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No:

EXPORT OF SHEEP/GOATS FOR BREEDING TO THE UNITED ARAB EMIRATES

HEALTH CERTIFICATE

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 where the animals were examined:

III. Destination of the animals

a) Country of destination:

b) Name and address of consignee:

- c) Means of transportation:

IV. Health Information

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

- a) On _____, being within 48 hours of loading, I examined the said animals and found them to be free from clinical signs of infectious or contagious disease;
- b) The United Kingdom is free of **foot-and-mouth disease, rinderpest, rift valley fever, sheep and goat pox and peste des petits ruminants**;
- c) The animals for export have been isolated from all other livestock on the premises described at paragraph II b) for a period of at least 30 days prior to shipment;
- d) The UK has a ban in place on the feeding of ruminant protein (other than milk) to ruminants and this ban is considered by the UK authorities to be effectively enforced since 1 August 1996; the animals described above were born after 1 August 1996;
- e) **Brucella (Brucella melitensis)**. Blood samples were collected from the animals for export during the 30 days prior to export and were subjected to the complement fixation test for brucellosis (*Brucella melitensis*) with negative results in each case (negative is less than 20 cftu/ml);
- *in the case of post-parturient females, the test was carried out at least 30 days after giving birth;
- f) **Contagious Caprine Pleuropneumonia (CCPP)**. The animals for export:
- *(i) come from a country of origin which is free from Contagious Caprine Pleuropneumonia (CCPP) for at least 12 months prior to export with stamping-out policy; OR
- *(ii) have been tested for the CCPP disease twice during the period of isolation, first between the period of 21 - 30 days with negative results and the second test in the period not less than 14 days before export; OR
- *(iii) have been vaccinated for the CCPP disease within 4 months prior to export;
- g) **Anthrax**. The animals for export come from establishment(s) not reported any case of Anthrax disease for 20 days prior to export;
- h) **Rabies**. The animals for export come from flocks/herds of origin, which have been for the past 12 months officially free from Rabies;
- i) **Tuberculosis complex disease**. The animals for export:
- *(i) come from a country or zone which is free from Tuberculosis complex disease during at least the last five

years prior to export, according to the WOA H guidelines; OR

*(ii) come from a flock/herd that has no record of Tuberculosis complex disease during the previous two years and the animals to be exported have been tested with negative results within the last 30 days prior the exportation;

j) **Bluetongue (BTV)**. The animals for export:

*(i) were kept in a BTV free country since birth or for at least 60 days prior to export; OR

*(ii) were protected from disease vector bite (Culicoides) during the 30 day period prior to export, and were subjected to a serological test according to the World Organisation for Animal Health (WOAH) Terrestrial Manual, namely * agar gel immunodiffusion test (AGIDT), OR * enzyme linked immunosorbent assay (ELISA), to detect antibodies to the BTV group, carried out, with negative results, within the 30 days prior to shipment; OR

*(iii) were protected from disease vector bite (Culicoides) during the 14 day period prior to export, and were subjected to an agent identification test for BTV according to the WOA H Terrestrial Manual carried out, with negative results, on blood samples collected within the 14 days prior to shipment; OR

*(iv) were kept in a country or zone that was not free, and were vaccinated at least 60 days before shipment, against all serotypes present in the country or zone;

k) The animals come from flocks/herds of origin which have been clinically free from **Chlamydiosis, Trichomoniasis, Paratuberculosis, Leptospirosis, Listeria, Coital Vesicular Exanthema, and Vibriosis** for the past 12 months prior to export;

l) **Scrapie**. The animals for export originate from establishment(s) that is considered free of Scrapie disease according to the standards of the WOA H Terrestrial Manual;

m) on , being within 14-21 days of loading, the said animals were treated for the removal of internal and external parasites using the following licensed medicinal product, according to the manufacturers instructions:

Name of product

Manufacturer

n) All diagnostic tests have been carried out in official laboratories or laboratories authorised or accredited by the official veterinary authorities of the United Kingdom and in accordance with the WOA H Manual of Diagnostic Tests and Vaccines for Terrestrial Animals (WOAH Terrestrial Manual).

* Delete as appropriate

V. This certificate is valid for 10 days.

Stamp:

Signed RCVS

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Name in block letters

Official Veterinarian

Date.....

Address.....

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