REPUBLIC OF CONGO

HEALTH CERTIFICATE

EXPORTING COUNTRY: UNITED KINGDOM

FOR COMPLETION BY: OFFICIAL VETERINARIAN

I. Information concerning the donor boar(s)

Breed	Age	Official Ear Mark

II. Information concerning the semen

a) Date(s) of collection:

b) Number of doses and volume of each:

c) Identification code:

III. Place of collection of the semen

a) Name and address of semen collection centre:

b) Registration number:

c) Name and address of owner of the donor boar(s):

IV. Destination of the semen

a) Name and address of exporter:

b) Name and address of consignee:

c) Means of transportation (including registration number of vehicle, flight number of aircraft or name of ship):

d) Import Permit No:

V. Health Information

I, the undersigned Official Veterinarian, certify that:

- (a) the United Kingdom is free from classical swine fever (CSF), African swine fever, porcine brucellosis (*Brucella suis* infection), foot and mouth disease and swine vesicular disease in accordance with the World Organisation for Animal Health (WOAH) Terrestrial Animal Health Code;
- (b) the semen described above was collected, processed, packaged and stored under official veterinary control in a semen collection centre approved by the competent veterinary authorities of the UK;
- (c) prior to entering, and at least annually while resident in the semen collection centre, all donor boars are subjected to serological testing for porcine brucellosis, Aujeszky's disease and CSF with negative results. All the above mentioned tests are carried out at laboratories officially approved by the competent veterinary authority of the UK;
- (d) the semen for export was obtained from donor boars which have not been allowed to serve naturally and, on the day the semen was collected, showed no clinical signs of any disease capable of being transmitted through semen;
- (e) the semen described above was treated with a combination of antibiotics (streptomycin, penicillin, lincomycin and spectinomycin), which is effective against leptospires and mycoplasmas;
- (f) the semen described above was:
 - (i) stored hygienically under veterinary control in an officially approved storage facility;

(ii) placed into new containers or into containers that had been cleaned and disinfected or sterilised before use and which were sealed prior to dispatch from the approved storage facility;

Official Seal No(s):

*(iii) in the case of export of frozen semen, the cryogenic agent used has not been previously used for other products of animal origin.

* Delete if not applicable

Official Stamp

Signed RCVS
Official Veterinarian

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Title and name in block letters

Date

Address
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