Animal-Origin Livestock Feeds (and animal-origin livestock feed ingredients) Exported from U.S.A. to Belarus

- I. Materials Covered: Belarus has agreed to accept the "VETERINARY CERTIFICATE for import of fodder and fodder supplements of animal origin" required by the Russian Federation for exports of animal-origin materials intended for feeding to livestock.
- II. Caution: Like the Russian Federation. Belarus may have additional requirements outside the scope of Veterinary Services (VS) authority, e.g. related to residues and registration. Consignments should not ship until after the exporter has confirmed the VS Office has actually endorsed the certificate, that their importer in Belarus has confirmed the consignment will be allowed entry with that certificate, and that their importer has confirmed the product meets any other relevant Belarusi requirements.
- III. Inspection and Required Laboratory Reports:

In addition to the pertinent annual inspection by Veterinary Services to verify the content of the "VETERINARY CERTIFICATE for import of fodder and fodder supplements of animal origin", the exporter must present to VS with the certificate, for each lot of material listed on the certificate, laboratory results corresponding with the following criteria. The date on the latest total plate count laboratory report must correspond with the date noted in the applicable section of the certificate (top of page 3). These reports do not become part of the certificate and are not endorsed by APHIS.

Test	Result
Salmonella spp.	None detected
Enterobacteriaceae spp.	None detected or <10 cfu/gram
Total plate count	<= 500,000 cfu/gram
Botulin toxin	None detected

In addition, one of the following reports per lot is also required:

Test	Result
Clostridium spp.	None detected
Clostridium botulinum and Clostridium perfringens	Negative
Anaerobic plate culture	Negative (no growth)

IV. <u>Important alert regarding requirement for second signature and seal:</u>

The following paragraph on page two of the certificate must be signed and sealed (colorless crimping) by the APHIS Veterinary Medical Officer endorsing the certificate. Exporters should verify upon receipt of the endorsed certificate, prior to endorsement, that this paragraph was signed and sealed by the APHIS signatory.

При производстве данных кормов не использовались белки, полученные от жвачных животных, (кроме молочного белка). Feed produced with protein of ruminant origin (other than dairy) was not used in production.