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TO: Biologics Licensees, Permittees, and Applicants
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Veterinary Services Leadership Team

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SUBJECT: Availability of New and Revised Biologics Forms

I. PURPOSE

This Notice is to announce the availability of three new Veterinary Biologics Forms:

- APHIS Form 2070: Application for Authorization to Ship Master Seed or Master Cell Samples for Confirmatory Testing by APHIS
- APHIS Form 2071: Application for Authorization to Ship Experimental Veterinary Biological Products
- APHIS Form 2072: Application for Authorization to Ship Biological Product Samples for Confirmatory Testing by APHIS

Revisions of the following forms are also available:

- APHIS Form 2001: Application for a United States Veterinary Biologics Establishment License
- APHIS Form 2003: Application for a United States Veterinary Biologics Product License
- APHIS Form 2018: Request for Reference, Reagent, or Reagent Seed Material

II. BACKGROUND

The new forms were created to streamline the processes for requesting permission to ship various regulated biological samples. Draft versions of these forms were made available for public comment as attachments to Center for Veterinary Biologics

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(CVB) Notices 12-15 and 12-18. Comments were incorporated, and the forms have subsequently been approved for use by the Office of Management and Budget. Updates to existing APHIS Forms 2001, 2003, and 2018 were made to optimize their use under current CVB office workflows.

III. ACTION

Fillable PDF copies of each form, along with instructions for use, are available via the CVB website at http://www.aphis.usda.gov/animal_health/vet_biologics/vb_forms.shtml. Licensees, permittees, and applicants are strongly encouraged to use these forms when requesting authorization to ship applicable samples. Users that have downloaded copies of APHIS Forms 2001, 2003, or 2018 are asked to replace local copies with the new versions.

IV. IMPLEMENTATION/ APPLICABILITY

These forms are available for use immediately.