Standard Operating Procedure for Import of Live Poultry(s) in to India.

Pre Arrival Requirements:

- 1. Minimum 07 days before embarkation, the application form (Annexure 15.1) will be submitted through Email by the applicant.
- 2. After examining the uploaded forms, Advance No Objection certificate (NOC-Annexure 15.2) will be issued by the concerned Animal Quarantine and Certification Services within 1 working day.

On Arrival at the Port of Entry

1. The poultry will be taken to the premises approved by DAHD for in house quarantine and will remain under quarantine for 30 days.

During Quarantine Period

- 1. Everyday examination record will be inspected and testing reports (for HPAI) will be updated online. Samples will be drawn under the supervision of concerned quarantine officer. The applicant will bear the charges for testing.
- 2. Final NOC (Annexure 15.3) will be issued in case negative test reports are obtained for the live poultry(s) under quarantine.
- 3. In case of the positive testing reports, deportation/euthanization will be done at the cost of owner. If live poultry(s) dies, destruction will be done at the cost of owner.
 - *As per notification S.O. 1495(E), 10.06.2014, Live animals are allowed to be imported in Chennai, Kolkata, Mumbai and Delhi except for pet animals.
 - *Complete process of clearance is depicted at annexure 15.

Process for Importing Live Poultry(s) into India under DGFT-Ease of Understanding

Table 1.

7 working days before embarkation, applicant will submit the following documents for Advance No Objection Certificate (NOC) from AQCS;-Before filling application, please make sure that you have a valid DGFT License (http://dgftcom.nic.in/eComapplications.html) Application form (Annexure 15.1) **Provisional Decision** If documents are proper If there is deficiency in Applicant will be informed back with point Advance No Objection Certificate (Annexure wise reasons for rejection (automatic 15.2) is issued and Bill of Entry will be response by system). cleared online by AQCS Airline will not lift the pets until advance NOC is obtained by the applicant. Decision on Arrival Live Poultry will be examined and quarantined approved premises (30 days) and necessary testing will be carried out. **Operations in Quarantine** Testing for HPAI. Concerned test reports will be updated online. If the poultry develop sign/symptoms of an FIT cases-Final NOC (Annexure-15.3) will be issued after Quarantine infectious disease confirmed by laboratory period reports, the live poultry will be scientifically destructed at the cost of importer.

Annexure-15.1



Department of Animal Husbandry and Dairying Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying Government of India

Animal Quarantine and Certification Services Livestock Importation Act, 1898 amended in 2001

Application Form for obtaining No Objection Certificate from Animal Quarantine and Certification Services, India for import of Live Poultry

Certification Services, main for import of live 1 outry		
1. Animal Quarantine and Certification Services		
New Delhi		
Mumbai		
Bangalore		
Hyderabad		
Chennai		
Kolkata		
3. Name & address of	3. Date of 4.Li	ist of enclosures attached:
the Applicant:	import	
		• Annexure 16.1.1- Veterinary Health certificate
		• Identification tag
		Flight Ticket/ Airway bill/ seaway bill
Tel.No.:		
Email Id:		
5. Purpose of the import	6. Bill of entry issued by the Customs (if applicable)	
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7. Description of the Poultry(s)		
Breed		Sex
		Age
Identification tag		Country of origin
Colour		
Colour		
3. General Declaration		For official use only
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I (Mr./Mrs/Miss)		1 Asknowledgement No
am an applicant for import of live poultry(s)		
mentioned above and declare that the information		
furnished on this form, to best of my knowledge		2. Unit for cicarance on account or.
and belief are true, correct and complete in every		
respect.		
Date: Sign.		
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		Official Veterinarian' Signature
		Official Votermanan Signature