

**Veterinary Health Certificate for Permanent Export of Horses from the United States of America
to the State of Qatar**



Veterinary Authority
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Date Of Issue

Certificate Number

1. Consignor:

2. Consignee:

3. Country Of Origin:
USA

4. State Of Origin:

5. Country Of Destination:
State of Qatar

6. Zone Of Destination:

7. Place Of Origin:

8. Port Of Embarkation:

9. Estimated Date Of Shipment:

10. Means Of Transport:

11. Port of Entry:

12. CITES Permit Number:

13. Description Of Commodity:
Horses

14. Date of Inspection:

15. Total Quantity:
1

16. Additional Information:

17. Total Number Of Packages/Containers:

18. Identification / Seal Numbers:

19. Commodities Intended Use:

20. Type Of Admission:
Permanent

21. Identification Of Commodities:

Name	
Breed	
Age	
Sex	
Color	
Microchip Number OR Attach Silhouette OR Attach Photographs	

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Certification Statements:

I, the undersigned USDA accredited veterinarian, certify that the animal described above meets the following requirements:

1. The United States of America is free of African Horse Sickness (has not occurred in at least 2 years prior to export and the horse has not been vaccinated against the disease), Glanders (has not occurred in at least 6 months prior to export), Dourine (has not occurred in at least 6 months prior to export), and Venezuelan Equine Encephalitis (has not occurred in at least 2 years prior to export).
2. The horse comes from a country where the following diseases are compulsorily notifiable: African Horse Sickness, Dourine, Glanders, Equine Encephalomyelitis (of all types including Venezuelan Equine Encephalomyelitis - VEE), equine infectious anemia, vesicular stomatitis, rabies, and anthrax.
3. The horse came from a holding which was not subjected to quarantine for animal health reasons and the horse did not have any contact with equidae from a holding that was subjected to quarantine for animal health reasons. The horse came from a holding which is free of the following diseases:
 - a. Equine infectious anemia; if the disease occurred on the holding, the infected animals were euthanized and the remaining animals were tested by the agar gel immunodiffusion (Coggins) test on two occasions, 3 months apart, with negative results.
 - b. Equine encephalomyelitis; if the disease occurred on the holding, the quarantine period was 6 months from the date that the infected animals were euthanized.
 - c. Vesicular stomatitis; if the disease occurred on the holding, the quarantine period was 6 months.
 - d. Rabies; if the disease occurred on the holding, the quarantine period was 1 month from the last recorded case.
 - e. Anthrax; if the disease occurred on the holding, the quarantine period was 15 days from the last recorded case or if all the animals on the holding susceptible to the disease were euthanized and the premises was disinfected, the quarantine period was 30 days from the day on which the animals were destroyed and the premises was disinfected.
4. To the best of my knowledge, the horse has not been in contact with equidae suffering from an infectious or contagious disease in the 15 days prior to this declaration.
5. The horse has been isolated from equidae of lesser health status for at least 28 days prior to export.
6. The horse has been resident on a holding under veterinary supervision in the United States for 3 months prior to export.*

OR

The horse was legally imported into the United States and the veterinary health certificates issued by each country that the horse has been in during the 60 days prior to export are attached.*

7. The horse has been examined today and shows no clinical signs of disease (including vector-borne disease), is free from external parasites, and is fit for transportation.
8. The horse does not show any clinical signs of contagious equine metritis (CEM) and the horse come from a holding where there has not been any suspicion of CEM during the past 2 months prior to export and the horse has not had contact indirectly or directly through coitus with equidae infected or suspected of CEM.

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9. Within 30 days of export, the horse was tested for equine infectious anemia, with negative results, by the agar gel immunodiffusion (Coggins) test.

Test Date: _____

10. In the case of an uncastrated male horse:

Within 21 days of export, the horse was tested for equine viral arteritis, with negative results, by a serum neutralization test at 1:4 dilution.*

Test Date: _____

OR

The horse was subjected between 6 and 9 months of age to a test for equine viral arteritis either with a negative result; or with a positive result followed at least 14 days later by a second test showing a stable or decreasing titer; and was immediately vaccinated against equine viral arteritis and regularly revaccinated in accordance with the recommendations of the manufacturer.*

OR

The horse met the following requirements:

- a. was isolated; and
- b. at least 7 days after commencing isolation was subjected to a test for equine viral arteritis on a blood sample with a negative result; and
- c. was then immediately vaccinated; and
- d. was kept separate from other equids for 21 days following vaccination; and
- e. was regularly revaccinated in accordance with the recommendations of the manufacturer.*

OR

Within 6 months of export, semen was collected from the horse and tested for equine viral arteritis, with negative results, by either a virus isolation test or polymerase chain reaction (PCR) test.*

Test Date: _____

11. During the 6 months prior to export, vesicular stomatitis has not occurred in the State of origin.*

OR

Within 21 days of export, the horse was tested for vesicular stomatitis, with negative results, by either virus neutralization (sera with values of 1/32 or greater are considered to be positive), or competitive enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay (C-ELISA), or complement fixation test.*

Test Date: _____

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12. During the 60 days, but not less than 14 days, immediately prior to export, the horse received either a primary course of vaccination against Equine Influenza or a booster dose to a previously certified course of primary vaccination, in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations.

Primary Date of Vaccine: _____

Booster Date of Vaccine: _____

**Delete as appropriate.*

Name of Accredited Veterinarian

Name of USDA Veterinarian

Signature of Accredited Veterinarian

Signature of USDA Veterinarian

Date

Date

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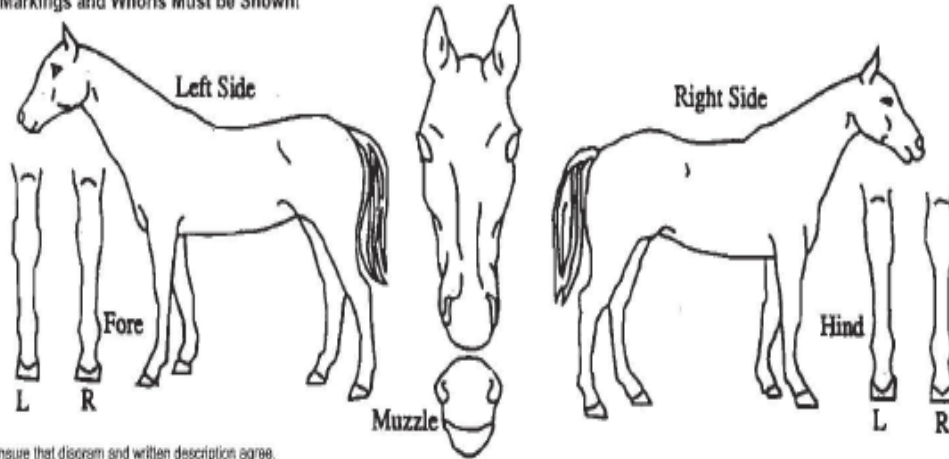
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Silhouette For Identification of Horses Without a Microchip Exported From the United States of America

White Markings and Whorls Must be Shown!



Please ensure that diagram and written description agree.

Name	Breed	Age	Color	Sex

Written Description:

HEAD	LIMBS	
	LF	RF
BODY		
ACQUIRED MARKS (scars, tattoos, etc.)	LH	RH

Instructions: Mark the diagram with the exact position of any distinguishing marks, scars or brands. Brands to be drawn in position. Scars to be marked and indicated with an arrow (->). Stars or blazes on the face and any other markings to be drawn in on the diagrams showing position and shape as accurately as possible. Whorls should be marked with a cross (X). If no markings - this fact should be stated.