



**Veterinary Health Certificate for Export of Amphibians, Aquatic Mammals, Live Fish, Shellfish, and Crustaceans  
from the United States of America to the United Arab Emirates**



**Veterinary Authority**

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

**Date Of Issue**

**Certificate Number**

**Certification Statements:**

I, the undersigned USDA Accredited Veterinarian, certify that the live animals described above meet the following conditions:

In the case of amphibians:

1. The animals were examined within 7 days prior to export and showed no clinical signs of bacterial or fungal diseases.
2. The animals have been tested with negative results for salmonella at least 15 days and not more than 60 days prior to export.
3. The container in which the animals are transported is new or has been cleaned and disinfected. The transport water that is used is sourced from the premises of origin of the animals, or has been treated in a manner that will prevent the introduction of the diseases of concern listed on this certificate.
4. In the case of frogs or salamanders, the animals originate from an establishment with no reported cases of ranavirus within 60 days prior to export.

In the case of aquatic mammals:

1. The animals were examined by a USDA Accredited Veterinarian within 7 days prior to export and showed no clinical signs of contagious or infectious diseases, including skin diseases, internal and external parasites, and brucellosis.

In the case of live fish including ornamental fish:

1. The fish were examined within 7 days prior to export and showed no clinical signs of bacterial or fungal diseases.
2. The fish originate from an establishment with no reported cases of epizootic hematopoietic necrosis (EHN), epizootic ulcerative syndrome (EUS), infection with Gyrodactylus salaris, infection with infectious salmon anemia virus (ISA), infection with salmonid alphavirus (SAV), infectious hematopoietic necrosis (IHN), koi herpesvirus disease (KHV), red sea bream iridoviral disease (RSIV), spring viremia of carp (SVC), and viral hemorrhagic septicemia (VHS) within 60 days prior to export.
3. The container in which the fish are transported is new or has been cleaned and disinfected. The transport water that is used is sourced from the premises of origin of the fish, or has been treated in a manner that will prevent the introduction of the diseases of concern listed on this certificate.

In the case of crustaceans:

1. The crustaceans were examined within 7 days prior to export and showed no clinical signs of bacterial or fungal diseases.
2. The crustaceans originate from an establishment with no reported cases of white spot disease (WSSV), crayfish plague (Aphanomyces astaci), infection with yellow head virus genotype 1 (YHV1), infectious hypodermal and hematopoietic necrosis (IHHN), infectious myonecrosis (IMNV), necrotizing hepatopancreatitis (Hepatobacter penaei), Taura syndrome (TSV), white tail disease (Macrobrachium rosenbergii nodavirus), and acute hepatopancreatic necrosis (AHPND) within 60 days prior to export.
3. The container in which the crustaceans are transported is new or has been cleaned and disinfected. The transport water that is used is sourced from the premises of origin of the crustaceans, or has been treated in a manner that will prevent the introduction of the diseases of concern listed on this certificate.

In the case of shellfish:

1. The shellfish were examined within 7 days prior to export and showed no clinical signs of bacterial or fungal diseases.

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2. The shellfish originate from an establishment with no reported cases of infection with abalone herpesvirus, infection with *Bonamia exitiosa*, infection with *Bonamia ostreae*, infection with *Marteilia refringens*, infection with *Perkinsus marinus*, infection with *Perkinsus olseni*, and infection with *Xenohalictis californiensis* within 60 days prior to export.
  
3. The container in which the shellfish are transported is new or has been cleaned and disinfected. The transport water that is used is sourced from the premises of origin of the shellfish, or has been treated in a manner that will prevent the introduction of the diseases of concern listed on this certificate.

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**Name of Accredited Veterinarian**

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