

Health Certificate No. _____

(Valid Only if the USDA Veterinary Seal
Appears Over the Certificate #)

**STATE OF ISRAEL
MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE
VETERINARY SERVICES AND ANIMAL HEALTH**

**VETERINARY CERTIFICATE FOR THE IMPORTATION OF FROZEN EQUINE SEMEN TO ISRAEL FROM THE
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

I. Identification

Name of donor stallion	Breed	No. of container	Date of collection	No. of portions

II. Origin

Place of birth

Date of entry (approval) into artificial insemination center (A.I.C.).....

Name and address of A.I.C.....

Name and address of exporter

III. Name and address of consignee

Flight No. Airway bill No.

IV. I, the undersigned official (USDA accredited) veterinarian, hereby certify that:

- A. The US is free of Malleus (Glanders), Dourine, African Horse Sickness, Equine Meningoencephalitis (Borna disease) and Venezuelan Equine Encephalomyelitis.
- B. The frozen semen, specified below, was derived from an A.I.C.:
 - 1. which is under permanent veterinary supervision of a USDA accredited veterinarian.
 - 2. where all stallions originated from farms situated in an area of at least 10 kilometers in diameter free of clinical signs and other evidence of Equine Infectious Anemia (E.I.A.); Eastern and Western Equine Encephalomyelitis; Contagious Equine Metritis (C.E.M.); Rabies; Vesicular Stomatitis; Equine Viral Rhinopneumonitis; Equine Viral Arteritis (E.V.A.); or Equine Influenza for the last 6 months;
 - 3. which, at the time of semen collection, no case of any contagious disease, transmissible to equines, was recorded in the A.I.C.
- C. That the semen specified below was derived from stallions:
 - 1. which have passed, within 30 days prior to semen collection, a negative immunodiffusion test for E.I.A. (Coggins test); state date
 - 2. which were tested for C.E.M. by three separate sets of three specimens each (prepuce, fossa glandis and urethral sinus), collected from the stallion on the following days: 1....., 2....., 3. at intervals of not less than 7 days between the collection of each set. All 9 collected specimens were cultured and found negative for C.E.M. in a laboratory approved by USDA.
 - 3. which were serologically tested within 14 days of semen collection for E.V.A., or at least 0.1 cc of each ejaculate intended for export was tested for E.V.A. (virus isolation) with negative results; state date
 - 4. which have not been used for natural breeding from the time sampling began to the date of collection of the said semen.
- D. The said semen was hygienically and safety collected, packed, sealed and clearly identified.

This certificate is valid for 15 days.

Date _____

Name of USDA accredited veterinarian (in block letters)

Place _____

Signature _____

Date _____

Name/title of USDA federal veterinarian (in block letters)

Signature _____