

Veterinary Health Certificate for export of sheep for slaughter to Algeria from Ireland

Part I : Details of dispatched consignment	I.1. Consignor				I.2. Certificate reference number		I.2.a. Local reference number::				
	Name										
	Address										
					I.3. Central Competent Authority						
					I.4. Local Competent Authority						
	Country										
	I.5. Consignee				I.6. No.(s) of related original certificates						
	Name				No.(s) of accompanying documents						
	Address										
					I.7. Dealer						
Country				Name		Approval number					
I.8. Country of origin		ISO code	I.9. Region of origin		Code	I.10. Country of destination		ISO code	I.11. Region of destination		Code
I.12. Place of origin/Place of harvest				I.13. Place of destination							
Holding				Holding							
Assembly centre				Assembly centre							
Approved body				Approved body							
Semen centre				Semen centre							
Approved aquaculture holding				Approved aquaculture holding							
Embryo team				Embryo team							
Establishment				Establishment							
Other				Other							
Name				Name							
Approval number				Approval number							
Address				Address							
Postal code / Region				Postal code / Region							
I.14. Place of loading				I.15. Date and time of departure							
Postal code / Region				Postal code / Region							
I.16. Means of transport				I.17. Transporter							
Aeroplane				Name							
Road vehicle				Approval number							
Ship				Address							
Railway wagon				Postal code / Region				Member state			
Other											
Identification::				Address							
Number(s):				Postal code / Region				Member state			
I.21. Temperature of products				I.20. Number/Quantity				I.22. Number of packages			
Ambient				Chilled				Frozen			
I.23. Identification of container/Seal number											
I.25. Animals certified for/products certified for:											
I.26. Transit through 3rd country				I.27. Transit through Member states							
Exit point				Code							
Entry point				BIP unit no.:							
I.28. Export				I.29. Estimated journey time							
3rd country				ISO code							
Exit point				Code							
I.30. Route plan											
Yes				No							
I.31. Identification of the animals											

II. Health information		II.a. Certificate reference number	II.b. Local reference number:
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I, the undersigned official veterinarian, hereby certify that:

II.1.1. Ireland has no evidence of the following infectious diseases: Rinderpest, bluetongue, Rift valley fever, peste de petit ruminants, sheep pox and goat pox, contagious caprine pleuropneumonia and epizootic haemorrhagic disease for the last 12 months, vesicular stomatitis for the last 6 months and that in the last 12 months no vaccination against these diseases has been carried out and that the import of domestic cloven-hoofed animals vaccinated against these diseases is not allowed;

II.1.2. Ireland is free of FMD without vaccination

II.1.3. Ireland is officially free of Brucella abortus and melitensis according to the standards of WOAH.

II.1.4. Ireland is free from infection with bluetongue virus (serotypes 1-24) ⁽¹⁾

II.1.5. Ireland operates the following conditions regarding scrapie

A. scrapie is compulsorily notifiable;

B. an awareness, surveillance and monitoring system is in place;

C. ovine animals affected with scrapie are killed and completely destroyed;

D. the feeding to ovine animals of meat-and-bone meal or greaves of ruminant origin, as defined in the Terrestrial Animal Health Code of the World Organisation for Animal Health, has been banned and effectively enforced in the whole country for a period of at least the last seven years.

II.2. The ovine animals (of the consignment described in Part I meet the following requirements:

II.2.1. They do not come from establishments subject to movement restrictions affecting the species or situated in a restricted zone established for reasons of diseases listed for ovine animals.

II.2.2 They come from establishments free from infection with Brucella abortus, B. melitensis and B. suis without vaccination.

II.2.3 They come from establishments in which infection with rabies virus in kept terrestrial animals has not been reported during the 24-month period prior to departure.

II.2.4 They come from establishments in which anthrax in ungulates has not been reported during the 24-month period prior to departure.

II.2.5 They come from establishments in which infection with bluetongue virus (serotypes 1-24) has not been reported during the 30-day period prior to departure.

II.3 According to official information, the animals described in Part I meet the following health requirements:

II.3.1 They are under 48 months of age and are individually identified in accordance with Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/2035.

II.3.2 They are not intended to be slaughtered for disease eradication purposes as part of an eradication programme.

II.3.3 The assembled consignment was not in contact with other animals which do not meet the above-mentioned conditions.

II.3.4 The animals have never received anabolic substances or substances, with a hormonal or anti-hormonal effect nor prohibited substances likely to make the meat of these animals harmful and unfit for human consumption (in accordance with the national regulations in force and based on the national surveillance plan implemented by Irish veterinary authorities).

II.3.5 They have not shown clinical signs or symptoms of diseases listed for ovine (2) animals during the clinical examination, which was carried out, within the 24 hour period prior to departure of the consignment, on (insert date dd/mm/yyyy).

II.4 This certificate is valid for 10 days from the date of issuing. In the case of transport by waterway/sea of animals, the period of validity of the certificate may be extended by the duration of the journey by waterway/sea.

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IV **Supplementary declaration**

IV.1.1 The animals are aged **between 09 and 18 months** of age at the time of certification.

IV.1.2 The animals have not received feed containing antibiotics in the 30 days prior to certification.

IV.1.3 The animals were treated against ectoparasites and endoparasites within 10 days of departure. **The withdrawal period is (insert number) days and the date of treatment was (insert date dd/mm/yyyy).**

V **Supplementary Bluetongue declaration** ⁽³⁾

Ireland

V.1 is seasonally free from infection with bluetongue virus (serotypes 1-24): either for at least 60 days prior to the date of dispatch of the animals to Algeria (1) **or** for at least 28 days prior to the date of dispatch of the animals to Algeria and the animals have been subjected to a serological test in accordance with Article 9(b) of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692, with negative results, carried out on samples collected at least 28 days following the date of entry of the animal into the seasonally free zone **or** for at least 14 days prior to the date of dispatch of the animals to Algeria and have been subjected to a PCR test, with negative results, carried out on samples collected at least 14 days following the date of entry of the animal in the seasonally free zone. (1) **or**

V.2. is not free from infection with bluetongue virus (serotypes 1-24) and the animals have been vaccinated against all the serotypes (1 to 24) of bluetongue virus reported during the past 2 years in that zone and are still within the immunity period of time guaranteed in the specifications of the vaccine and **either** have been vaccinated more than 60 days prior to the date of dispatch of the animals to Algeria (1) **or** have been vaccinated with an inactivated vaccine and were subjected to a PCR test, with negative results on samples collected at least 14 days after the onset of the immunity protection set in the specifications of the vaccine. (1)

V.3 The animals have been protected against attacks of insects likely to be competent vectors of blue tongue by application of long acting repellants on two occasions

Animal welfare attestation

At the time of inspection, the animals covered by this health certificate were fit to be transported in accordance with the provisions of Council Regulation (EC) No 1/2005 on the intended journey due to start on (insert date) .

The transport vehicles or containers in which they were loaded were cleaned and disinfected before loading with an officially authorised disinfectant.

Official veterinarian or official inspector:

Name (in Capital):

Qualification and title:

Local Veterinary Unit:

LVU N°:

Date:

Signature:

Stamp

Box reference I.30: "Identification number": Indicate identification codes of the animals in the consignment identified in accordance with Article 45 of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/2035.

Part II:

- (1) Delete if not applicable.
- (2) Listed diseases for ovine species include Foot and mouth disease • Rabies • Bluetongue • Rinderpest virus • Rift Valley fever virus • Brucella abortus/melitensis • M. bovis/caprae/tuberculosis • Lumpy skin disease • Epizootic haemorrhagic disease virus • Anthrax • Paratuberculosis • Q fever • Sheep pox and goat pox • Peste des petits ruminants • Contagious pleuropneumonia • Ovine epididymitis.
- (3) In the Event that Ireland is not free of Bluetongue Virus

