

9010NFG

EXPORT OF LABORATORY ANIMALS TO BELGIUM

NOTES FOR GUIDANCE (NFG) FOR OFFICIAL VETERINARIANS AND EXPORTERS

This document should not be read as a standalone document but in conjunction with 9010EHC

1. SCOPE OF THE CERTIFICATE

This certificate may be used for the export of laboratory animals for research where the certification takes place in Wales, Scotland or England, i.e. Great Britain only.

This certificate may be used for a singular or multiple number of animals. If necessary, create and include a schedule to add additional information should the space provided not be enough.

Please note: the importing institution must have valid Import Authorisation in place issued by the Belgian authorities.

There is also a requirement to notify via Traces NT prior to export.

2. CERTIFICATION

The basic principles of certification apply and although this is not an EU level harmonised EU entry certificate, the general requirements that the EU specifies for its harmonised certificates should be followed.

I. ORIGIN

Country of origin

Although the certificate has been prepopulated with UNITED KINGDOM, this certificate should and can only be issued for animals that are certified in England, Scotland and Wales (i.e. Great Britain).

II. DESTINATION

Person responsible for the load in EU

Person that will be responsible for notification of consignment (TRACES) to the EU authorities.

Place of loading

Address and approval number of the place where animals are loaded (it can be the same as the place of origin) should be recorded here.

Means of transport

Write the means of transport for animals leaving the country of dispatch, and indicate its identification:

- aircraft (indicate the flight number);
- vessel (indicate the vessel name);
- railway (indicate the train identity and wagon number);
- road vehicle (indicate the registration number with trailer number, if applicable).
- ferry (indicate the name and number of the scheduled ferry and identify the road vehicle(s) with registration number, and trailer number, if applicable).

Entry BIP in EU

Designation number of the BCP should be recorded here (e.g. NL AMS 4 for Schiphol Airport in Amsterdam, see list [Designated Border Control Posts \(BCPs\) \(europa.eu\)](#))

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, Carlisle via the link below:

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