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EXPORT OF BREEDING PIGS TO SRI LANKA

HEALTH CERTIFICATE

No:

EXPORTING COUNTRY: UNITED KINGDOM

FOR COMPLETION BY: OFFICIAL VETERINARIAN

I. Number and identification of the animals

Official ear mark	Breed	Sex	Age

II. Origin of the animals

(a) Name and address of exporter:

(b) Address of premises of origin:

(c) Address of quarantine premises (if different to II (b)):

III. Destination of the animals

(a) Name and address of consignee:

(b) Address of destination of the animals:

(c) Means of transportation (including registration number of vehicle, flight number of aircraft or name of ship, port/airport and expected date of departure):

(d) Import Permit No:

IV. Health information

I, the undersigned Official Veterinarian, certify that the animals described above meet the following requirements:

Country of Origin

- (a) the United Kingdom is free from **Vesicular Stomatitis, Swine Vesicular Disease, African Swine Fever, enterovirus encephalomyelitis (Teschen disease), Foot and Mouth disease, Aujeszky's disease, Classical Swine Fever (Hog Cholera) and porcine brucellosis (B. suis);**

Premises (piggery) of origin

- (b) the premises of origin meet(s) the following animal health conditions:
- (i) it has been free from **transmissible gastroenteritis (TGE), porcine brucellosis (*Brucella suis*) and porcine reproductive and respiratory syndrome (PRRS)** for a minimum period of two (2) years prior to embarkation and the pigs described above have not been vaccinated against these diseases;
- (ii) it has been free from any clinical evidence of **atrophic rhinitis (PAR) and swine erysipelas** for a minimum period of one (1) year prior to embarkation;
- (iii) it has been free from clinical signs of the following contagious diseases **leptospirosis, vesicular exanthema, swine influenza, anthrax, porcine parvovirus infection, toxoplasmosis and Japanese B encephalitis** for a minimum period of six (6) months prior to embarkation;
- (iv) [*Optional- delete if not applicable]- pigs have been vaccinated against **PCV2** and vaccination details are attached to this certificate;

Details of the animals

- (c) the animals described above have been identified with a permanent mark enabling them to be traced back to the dam and the premises of origin;
- (d) the animals described above were born and have been continually resident in the United Kingdom;
- (e) as far as can be determined, the animals described above have not been in contact with animals showing signs of any of the diseases referred to in paragraph IV(b) above, **swine influenza, salmonellosis** or of any other notifiable disease to which pigs are susceptible, for a period of three (3) months prior to embarkation;

Pre-export quarantine, testing and treatments

- (f) the animals for export have been kept isolated under official veterinary supervision for a minimum of thirty (30) days prior to embarkation in an approved export quarantine facility which was cleansed and disinfected with an approved disinfectant prior to use;

(h) during the pre-export isolation period the animals to be exported have been subjected to the following tests with negative results at a laboratory officially approved by the competent veterinary authority and to the following treatments:

(i) **PRRS:**

- ELISA and
- Real time polymerase chain reaction (RT PCR) in pooled serum (up to 5 samples);

(ii) **Leptospirosis:**

* two injections of streptomycin/dihydrostreptomycin at a dose rate of 25mg/kg at an interval of 14 days; **or**

* one injection of long acting tetracycline at a dose rate of 20mg/kg;

(i) the animals described above have been treated twice, with an interval of 14 days between treatments, with an approved broad spectrum **anthelmintic** to eliminate internal helminths of pigs. The second treatment was carried out within 7 days prior to embarkation;

(j) the animals described above have been treated twice, with an interval of 14 days between treatments, with an approved **acaricide** to eliminate external parasites of pigs. The second treatment was carried out within 7 days prior to embarkation;

(k) the animals described above were subjected to a veterinary inspection within 24 hours of embarkation and found to be free from deformity and clinical signs of infectious or contagious disease and are fit for transport;

(l) a signed undertaking has been received from the owner / exporter stating that

(i) the animals will be transported in accordance with the live animals regulations of the International Air Transport Association (IATA)

(ii) they will be transported without coming into contact with any animals other than those similarly certified.

V. Validity of Certificate

This health certificate is valid for 10 days from the date of signature.

* **Delete as appropriate**

Official Stamp

Signed **RCVS**
Official Veterinarian

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Title and name in block letters

Date

Address
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