

## **Blood and Blood Products from Equidae for Technical Purposes (Not for Human or Animal Consumption)**

### **Requirement for Labeling of Individual Products with Establishment of Collection (If a version of the Chapter 4A other than the Regulation 142/2013 version is utilized).**

The Chapter 4(A) Health Certificate that was required prior to the publication of Regulation 294/2013 required certification that equidae blood products be labeled with the “registration number” of the establishment of collection of the source blood. This collection establishment often will not be the same as the facility approved by APHIS to export the finished product to the EU, and may not even be in the United States.

Special instructions regarding preparation of Section I.28 of the Chapter 4(A) Health Certificate (if using the version of the Chapter 4A that was required prior to Regulation 294/2013):

In cases where the processing facility approved by APHIS to export the finished product to the EU is different than the facility (or facilities) where the source blood was initially collected, the following information should be noted for the “Approval number of establishments Manufacturing Plant”:

Processing facility: [insert APHIS reference number for the facility approved by APHIS to export the finished product to the EU]

Collection facility: [insert collection facility reference number]

\*Collection facility reference number: This is the number that must appear on the product label. If a shipment contains products derived from blood collected at multiple locations, multiple numbers must appear here. For derivatives of blood collected in countries other than the United States, this number would not be issued by APHIS.