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IMPORT HEALTH REQUIREMENTS OF PAKISTAN FOR SHEEP AND GOATS EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED STATES

The animals must be accompanied by a U.S. Origin Health Certificate issued by a veterinarian authorized by the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) and endorsed by a Veterinary Services (VS) veterinarian. The certificate shall contain the name and address of both the consignor and consignee and complete identification of the animals to be exported. Additional information shall include:

CERTIFICATION STATEMENTS

1. The United States is free of contagious caprine pleuropneumonia, Nairobi sheep disease, Rift Valley fever, sheep and goat pox.
2. The animals for export were given careful veterinary inspection and to the best of knowledge of the certifying veterinarian, were found free of clinical evidence of anthrax, bluetongue, brucellosis, and enzootic abortion.
3. The goats and sheep are not affected with or exposed to scrapie, or originated from, or has been on, any premises which then were infected or source flock premises, or if it is the progeny, sire or dam, or a full or half brother or sister of any animal found to be affected with scrapie, or was moved from premises located in an area quarantined for scrapie.
4. The animals were in isolation under the supervision of a USDA-accredited veterinarian from the beginning of the testing and until exportation.

TEST REQUIREMENTS

The animals were negative to the following tests within 30 days of exportation:

1. Brucellosis: Complement-fixation (CF) test at 1:10 dilution for brucella ovis for sheep, and brucella abortus for goats
2. Paratuberculosis: Intradermal caudal fold test using avian tuberculin or johnin
3. Bluetongue: CF test at 1:5 dilution

For any goat over 1 month of age:

4. Tuberculosis: Intradermal test in the caudal fold using PPD tuberculin.

OTHER INFORMATION

Any vaccination performed must be shown on the health certificate with the vaccine used and the date of vaccination.

EMBARKATION CERTIFICATION

At the port of embarkation, a VS port veterinarian shall attach to the U.S. Origin Health Certificate, the Certificate of Inspection of Export Animals (VS Form 17-37) showing:

1. The name and address of the consignor.
2. The name and address of the consignee.
3. The number and species of animals to be shipped.
4. A statement that the animals have been given a careful veterinary inspection at the port of embarkation and found free from evidence of communicable disease and exposure thereto within 24 hours of exportation.