

## **Trophy Material (Excluding Fully Finished or Mounted) for Export to Mexico**

New import requirements sheets (HRZ's) for unmounted hunting trophy material intended for taxidermy will require the certification statements below. A notarized affidavit from the manufacturer is required to support the statements on the VS Form 16-4 issued by APHIS Veterinary Services.

Please note that the certificate must indicate the common and scientific names of the specimens that are covered by the certificate. As appropriate, this may be in the identification block or as attached addendum that is cross referenced to the certificate.

Please note: SENASICA Mexico also requires that unmounted wet materials must be salted prior to import and then packaged in a manner that prevents leakage, specifically requesting that the container be plastic and have a sealable top.

*Los materiales sin montar sean salados previo a su importación y empacados de tal manera que se eviten derrames; específicamente solicita que el contenedor sea de plástico con tapa a prueba de goteo.*

Certification statements on a VS Form 16-4:

This office has on file a notarized affidavit from [company name] verifying the accuracy of the following statements:

*Esta oficina cuenta en su expediente con una declaración notariada de [nombre de la compañía] que verifica la exactitud de las siguientes declaraciones:*

1. The product originates from the United States of America. / *El producto es originario de los Estados Unidos de América.*
2. The trophy material was handled in a manner to avoid contamination with other products of animal origin. / *El material de trofeo se manejó de forma tal que se evitó la contaminación con otros productos de origen animal.*

(Chose and include only the appropriate statement number 3.)

3. Prior to export the trophy material was brined in a marine salt solution containing two percent (2%) sodium carbonate or equivalent for \_\_\_\_\_ (indicate time in hours or days). / *Previo a su exportación el material se sometió a un proceso de salado en una solución de sal marina que contenga un 2% de carbonato de sodio o equivalente por el tiempo indicado.*  
(Or)
3. Prior to export the trophy material was dry salted with marine salt containing two percent (2%) sodium carbonate or equivalent for \_\_\_\_\_ (indicate time in days). / *Previo a*

*su exportación el material fue sometido a un proceso de salado en seco con sal marina que contenga un 2% de carbonato de sodio o equivalente, por el tiempo indicado.*

4. For bones, horns, hooves, claws, antlers and teeth, these materials were treated in boiling water and all other matter (other than bones, horns, hooves, claws, antlers and teeth) was removed. / *Para el caso de hueso, cuernos, pezuñas, garras, astas o dientes, fueron hervidos en agua durante el tiempo necesario para que se desprenda de ellos todo material distinto de los huesos, cuernos, pezuñas, garras, astas o dientes.*
5. Trophy material was disinfected with an approved disinfectant; bones were disinfected with hydrogen peroxide. / *Haber sido desinfectados con un producto autorizado por la autoridad competente, especialmente peróxido de hidrogeno cuando se trate de partes óseas.*