

CHAPTER 7

**MODEL ANIMAL HEALTH/OFFICIAL CERTIFICATE FOR THE ENTRY INTO THE UNION OF
PORCINE ANIMALS AND ANIMALS OF THE FAMILY *TAYASSUIDAE* (MODEL "SUI-X")**

COUNTRY United States		Animal Health/Official Certificate to the EU	
Part I: Description of Consignment	I.1 Consignor/Exporter Name Address Country ISO country code	I.2 Certificate Reference	I.2a IMSOC Reference
		I.3 Central Competent Authority	QR CODE
		I.4 Local Competent Authority	
	I.5 Consignee/Importer Name Address Country ISO country code	I.6 Operator Responsible for the Consignment Name Address Country ISO country code	
	I.7 Country of Origin ISO country code	I.9 Country of Destination ISO country code	
	I.8 Region of Origin Code	I.10 Region of Destination Code	
	I.11 Place of Dispatch Name Registration/Approval Number Address Country ISO country code	I.12 Place of Destination Name Registration/Approval Number Address Country ISO country code	
I.13 Place of Loading	I.14 Date and Time of Departure		
I.15 Means of Transport <input type="checkbox"/> Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Vessel <input type="checkbox"/> Railway <input type="checkbox"/> Road vehicle Identification		I.16 Entry Border Control Post	
		I.17 Accompanying Documents Type Code Country ISO country code Commercial document reference	
I.18 Transport Conditions <input type="checkbox"/> Ambient <input type="checkbox"/> Chilled <input type="checkbox"/> Frozen			

I.19		Container Number/Seal Number					
		Container Number		Seal Number			
I.20		Certified As or For					
		<input type="checkbox"/> Further keeping		<input type="checkbox"/> Quarantine establishment		<input type="checkbox"/> Exhibition	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Travelling circus/animal acts					
I.21		<input type="checkbox"/> For Transit		I.22 <input type="checkbox"/> For Internal Market			
		Third country		ISO country code		I.23	
I.24				I.25 Total Quantity		I.26	
I.27 Description of Consignment							
CN code	Species	Subspecies/Category	Sex	Identification system	Identification number	Age	Quantity

	II. Health Information	II.a Certificate Reference	II.b IMSOC Reference
Part II: Certification	<p>II.1. Public Health Attestation [Delete when the Union is not the final destination of the animals]</p> <p>I, the undersigned official veterinarian, hereby certify, that the animals described in Part I:</p> <p>II.1.1. have not received:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – any stilbene or thyrostatic substances, – oestrogenic, androgenic, gestagenic or beta-agonist substances for purposes other than therapeutic or zootechnical treatment (as defined in Council Directive 96/22/EC). <p>II.1.2. fulfil the guarantees provided by the control plans submitted in accordance with Article 6(2) of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2022/2292, and the concerned animals are listed in Annex –I to Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/405 for the concerned third country or territory of origin.</p> <p>(1)(2)(10) [II.1.3. are domestic porcine animals either coming from a holding officially recognised as applying controlled housing conditions in accordance with Article 8 of Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2015/1375 or are not weaned and less than 5 weeks of age.]</p>		
	<p>II.2. Animal health attestation</p> <p>I, the undersigned official veterinarian, hereby certify, that the animals described in Part I:</p> <p>II.2.1. come from the zone with code: ____ - ____⁽²⁾ which, at the date of issue of this animal health/official certificate is authorised for the entry into the Union of animals of the families <i>Suidae</i> and <i>Tayassuidae</i> and listed in Part 1 of Annex II to Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404.</p> <p>II.2.2. have remained continuously:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) in the zone referred to in point II.2.1 since birth or for at least 6 months immediately prior to the date of their dispatch to the Union, and (ii) in the establishment of origin since birth or for at least 40 days prior to the date of their dispatch to the Union, into which during this period no animals of the families <i>Suidae</i> and <i>Tayassuidae</i> and no animals of other species listed for the same diseases as animals of the families <i>Suidae</i> and <i>Tayassuidae</i> have been introduced. <p>II.2.3. had no contact with animals of a lower health status since birth or at least for the last 30 days prior to the date of their dispatch to the Union.</p> <p>II.2.4. are not to be killed under a national programme for the eradication of diseases, including the listed diseases referred to in Annex I to Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692 relevant for the species and emerging diseases.</p> <p>(1) either [II.2.5. have been dispatched to the Union directly from the establishment of origin without passing through any other establishment].</p> <p>(1)(3) or [II.2.5. have undergone one single assembly operation in the zone of origin fulfilling the following requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) the assembly operation took place in an establishment: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) approved for conducting assembly operations of ungulates by the competent authority in the third country or territory in accordance with Article 5 of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/2035; (ii) which has an unique approval number assigned by the competent authority of the third country or territory; (iii) listed for that purpose by the competent authority of the third country or territory of dispatch, including the information set out in Article 21 of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/2035; (iv) fulfilling the requirements provided for in Article 8 of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692. (b) the assembly operation in the assembly centre took no longer than 6 days.] <p>II.2.6. have not been unloaded in any place that does not comply with the requirements laid down in point II.2.11 since the date of their dispatch from their establishment of origin until the date of their dispatch to the Union and during that period they have not been in contact with animals of a lower health status.</p> <p>II.2.7. are loaded for dispatch to the Union on ____/____/____ (dd/mm/yyyy)⁽⁴⁾ in a means of transport which was cleaned and disinfected prior to loading with a disinfectant authorised by the competent authority in the third country or territory and constructed in such a way that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) animals cannot escape or fall out; (ii) visual inspection of the space where animals are kept is possible; (iii) the escape of animal excrements, litter or feed is prevented or minimized. <p>II.2.8. have been subjected to a clinical inspection within the last 24 hours prior to the time of loading for dispatch to the Union, carried out by an official veterinarian in the third country or territory of origin, who did not detect signs indicative of the occurrence of diseases, including the listed diseases referred to in Annex I to Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692 relevant for the species and emerging diseases.</p> <p>II.2.9. have not been vaccinated against foot and mouth disease and classical swine fever.</p> <p>II.2.10. come from a zone in which:</p>		

	<p>II.2.10.1. foot and mouth disease has not been reported: ⁽¹⁾ <i>either</i> [for at least 24 months prior to the date of their dispatch to the Union,] ⁽¹⁾⁽⁵⁾ <i>or</i> [since (dd/mm/yyyy),] and in which vaccination against foot and mouth disease has not been carried out for at least 12 months prior to the date of dispatch of the animals to the Union and no animals vaccinated against the disease have been introduced during that period.</p> <p>II.2.10.2. infection with rinderpest virus has not been reported for at least 12 months prior to the date of dispatch of the animals to the Union and in which vaccination against this disease has not been carried out for at least 12 months prior to the date of dispatch of the animals to the Union and no animals vaccinated against the disease have been introduced during that period.</p> <p>II.2.10.3. classical swine fever has not been reported: ⁽¹⁾ <i>either</i> [for at least 24 months prior to the date of dispatch of the animals to the Union,] ⁽¹⁾⁽⁶⁾ <i>or</i> [since (dd/mm/yyyy) and the animals of the consignment have been subjected to a test for the detection of classical swine fever, with a negative result, carried out within the last 30 days prior to the date of dispatch of the animals to the Union,] and in which vaccination against classical swine fever has not been carried out for at least 12 months prior to the date of dispatch of the animals to the Union and no animals vaccinated against the disease have been introduced during that period.</p> <p>⁽¹⁾⁽⁷⁾ [II.2.10.4. African swine fever has not been reported for the last 12 months prior to the date of dispatch of the animals to the Union.]</p> <p>II.2.11. come from an establishment:</p> <p>II.2.11.1. which is registered by and under the control of the competent authority of the third country or territory of origin and has a system in place to maintain for at least 3 years following the date of dispatch of the animals to the Union the up-to-date records containing information regarding: (i) the species, categories, number and identification of animals on the establishment; (ii) movements of animals into and out of the establishment; (iii) mortality in the establishment.</p> <p>II.2.11.2. which receives regular animal health visits from a veterinarian for the purpose of the detection of, and information on, signs indicative of the occurrence of diseases, including the listed diseases referred to in Annex I to Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692 relevant for the species and emerging diseases, at a frequency that is proportional to the risk posed by the establishment.</p> <p>II.2.11.3. which was not subject to national restriction measures for animal health reasons, including the listed diseases referred to in Annex I to Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692 relevant for the species and emerging diseases, at the date of dispatch of the animals to the Union.</p> <p>II.2.11.4. in and around which, in an area of 10 km radius, including where appropriate the territory of a neighbouring country, none of the following listed diseases has been reported for at least 30 days prior to the date of dispatch of the animals to the Union: foot and mouth disease, infection with rinderpest virus, classical swine fever and African swine fever.</p> <p>II.2.11.5. [in which infection with <i>Brucella abortus</i>, <i>B. melitensis</i> and <i>B. suis</i> has not been reported during the last 42 days prior to the date of dispatch of the animals to the Union and in which during the last 12 months prior to the date of their dispatch to the Union: ⁽¹⁾ <i>either</i> [biosecurity and risk mitigating measures, including housing conditions and feeding systems, have been applied as necessary to prevent transmission of infection with <i>Brucella abortus</i>, <i>B. melitensis</i> and <i>B. suis</i> from wild animals of listed species to porcine animals kept on the establishment and only porcine animals from establishments applying equivalent biosecurity measures have been introduced.]] ⁽¹⁾ <i>or</i> [surveillance for infection with <i>Brucella abortus</i>, <i>B. melitensis</i> and <i>B. suis</i> has been carried out on the porcine animals kept on the establishment in accordance with Annex III to Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/688, and during that period: - only porcine animals from establishments applying such surveillance or the biosecurity measures have been introduced, and - in the case where infection with <i>Brucella abortus</i>, <i>B. melitensis</i> and <i>B. suis</i> has been reported in porcine animals kept therein, measures were taken in accordance with Part 1, point 3, of Annex II to Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/688.]]</p> <p>II.2.11.6. in which infection with Aujeszky's disease virus has not been reported for at least 30 days prior to the date of dispatch of the animals to the Union.</p> <p>II.2.11.7. in which anthrax has not been reported for at least 15 days prior to the date of dispatch of the animals to the Union.</p> <p>⁽¹⁾⁽⁷⁾ [II.2.11.8. in which rabies has not been reported for at least 30 days prior to the date of dispatch of the animals to the Union.]</p>
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- (1)(8) [II.2.12. (1)(9) *either* [originate from a third country or territory, or zone thereof free from infection with Aujeszky's disease virus.]]
- (1)(7) *or* [(a) have not been vaccinated against infection with Aujeszky's disease virus,
(b) were kept in an approved quarantine establishment for at least 30 days,
(c) were subjected to a serological test for the detection of antibodies against whole Aujeszky's disease virus with the diagnostic method provided for in Part 7 of Annex I to Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/688, with a negative result, carried out on samples taken on two occasions at an interval of not less than 30 days, the last sample taken during the period of 15 days prior to the date of dispatch to the Union.]]

Notes:

This animal health/official certificate is intended for the entry into the Union of porcine animals and animals of the family *Tayassuidae*, including when the Union is not the final destination of those animals.

In accordance with the Agreement on the withdrawal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland from the European Union and the European Atomic Energy Community, and in particular Article 5(4) of the Protocol on Ireland/Northern Ireland in conjunction with Annex 2 to that Protocol, references to the Union in this animal health/official certificate include the United Kingdom in respect of Northern Ireland.

This animal health/official certificate shall be completed in accordance with the notes for the completion of certificates provided for in Chapter 4 of Annex I to Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2020/2235.

Part I:

Box reference I.27: "Identification system and identification number": Specify the identification system (such as ear tag, tattoo, transponder etc., from the list in Annex III to Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/2035) and the individual identification codes of the animals in accordance with Article 21(1) of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692; or, for the zones with an entry "ID" in column 6 of the table in Part 1 of Annex II to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404, in accordance with Article 21(5) of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692.

Part II:

- (1) Delete if not applicable.
- (2) Code of the zone as it appears in column 2 of the table in Part 1 of Annex II to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404.
- (3) Only possible for porcine animals.
- (4) Date of loading: it cannot be a date prior to the date of authorisation of the zone for the entry into the Union, or a date in a period when restriction measures have been adopted by the Union against entries of those animals from that zone.
- (5) Only for the zones with an opening date in column 9 of the table in Part 1 of Annex II to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404.
- (6) For the zones with an entry "CSF" in column 6 of the table in Part 1 of Annex II to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404
- (7) Only applicable to ungulates of the family Suidae.
- (8) Only applicable when the Member State of destination or Switzerland, in accordance with the Agreement between the European Community and the Swiss Confederation on trade in agricultural products (OJ L 114, 30.4.2002, p.132), either have disease-free status or an approved eradication programme for the disease mentioned in point II.2.12 (infection with Aujeszky's disease virus).
- (9) For the zones with an entry "ADV" in column 7 of the table in Part 1 of Annex II to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 recognised free from infection with Aujeszky's disease virus and fulfilling the requirements laid down in Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/689.
- (10) Only for third countries or territories listed in Article 13(2) of Implementing Regulation (EU) 2015/1375.

Official Veterinarian

Name (in capital letters)

Qualification and Title

Date

Signature

Stamp