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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, ENVIRONMENT AND RURAL AFFAIRS, NORTHERN
IRELAND

No:

EXPORT OF MEAT AND MEAT PRODUCTS TO QATAR

HEALTH CERTIFICATE

EXPORTING COUNTRY: UNITED KINGDOM

FOR COMPLETION BY: OFFICIAL VETERINARIAN

I. Identification of the meat/products

a) Description of the meat/products:

b) Species of origin

c) Type and number of packages:

d) Net weight of consignment:

e) Shipping Marks:

II. Origin of the meat/products

a) Address of premises of slaughterhouse:

c) Name and address of exporter:

III. Destination of the products

- a) The meat/meat products
was/were despatched from:

to:
(Country and place of destination)
- b) Name and address of consignee:
- c) Means of transportation:

IV. Health information

I, the undersigned Official Veterinarian, certify that the meat/meat products described above meet the following requirements:

1. they originated from farms or holdings that are free from prohibitions resulting from an outbreak of any disease listed on the WOAHA Terrestrial Code to which the specie is susceptible and for the commodity traded, WOAHA does not have trade restrictions;
2. Either:
 - a) they were derived from farmed animals which have been subjected to ante-mortem and post-mortem inspection under veterinary supervision in a UK-approved slaughterhouse and found free from any clinical evidence of infectious or contagious disease;
 - and/or
 - b) they were derived from wild game animals which have been subject to post-mortem inspection under veterinary responsibility in a UK approved game handling establishment and found free from any evidence of infectious or contagious disease;
3. they have been inspected and found to be fit for human consumption;
4. the establishments at which the products described above were processed / manufactured are approved by the competent authorities of the United Kingdom in accordance with current hygiene legislation;
5. they have been oval marked, handled, packed, stored and transported in accordance with legislation currently in force in the United Kingdom and have been kept free from contamination prior to export;

6. On the basis of the legislation currently in force in the United Kingdom and the United Kingdom's surveillance programme for residues in meat, it can be considered that the meat does not contain harmful levels of any veterinary medicine, including anti-microbial substances, nor any beta agonist or substances having a thyrostatic, oestrogenic, androgenic or gestogenic action which do not occur naturally in the meat, or residues, exceeding the limits permitted in the United Kingdom of veterinary medicines or heavy metal contaminants;
7. The animals from which the meat or meat products originate were not treated with any growth hormone;
8. According to UK regulations, no harmful preservatives or harmful colorant agents have been added to the meat and meat products.

Date

SignedRCVS

Name in block

letters:

OFFICIAL VETERINARIAN

Stamp

Address.....

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THIS IS TO CERTIFY

1. that a declaration has been received from the exporter of the consignment described on the attached certificate **NO:** stating:
 - a) that the products may lawfully be sold in the United Kingdom;
 - *b) that the products are fit for human consumption.
2. the United Kingdom has a comprehensive programme in place to monitor radioactivity in food and the environment. The results demonstrates that even the most exposed members of the UK public received radiation doses from consumption of local food and exposure to environmental radioactivity (due to discharges and direct radiation) that were below the statutory EU annual dose limit to members of the public of 1 millisievert per year from artificially-produced radionuclides as set in the Council Directive 96/29/Euratom of 13 May 1996.

* delete as appropriate

Date:

Signed

Official Veterinarian

Stamp: