

IMPORT HEALTH REQUIREMENTS OF SINGAPORE FOR SHEEP AND GOATS
EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED STATES

The animals must be accompanied by a U.S. Origin Health Certificate issued by a veterinarian authorized by the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) and endorsed by a Veterinary Services (VS) veterinarian. The certificate shall contain the name and address of both the consignor and consignee and complete identification of the animals to be exported. Additional information shall include:

CERTIFICATION STATEMENTS

1. The United States is free of contagious caprine pleuropneumonia, foot-and-mouth disease, rinderpest, peste des petits ruminants, goat/sheep pox.
2. The animals have been examined and, insofar as can be determined, are free from physical defects likely to affect breeding potential.
3. Insofar as can be determined, the animals came from farms which have not had any reported outbreaks for the past 6 months prior to movement and are free from clinical evidence of the following diseases:

Q Fever	Anthrax
Scrapie	Caprine Arthritis/Encephalitis (CAE)
Contagious Pustular Dermatitis	Johne's Disease
Enzootic Abortion of Sheep	Bluetongue
Caseous Lymphadenitis	Ovine Brucellosis
Maedi-visna	
4. The animals originate from farms which have been clinically free of tuberculosis and brucellosis for the last 12 months.
5. The animals were treated for internal and external parasites within 30 days of export.
6. The animals were maintained in isolation so as to have no direct contact with other non-tested animals from the time that testing began until export.
7. The goats or sheep are not affected with or exposed to scrapie, or originated from, or has been on, any premises which then were infected or source flock premises, or if it is the progeny, sire or dam, or a full or half brother or sister of any animal found to be affected with scrapie, or was moved from premises located in an area quarantined for scrapie.
8. The animals have been vaccinated against contagious pustular dermatitis.
9. The animals originate from farm (s) in full compliance with the National Scrapie Eradication Program (NSEP) and are not designated as a scrapies infected, source flock, or scrapie exposed flock, and there have not been any reported outbreak, diagnosed cases, or symptoms of scrapies since the origin of the flock.

10. In so far as can be determined, the feed and fodder used during the transport did not originate from farms known to be infected with diseases infected with Q fever, anthrax, scrapie, caprine arthritis/encephalitis, contagious pustular dermatitis, Johne's disease, enzootic abortion of sheep, bluetongue, caseous lymphadenitis, and ovine brucellosis.

TEST REQUIREMENTS

The animals must test negative to the following diseases during the 30 days prior to export, using one of the testing methods listed or others recommended by the most current World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) *Terrestrial Animal Health Code*.

1. Johne's Disease: Complement fixation (CF) test at 1:8 dilution OR ELISA OR AGID test
2. Brucellosis: Standard tube test OR Standard plate test at 1:50 dilution

OTHER INFORMATION

1. The movements must be made in cleaned and disinfected vehicles. During the voyage, the animals stop only at approved intermediate ports and only authorized transit quarantine areas.
2. No feed or fodder other than from the country of origin is taken aboard the ship or aircraft.
3. All sheep intended for export shall be identified on the export health certificate.
4. No other animals or ruminants shall be permitted aboard the aircraft from another country during the time when the animals are on board.

EMBARKATION CERTIFICATION

At the port of embarkation, a VS port veterinarian shall attach to the U.S. Origin Health Certificate, the Certificate of Inspection of Export Animals VS Form 17-37) showing:

1. The name and address of the consignor.
2. The name and address of the consignee.
3. The number and species of animals to be shipped.
4. A statement that the animals have been given a careful veterinary inspection at the port of embarkation and found free from evidence of communicable disease and exposure thereto within 24 hours of exportation.

U.S. ORIGIN HEALTH CERTIFICATE FOR EXPORTATION OF SHEEP AND GOATS TO SINGAPORE FROM THE UNITED STATES

Exporting Country UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Country of Destination SINGAPORE

Issuing Authority UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Total Number of animals: _____

I. NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE EXPORTER

Line 1 _____
Line 2 _____
Line 3 _____
Line 4 _____

II. DESTINATION OF THE ANIMALS

1. Means of transport: _____

2. Name and address of the importer:

Line 1 _____
Line 2 _____
Line 3 _____
Line 4 _____

a. ANIMAL IDENTIFICATION:

Animal ID Number or Markings	Species	Age	Sex	Description

**If additional data is necessary, an enclosed list must contain the above data with signature and seal of the official veterinarian and be inseparably attached to the health certificate.*

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Name of Issuing Authorized Veterinarian

Name of Endorsing Federal Veterinarian

Signature of Issuing Authorized Veterinarian

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Date

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