

Determining Which Certification Requirements Apply

Exporters should always have their importers confirm prior to shipment that the consignment will be allowed entry with only the documentation that will accompany the consignment. If there is any doubt which requirements noted under the [European Union](#) or Lithuania a consignment will fall, the U.S. exporter should have the Lithuanian importer email the Lithuanian government at vvt@vet.lt with a description of the proposed import including the animal-origin contents, and the intended use of the material in Lithuania. The Lithuanian government will respond to the importer in writing. The U.S. exporter should then obtain that response from the importer, and provide it and a translation of it (including the original email question) to their local [VS Field Office](#).