

Pet Food Ingredients (animal-origin materials intended for the production of pet food)

Prior to endorsement of the “Veterinary certificate for livestock raw materials, that are not derived from ruminants, and meant for pet food manufacturing, exported to the Russian Federation,” the exporter will need to provide a copy of a valid import permit (and translation) from the importer in the Russian Federation indicating that this certificate is the appropriate one. In some cases for heat treated ingredients, the import permit may instead require the “Veterinary Certificate for import of fodder and fodder supplements of animal origin.” [To access information on the “Veterinary Certificate for import of fodder and fodder supplements of animal origin”, please go back to the previous section and select “Livestock feed and feed ingredients of animal-origin.”

. In addition, the exporting facility will need to have been inspected by APHIS for compliance with the certificate requirements within the previous 365 days.