

Hunting Trophies

Hunting trophies exported to Brazil must be accompanied by an animal health certificate in English and Portuguese issued by the Official Veterinary Service of the exporting country.

The VS Form 16-4 should be used. Complete the form by following the [general instructions](#) for the VS Form 16-4. In addition to the basic information required, Brazil also requires the following:

- a. Product: type of packaging
- b. Identification: reference number of the CITES certificate (when applicable)

The following certification statements should be included in the Additional Declarations section of the VS Form 16-4, in addition to the statement preprinted on the form “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.”

A notarized affidavit from the taxidermist is required to support these statements on the export certificate issued by APHIS Veterinary Services.

Certification Statements:

This office has on file a notarized affidavit from [name of company] verifying the accuracy of the statements below: / *Este escritório mantém arquivada uma declaração da [nome] registrada em cartório, que assegura a precisão das declarações abaixo:*

1. The hunting trophies are derived from animals that have been killed in such a country or zone, or which have been imported from a country or zone freed of Foot and Mouth Disease (FMD) (where vaccination either is or is not practiced) recognized by the World Organization for Animal Health (WOAH). / *Troféus de caça são derivados de animais que foram mortos em um país ou zona, ou que tenham sido importados de um país ou zona livre de febre aftosa com ou sem vacinação reconhecido pela WOAH.*
2. Were immediately packed after the treatment, without being in any contact with other animal products susceptible of contaminating them, in individual packages, transparent and sealed, to prevent any further contamination. / *Foram embalados, imediatamente após o tratamento, sem que tenham estado em contato com outros produtos de origem animal susceptíveis de contaminá-los, em embalagens individuais, transparentes e fechadas, a fim de evitar qualquer contaminação posterior.*