

EXPORT OF ANIMAL DERIVED PEPTONES TO CANADA

NOTES FOR GUIDANCE OF THE CERTIFYING OFFICIAL VETERINARIAN

Associated Documents: 8806EHC

IMPORTANT

These notes provide guidance to Official Veterinarians (OV) and exporters. The NFG should have been issued to you together with export certificate 8806EHC. The NFG should not be read as a standalone document but in conjunction with certificate 8806EHC. We strongly suggest that exporters obtain full details of the importing country's requirements from the veterinary authorities in the country concerned, or their representatives in the UK, in advance of each consignment.

1. SCOPE OF THE CERTIFICATE

Export health certificate 8806EHC may be used for the export of animal derived peptones to Canada.

Note that the permitted species and countries of origin of the product and its constituents are laid down in the import permit.

2. CERTIFICATION BY AN OFFICIAL VETERINARIAN (OV)

This certificate may be signed by an Official Veterinarian appointed by the Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (Defra), Scottish Government, Welsh Government, or the Department of Agriculture, Environment and Rural Affairs (DAERA) Northern Ireland, who is on the appropriate panel for export purposes or who holds the appropriate Official Controls Qualification (Veterinary) (OCQ(V)) authorisation.

A certified copy of the completed certificate must be sent to the Animal and Plant Health Agency (APHA), Specialist Service Centre for International Trade, Carlisle, or to DAERA, within seven days of issue.

The OV/AVI should keep a copy for his/her own records.

3. Details of Dispatched Consignment

The following guidance should be followed in addition to the notes at the end of the certificate.

- **1.1 - Exporting Country**
Pre-filled with 'United Kingdom'
- **1.2 - Certificate Number**
Enter the unique certificate issue number
- **1.3 - Central Competent Authority**
Pre-filled with "Defra".
- **1.4 - Local Competent Authority**
For exporting establishments located in Great Britain (England, Scotland and Wales) this should be completed with "APHA"
For exporting establishments located in Northern Ireland, this should be completed with "DAERA".

- **1.5 - Consignor**
Enter the exporter details
- **1.6 - Consignee**
Enter the details of the recipient
- **I.7 - Country/ies of Origin**
This relates to the country or countries where the products were collected from animals, processed and/or manufactured.
Multiple countries may be entered as necessary.

The internationally recognised two letter country ISO codes are set out under ISO 3166, which can be viewed via the Online Browsing Platform available at:
<https://www.iso.org/iso-3166-country-codes.html>

- **1.8 - Country of Destination**
Pre-filled with 'Canada'
- **I.9 - Place of Origin**
This relates to the name and address of the UK establishment from which the products are being exported and official approval number when required by UK legislation.

Depending on the precise nature of the material, the establishment may need to be approved or registered in accordance with the Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2013 or with parallel legislation in force in Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland.

These statutory instruments currently enforce and implement the principles and controls laid down under the retained Regulation (EC) 1069/2009 (as last amended 14/12/2019).

The approval number may be confirmed on sight of a valid approval or registration document or by reference to the responsible local APHA or DAERA office.

- **1.10 - Entry point in Canada**
Enter the official point of entry in Canada
- **1.11 - Place of Loading/Shipment**
Enter the place of departure from the UK
- **1.12 - Date of Departure**
Enter the date of departure from the UK
- **1.13 - Place of Loading/Shipment**
Enter the place of departure from the UK
- **I.14 - HS Code**
Further information on the Harmonised System (HS) Code can be found at <https://www.trade-tariff.service.gov.uk/browse>
The OV should confirm with the exporter that the HS Code used correctly describes the products being consigned.

Multiple HS Codes may be used if necessary.

- **1.15 - Commodities certified for**
Enter a 'X' in the technical use box
- **1.16 - Temperature of Product**
Enter a 'X' in the correct box
- **1.17 - Means of Transport**
Enter a 'X' in the correct box
- **1.18 - identification of container and seal number**
Enter a 'X' in the correct box and enter the number plate, vessel

or flight number as appropriate

- **I.19 - For Transit Through Canada to 3rd Country**
Enter the transit country
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- **1.20 - Accompanying documents**
Enter details of any accompanying documents
- **I.21 - Description and Identification of the Commodities**
The "Manufacturing Plant & CCVA Approval Number" should be completed with the approval or registration number issued by the Central Competent Veterinary Authority for the establishment responsible for manufacturing the product (see guidance for I.9). The approval or registration number/s may be confirmed on sight of the relevant importation documentation.

4. HEALTH INFORMATION

- **Paragraph II.1 and II.2** may be certified on the basis of relevant documentation accompanying the product or its constituents into the UK. **Note that the species and country of origin stated in II.1 must align with the requirements of the import permit.**
- **Paragraph II.3** may be certified based on the certifying officer's knowledge of the processing premises, and on site of any supporting evidence or documentation deemed necessary.
- **Paragraph II.4:** This paragraph should be certified on the basis of either (a) the BSE status of the country of origin of any bovine material contained in the shipment, and/or (b) supporting documentation confirming the absence of the listed material).

Confirmation of the species and country of origin may be verified by reference to relevant documentation accompanying the product or its constituents into the UK.

Non relevant clauses should be struck through in the usual manner.

The whole paragraph II.4 should be struck through in the usual manner in the absence of cattle material in the exported shipment.

- **Paragraph II.5** may be certified based on the certifying officer's knowledge of the processing premises and their processing, packaging, storage and transport protocols, and on sight of any supporting evidence or documentation deemed necessary.

5. DISCLAIMER

This certificate is provided on the basis of 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 (CIT) - Exports in Carlisle, via the link below:

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/contact-apha#animal-exports>

In Northern Ireland, contact the DAERA trade administration team:
e-mail - tradeadminpost@daera-ni.gov.uk
Phone - 0289 0520989