Lanolin (Wool Grease)

Belgium requires facilities to be registered by APHIS for the export of lanolin (wool grease) [unless the importer has permission from Belgian authorities to import the Lanolin as an "intermediate product" accompanied by the Regulation (EU) 142/2011 as amended Chapter 20 importer declaration].

For information regarding how to become registered, facilities should contact the <u>VS Field</u> <u>Operations Veterinary Export Trade Services (aka VS Service Center)</u> office covering the area from where the product will be exported or is produced.

In addition to registration, each consignment must be accompanied by a VS Form 16-4 with the following text included in the Additional Declarations* section:

THE FOLLOWING FACILITY IS REGISTERED BY APHIS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF LANOLIN FOR EXPORT TO BELGIUM:

FACILITY NAME:

FACILITY STREET ADDRESS:

FACILITY CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE:

FACILITY APHIS REFERENCE NUMBER:

THIS OFFICE HAS ON FILE A NOTARIZED AFFIDAVIT FROM

[NAME OF

CONSIGNOR / EXPORTER] VERIFYING THE ACCURACY OF THE STATEMENTS BELOW.

THE PRODUCT DESCRIBED BELOW WAS PRODUCED AT THE FACILITY REFERENCED ABOVE.

In addition, both the container number and the batch number must be included in the IDENTIFICATION section of the VS Form 16-4.

*Note- The following statement (from obsolete versions of the VS Form 16-4) may **not** be included in the ADDITIONAL DECLARATIONS section (or any part) of the VS Form 16-4:

"This is to certify that rinderpest, foot-and-mouth disease, classical swine fever, swine vesicular disease, African swine fever, and contagious bovine pleuropneumonia do not exist in the United States of America."