**Model Article 10.X.13 for**  **Chapters 10.5, 10.6 and 10.10
(and Article 10.4.17 for Chapter 10.4) – Track changes**

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Article 10.X.13.

**Importation of disinfected eggs for aquaculture from a country, zone or compartment not declared free from infection with [pathogenic agent X]**

1) When importing disinfected eggs of the species referred to in Article 10.X.2. for *aquaculture*, from a country, *zone* or *compartment* not declared free from infection with [pathogenic agent X], the *Competent Authority* of the *importing country* should assess ~~in accordance with Chapter 4.4.the~~ *~~risk~~* ~~associated with~~ at least the following:

a) the ~~infection with pathogenic agent X~~ likelihood that ~~status of the~~ water ~~to be~~ used during the *disinfection* of the eggs is contaminated with [pathogenic agent X];

b) the prevalence of infection with [pathogenic agent X] in broodstock (including ~~by~~ results from testing of ovarian fluid and milt)~~; and~~.

~~c)~~ ~~the temperature and pH of the water to be used for~~ *~~disinfection~~*~~.~~

2) If the *Competent Authority* of the *importing country* concludes that the importation is acceptable, it should request that ~~apply~~ ~~the following~~ *risk* mitigation measures are applied, including:

a) *disinfection* of the eggs prior to importing, in accordance with recommendations in Chapter 4.4. ~~or those specified by the~~ *~~Competent Authority~~* ~~of the~~ *~~importing country~~*; and

b) that between *disinfection* and importation, ~~the import~~ eggs should not come into contact with anything which may affect their health status.

The *Competent Authority* should consider internal measures, such as additional ~~renewed~~ *disinfection* of the eggs upon arrival in the *importing country*.

3) When importing disinfected eggs of the species referred to in Article 10.X.2. for *aquaculture*, from a country, *zone* or *compartment* not declared free from infection with [pathogenic agent X], the *Competent Authority* of the *importing country* should require that the consignment be accompanied by an *international aquatic animal health certificate* issued by the *Competent Authority* of the *exporting country* certifying that the procedures described in point 2 a) and b) of this article have been fulfilled.

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**Model Article 10.X.13 for
Chapters 10.5, 10.6 and 10.10
(and Article 10.4.17 for Chapter 10.4) – clean version**

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Article 10.X.13.

**Importation of disinfected eggs for aquaculture from a country, zone or compartment not declared free from infection with [pathogenic agent X]**

1) When importing disinfected eggs of the species referred to in Article 10.X.2. for *aquaculture*, from a country, *zone* or *compartment* not declared free from infection with [pathogenic agent X], the *Competent Authority* of the *importing country* should assess at least the following:

a) the likelihood that water used during the *disinfection* of the eggs is contaminated with [pathogenic agent X];

b) the prevalence of infection with [pathogenic agent X] in broodstock (including results from testing of ovarian fluid and milt).

2) If the *Competent Authority* of the *importing country* concludes that the importation is acceptable, it should request that *risk* mitigation measures are applied, including:

a) *disinfection* of the eggs prior to importing, in accordance with recommendations in Chapter 4.4.; and

b) that between *disinfection* and importation, eggs should not come into contact with anything which may affect their health status.

The *Competent Authority* should consider internal measures, such as additional *disinfection* of the eggs upon arrival in the *importing country*.

3) When importing disinfected eggs of the species referred to in Article 10.X.2. for *aquaculture*, from a country, *zone* or *compartment* not declared free from infection with [pathogenic agent X], the *Competent Authority* of the *importing country* should require that the consignment be accompanied by an *international aquatic animal health certificate* issued by the *Competent Authority* of the *exporting country* certifying that the procedures described in point 2 a) and b) of this article have been fulfilled.

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