

Plant-Origin Gelatin (Bulk, Filled Capsules, or Empty Capsules)

Turkey requires an APHIS letterhead certificate with only the following statement for gelatin that is plant-origin (with no components of animal-origin):

The gelatin is plant-origin.

The APHIS certificate should not contain any other statements.

Turkey also requires documentation from the manufacturer or importer identifying the “ingredients” in the gelatin (or gelatin product) and the “species” of plant utilized to produce the gelatin. This documentation should not become part of the letterhead certificate endorsed by APHIS.