

**Veterinary Health Certificate for the Export of *Zoological (Zoo) Birds*
to the United States of America from Canada**

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CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that the animals described herein conform to the current veterinary import requirements of the United States. Health certificates are valid for 30 days from the date of issue by the examining veterinarian of the exporting country.

1. Consignor/Shipper/Owner:	2. Consignee/Broker/Owner:
3. Country of Origin: Canada	4. Date of Shipment:
5. Country of Destination: United States of America	6. State of Destination:
7. Home Quarantine Address:	8. Port of Embarkation / Border Crossing:
9. Date of Veterinary Inspection:	10. Means of Transport:
11. Description of Commodity:	
12. Total Quantity:	13. Total Number of Shipping Containers:

BIRD IDENTIFICATION

Row	Species/Breed	Identification	Quantity

Space can be used for listing additional birds.

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HEALTH INFORMATION

The official veterinarian certifies for export that all zoo birds covered under this health certificate were inspected by the examining veterinarian issuing the health certificate and:

1. The zoo birds are each permanently identified by leg band, tattoo, or microchip.
2. The zoo birds showed no evidence of poultry communicable diseases within the 30 days immediately prior to export.
3. The zoo birds:
 - Were not vaccinated against any H5 or H7 subtype of avian influenza.
 - OR**
 - Were vaccinated against H5 or H7 subtype of avian influenza.
Date Vaccinated: _____
Name/Manufacturer of Vaccine: _____
- Note: A 30-day quarantine is required for vaccinated animals from Canada.**
4. If the zoo birds originated from a region which APHIS considers affected with highly pathogenic avian influenza (HPAI), they were not exposed to active cases of HPAI on the premises where they were kept, or on adjoining premises, during the 28 days immediately preceding export.
5. The zoo birds:
 - Were not vaccinated against Newcastle disease (avian paramyxovirus).
 - OR**
 - Were vaccinated against Newcastle disease at least 21 days prior to export, using vaccines that do not contain any velogenic strains of Newcastle disease virus.
6. The zoo birds were not exposed to active cases of Newcastle disease on the premises where they were kept, or on adjoining premises, during the 90 days immediately preceding export.
7. The zoo birds were not commingled with birds or poultry or lesser health status than specifies on this certificate.
8. The birds were placed in new or appropriately sanitized shipping containers at the premises from which the birds were to be exported.

*****Certificate shall be valid for 30 days from date of issue*****

The official veterinarian must endorse the examining veterinarian's signature OR the official veterinarian's signature and government seal may be used alone if the official veterinarian conducted the inspection.

Examining Veterinarian:

Name of Examining Veterinarian (Printed)	Signature of Examining Veterinarian	Date
_____	_____	_____

Official Veterinarian:

Name of Official Veterinarian (Printed)	Signature and Seal of Official Veterinarian	Date
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