

EXPORT OF REPTILES AND AMPHIBIANS TO IRELAND

NOTES FOR GUIDANCE (NFG) FOR OFFICIAL VETERINARIANS AND EXPORTERS

This document should not be read as a standalone document but in conjunction with 9045EHC.

Scope of the certificate

This certificate may be issued for the export of reptiles and amphibians, including companion animals, where the certification takes place in Wales, Scotland or England, i.e. Great Britain only.

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).

Certification

The basic principles of certification apply and although this is not a harmonised EU level EU entry certificate, the general requirements that the EU specifies for its harmonised certificates (Reg (EU) 2020/2235 Art 5 and Annex 1, Ch 4) should be followed.

Place of Origin and Attestation II.4.3

When an establishment is or is required to be a confined establishment, the GB based equivalent is a BALAI approved establishment. The relevant Balai approval number must be listed. OV's should check whether a premises is approved by consulting the public register of Balai Approved Premises on GOV.UK: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/balai-directive-approved-premises>

Entry BCP

Official designation number of the BCP should be used, list for reference provided here: [Designated Border Control Posts \(BCPs\) \(europa.eu\)](#).

Place of loading

In the case of traveling by plane, write "name of the airport". In case of traveling by sea, write "name of the port". In case of traveling by land, write "name of the establishment where the animals are loaded onto means of transport".

Means of transport

Select one or more of the following means of transport for animals or goods leaving the country of dispatch, and indicate its identification:

- aircraft (indicate the flight number);
- ship (indicate the ship name and number);
- railway (indicate the train identity and wagon number);
- road vehicle (indicate the registration number with trailer number, if applicable).

In the case of a ferry, tick 'ship' and identify the road vehicle(s) with registration number (with trailer number, if applicable), in addition to the name and number of the scheduled ferry.	
Disclaimer: This certificate is provided based on 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, in Carlisle, see the link below.	

[Contact APHA - GOV.UK \(www.gov.uk\)](http://www.gov.uk)