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# **Export Animal Products to Bulgaria**

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Animal Product Export Requirements

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This country is a member state of the European Union. In addition to any commodity-specific information listed on this page, the European Union has harmonized requirements for certain animal-origin products. Visit Export Animal Products to the European Union to learn more about harmonized protocols.

Exporters must have their importers confirm with the appropriate Ministry of Animal Health that Bulgaria will accept product on the appropriate EU certificate prior to shipment.

# Language Requirement for Certificates

Bulgaria will generally accept certificates that are issued in English, but the Border Inspector Post may require the importer (or the representative of the importer) to attach a translation in Bulgarian to the certificate.

# **Determining Which Certification Requirements** Apply

Exporters should always have their importers confirm BEFORE shipment that the consignment will be allowed entry with only the documentation accompanying the consignment. If there is any doubt about European Union or Country requirements a consignment will fall, or when requirements are not listed, the U.S. exporter should have this country's importer email the pertinent border inspection post (BIP) through which the consignment will enter **the importing country.** The email should include a description of the proposed import, including the animal-origin contents and the intended use of the material **in the importing country.** The BIP will respond to the importer in writing. The U.S. exporter should then obtain that response from the importer and provide it and a translation of it (including the original email question) to their local VS Field Operations Veterinary Export Trade Services.

### **BIP Country Contacts**

### Bulgarian border inspection post email addresses:

- Department BIP Bregovo: <a href="mailto:bip.bregovo@gmail.com">bip.bregovo@gmail.com</a>
- Department BIP K. Andreevo: <u>bip.k.andreevo@gmail.com</u>
- Department BIP Varna: <a href="mailto:bip.varna@gmail.com">bip.varna@gmail.com</a>
- Department BIP Burgas: <a href="mailto:bip.burgas@gmail.com">bip.burgas@gmail.com</a>
- Department BIP Kalotina: <a href="mailto:bip.kalotina@gmail.com">bip.kalotina@gmail.com</a>
- Department BIP Gjueshevo: <a href="mailto:bip.gjueshevo@gmail.com">bip.gjueshevo@gmail.com</a>
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## **Commodity Specific Information**

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## **Need Help Exporting Animal Products?**

If you have any questions or concerns about the procedures and requirements for exporting animal products, or to obtain a zoosanitary certificate for an animal product, contact the APHIS Veterinary Services office covering the area from which the product will be exported, the area in which your office is located, or the area in which the product is manufactured.

#### **Download contacts**

Certificate Endorsement or Export Questions

For animal product export certificate endorsement or questions, select your State or Territory to email the appropriate office and include "Animal products: endorsement or question" plus your State or Territory's name in the subject line. **Note:** Offices may serve multiple States and Territories.

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Facility Inspections or Questions

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