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IMPORT HEALTH REQUIREMENTS OF HONDURAS FOR SHEEP 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 animals originate from premises which are free from clinical evidence of contagious ecthyma and estrus ovis.
2. The animals have been treated for internal and external parasites one week prior to embarkation. (The date treated and the name of the product used must be included on the health certificate.)
3. The animals have not been affected with or exposed to scrapie, or originated from, or have been on, any premises which were infected or are source flock premises. The animals are not the progeny of, or related to any animal found to be affected with scrapie, or was moved from a premises located in an area quarantined for scrapie.

TEST REQUIREMENTS

The animals have been tested within 30 days of embarkation with negative results for the following diseases:

1. Bluetongue - AGID test

OTHER INFORMATION

1. The health certificate shall be issued not more than 15 days prior to shipment.

EMBARKATION STATEMENTS

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.