

INTERNATIONAL HEALTH CERTIFICATE FOR HATCHING EGGS AND DAY- OLD CHICKS OF POULTRY BEING EXPORTED TO  
THE TURKS AND CAICOS ISLANDS FROM THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

PART I: Details of Dispatched Consignment						
I.1. Consignor Name:  Address:  Zip Code: Telephone: Fax:  Email:		I.2. Certificate Reference Number  I.3. Veterinary Authority  I.5. Country of Export <b>UNITED STATES OF AMERICA</b>				
		I.6. ISO Code of Export Country <b>US</b>				
		I.7. Country of Destination <b>TURKS AND CAICOS ISLANDS</b>		I.8. ISO Code <b>TC</b>		
I.4. Consignee Name:  Address:  Zip Code: Telephone: Fax: Email:		I.9. Import Admission Type <b>SINGLE (DEFINITIVE) ENTRY</b>  I.10. Commodity Code (HS Code). Tick (✓) the appropriate box below  <input type="checkbox"/> <b>010511 Chickens breeding stock, whether or not purebred: layer-type (egg-type) , boiler-type (meat-type)</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>010519 Turkey, ducks, geese and guineas</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>010599 Other</b>				
II.11. Commodity Intended for use as:  Breeding/rearing <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>				II.12. Total Number of Packages		
I.14. Description of Commodities						
Product Type <input type="checkbox"/> Chicken Eggs <input type="checkbox"/> Turkey Eggs <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Day-old Chicks <input type="checkbox"/> Poults				Other Descriptions		
I.15. Identification of the Commodities						
Total Quantity	Species ( Scientific Name)	Breed/Type/Brand/ Trade Name	Sex (when it can be determined)	Age	Name of Establishment of Origin	Establishment Registration/ Licence No.
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2.						
3.						
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5.						
II.16 Container Seal Number (s)						
1.	2.	3.	4.	5.		
PART II: Sanitary Requirements						
I, the undersigned <b>ACCREDITED VETERINARIAN</b> ,certify that the hatching eggs and day-old chicks of the poultry described in I.14 and I.15 above, have met the following import conditions:  II.a. That the State of origin is free of Notifiable Avian Influenza and Newcastle Disease in accordance with the OIE Terrestrial Code  II.b. That the flocks of origin of the hatching eggs and day-old chicks of the poultry: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. were not vaccinated against any H5 or H7 subtype of Notifiable Avian Influenza;</li> <li>2. were vaccinated against Newcastle Disease. Vaccines used must not contain any velogenic strains of NDV (the nature of the vaccine used and the date of vaccination have been attached to this certificate) ; and</li> <li>3. are enrolled in the USDA NPIP (National Poultry Improvement Plan) and are certified free ('clean') of:                             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Notifiable Avian Influenza;</li> <li>ii. <i>Salmonella pullorum</i> (Pullorum Disease);</li> <li>iii. <i>Salmonella gallinarum</i> (Fowl Typhoid);</li> <li>iv. <i>Mycoplasma synoviae</i>;</li> <li>v. <i>Mycoplasmosis (M. gallisepticum)</i> and</li> <li>vi. <i>Salmonella enteritidis</i>.</li> </ol> </li> </ol>						

- II.c. The day-old chicks of poultry were not vaccinated against Newcastle Disease vaccine;
- II.d. The flocks of origin of the day-old chicks of poultry were vaccinated against infectious bursal disease and avian infectious bronchitis ( the nature of the vaccine used and the date of vaccination have been attached to this certificate);
- II.e. That the day-old chicks of the poultry were vaccinated against Marek’s Disease in the establishment of origin with HVT and SB-1 or HVT and CVI988 Rispens strains;
- II.f. That the hatching eggs and day-old chicks of the poultry originated, to the best of my knowledge and belief, from establishments or hatcheries where there has been no clinical outbreaks of:

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. <i>Salmonella enteritidis,</i></li> <li>ii. <i>Newcastle Disease,</i></li> <li>iii. <i>Notifiable Avian Influenza,</i></li> <li>iv. <i>Mycoplasmosis (M. gallisepticum),</i></li> <li>v. <i>Salmonella pullorum (Pullorum Disease),</i></li> <li>vi. <i>Salmonella gallinarum (Fowl Typhoid),</i></li> <li>vii. <i>Salmonella enteritidis</i></li> <li>viii. <i>Marek’s Disease</i></li> <li>ix. <i>Leucocytozoonosis</i></li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>x. <i>Avian Infectious bronchitis</i></li> <li>xi. <i>Gumboro</i></li> <li>xii. <i>West Nile virus infection</i></li> <li>xiii. <i>Avian leucosis</i></li> <li>xiv. <i>Infectious laryngotracheitis</i></li> <li>xv. <i>Mycoplasma synoviae</i></li> <li>xvi. <i>Duck Viral Hepatitis (day-old ducklings)</i></li> <li>xvii. <i>Duck Enteritis (day-old ducklings)</i></li> <li>xviii. <i>Avian pox</i></li> <li>xix. <i>Egg Drop Syndrome</i></li> </ul> |
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for not less than 90 days prior to shipment;

- II.g. That the hatching eggs and day-old chicks of the poultry being shipped to the Turks and Caicos Islands were held separately from hatching eggs and day-old chicks of poultry not meeting the sanitary requirements outlined in this health certificate;
- II.h. That the breeding flock(s) and their parent flock(s) is registered/are registered and/or officially recognized as being in good standing by the USDA Veterinary Services;
- II.i. That the hatching eggs were cleaned and sanitized as soon as possible after collection using an approved sanitising agent, in accordance with the manufacturer’s instructions and before leaving the premises of origin the hatching eggs and day-old chicks of the poultry were packed in previously unused containers (new) containers which were sealed with the stamp of the National Poultry Improvement Plan (NPIP) logo; and
- II.j. That to the best of my knowledge and belief the hatching eggs and day-old chicks of the poultry are free from any evidence of communicable diseases of poultry on the date signed below which is **not more than 10 days prior to the date of shipment.**

NAME ( All Capitals letters)

QUALIFICATION:

PLACE STAMP/SEAL HERE

PLACE SIGNATURE HERE  
(different colour than of printing on this certificate)

Date Signed(dd/mm/yyyy)\_\_\_\_\_

I, the undersigned **USDA/AHPIS VETERINARIAN** certifies that:

- The person intending to export these animals to the Turks and Caicos Islands presented me with a legitimate import permit issued by the Animal Health Services Division of the Department of Agriculture, Turks and Caicos Islands, permitting the lawful importation of the animal (s) named herein;
- That the State or compartment of origin of the hatching eggs/poultry is free from Notifiable Avian Influenza and Newcastle Disease for the past 3 months in accordance with the recommendations in OIE Terrestrial Code; and
- That the hatching eggs and day-old chicks of the poultry were originated in the USA.

NAME ( All Capitals letters)

QUALIFICATION:

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(different colour than of printing on this certificate)

Date Signed(dd/mm/yyyy)\_\_\_\_\_

**THIS CERTIFICATE IS NOT VALID UNLESS SIGNED BY THE USDA/APHIS. FOR ONE USE ONLY.**

**Notes for Veterinarians and Importers**

**A. Definition**

Poultry: in this international health certificate, means commercial egg producing species of domestic fowls (chickens). Ducks, geese, guinea fowl, quails, pheasants and turkeys are included.

Approved: Approved means officially approved, accredited or registered by the USDA/APHIS

**B. In Transit**

The hatching eggs/day-old chicks of poultry must not transit through any country or region that the Animal Health Services Division considers to be affected by Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza (HPAI) or Newcastle Disease Virus (NDV);

**C. Documentation**

i. If additional sheets of paper or supporting documents are attached to this international health certificate, those sheets of paper or document shall also be considered as forming part of the original of the international health certificate by the application of the signature and stamp of the official veterinarian, on each of the pages;

ii. This certificate should be completed, signed and stamped in any colour other than black;

iii. When the certificate, including additional sheets referred to in (i), comprises more than one page, each page shall be numbered, (page number) of (total number of pages), at the end of the page and shall bear the certificate reference number that has been designated by the competent authority at the top of the pages;

iv. The shipment must be accompanied at the point of entry by all relevant documents (original import permit, and international health certificate and copies of vaccination certificates, Laboratory Test results, etc.) in order to facilitate biosecurity clearance.

D. The day-old chicks of poultry must be kept in confinement (carrier) until granted entry into the territory. Failure to do so can result in entry being denied; and

E. The day-old chicks must be **found clinically healthy** on arrival at the port of entry.