


Veterinary Health Certificate for Export of Dogs from the United States of America to Namibia		
Veterinary Authority UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE	Date Of Issue	
1. Consignor:		2. Consignee:
3. Country Of Origin: USA		4. State Of Origin:
5. Country Of Destination: Namibia		6. Zone Of Destination: *****
7. Place Of Origin:		8. Port Of Embarkation / Border Crossing:
9. Estimated Date Of Shipment:		10. Means Of Transport:
11. ***** *****		12. CITES Permit Number: *****
13. Description Of Commodity: Dogs		14. Date Of Inspection:
15. Total Quantity:		16. Additional Information: *****
17. Total Number Of Packages/Containers:		
18. Identification / Seal Numbers: *****		
19. Commodities Intended Use: Pet (Personal)		20. Type Of Admission: Permanent
21. Identification Of Commodities: (See next page) ***** ***** *****		

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21. Identification Of Commodities: Continued

NAME OF DOG	BREED - COMMON OR SCIENTIFIC NAME	AG E	SE X	COLOR, DISTINCTIVE MARKS, TAG NUMBER, TATTOO (if applicable)

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Additional Field(s):

Namibian Import Permit Number :

Certification Statements:

I, the undersigned USDA Accredited Veterinarian, authorised thereto by the veterinary administration of the United States of America, certify that animals described above;

1. Have, as far as I can ascertain, been continuously resident in the United States since birth, or have been continuously resident in the United States or imported from Namibia in the previous 6 months.

2. Originate from an area which is not under official veterinary restriction by the veterinary administration of the United States for any disease to which carnivores are susceptible.

3. Did not, as is possible to determine, come into contact with animals infected or suspected of being infected with rabies

4. Have valid rabies vaccination, as stipulated below, or have been exempted from vaccination.

The vaccine used must be a strain of anti-rabies conforming to a potency standard recognized by the WHO.

In the case of primary vaccination, the animal must have been vaccinated at least 30 days but not longer than 12 months prior to export.

Animals under 3 months of age may not be vaccinated and are considered to have a valid vaccination provided the dam of the animal was vaccinated at least 30 days but not longer than 12 months, prior to giving birth. Such animals must be vaccinated at 3 months of age in the Republic of Namibia, and the owners must provide proof thereof to the state veterinarian.

5. The United States is free of *Trypanosoma evansi* (surra). Pre-export testing and treatment is not required of U.S. origin dogs.

6. Dogs must be tested negative within 30 days of export at laboratories acceptable to APHIS for the following diseases: *Brucella canis* (canine brucellosis), *Babesia gibsoni*, *Dirofilaria immitis* (heartworm), and Leishmaniosis.

7. *Dirofilaria immitis*:

a. Treatment was administered at the required intervals from date of negative test result received, until export with one of the following (product name, dosage and date noted on table below):

- Diethylcarbamazine (5-6mg/kg/per os daily); OR
- Ivermectin (6 micrograms/kg per os monthly); OR

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- Milbermycin oxime (0.5 mg/kg per os monthly); OR
- Moxidectin (3 micrograms/kg per os monthly); OR
- Selamectin (6mg/kg) (Revolution) Prophylactic only

b. Treatment for *Dirofilaria* must continue for 6 months after arrival in Namibia.

The dog owner has been informed of this condition and has confirm that they have sufficient amounts of the product administered in their possession to carry out the required treatment for six months.

Please note that heartworm remedies are NOT easily available in Namibia and MUST be imported by the dog owner at the time of importation of the dog.

8. Have been examined clinically by a USDA Accredited Veterinarian within 10 days of export, and were found free of internal and external parasites, contagious and infectious diseases to which the species is susceptible, and fit to travel.

NOTE: The animal will be shipped in container which conform to IATA regulations, which will be either new or suitably disinfected and fumigated before loading and are of such a nature that contact with other animals of a lesser health status en route is prevented.

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Rabies vaccination dates of animals over 3 months old being exported OR Rabies vaccination dates of dam/mother for animals being exported which are less than 3 months old.

NAME OF DOG	DATE OF MOST RECENT RABIES VACCINATION	TYPE OF VACCINE	BATCH NUMBER

Dirofilaria immitis (Heartworm) Treatment Table

Dogs must be treated for Dirofilaria immitis at the required intervals from date of negative test result, until export with one of the following:

- Diethylcarbamazine (5-6mg/kg/per os daily) or
- Ivermectin (6 micrograms/kg per os monthly) or
- Milbermycin oxime (0.5 mg/kg per os monthly) or
- Moxidectin (3 micrograms/kg per os monthly) or
- Selemectin (6mg/kg) (Revolution) Prophylactic only

NAME OF DOG	DATE OF TREATMENT	NAME OF PRODUCT	DOSEAGE ADMINISTERED

Name of Accredited Veterinarian

Name of USDA Veterinarian

Signature of Accredited Veterinarian

Signature of USDA Veterinarian

Date

Date