

INTERNATIONAL HEALTH CERTIFICATE FOR IMPORTATION OF DAIRY PRODUCTS (OTHER THAN CHEESE AND BUTTER) OF
OVINE/CAPRINE ORIGIN FROM COUNTRIES THAT ARE FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE FREE INTO THE TURKS AND CAICOS
ISLANDS

COUNTRY:

PART I: Details of Dispatched Consignment				
I.1. Consignor Name:		I.2. Certificate Reference Number:		
Address:		I.3. Veterinary Authority:		
Zip Code:		I.5. Country of Export		I.6. ISO Code Export Country
Telephone:		I.7. Zone of Origin (where applicable)		
Fax:		I.8. Country of Destination Turks and Caicos Islands		I.9. ISO Code TC
Email:		I.10. Port of Entry in the TCI		I.11. Date of Shipment
I.4. Consignee Name:		I.12. Date of Arrival		I.13. Time of Arrival
Address:		I.14. Description of Commodity		
Zip Code:				
Telephone:				
Fax:				
Email:				
I.15 Total Quantity	I.16 Total Number of Packages	I.17. Type of Packaging	I.18 Container/Seal Number	
I.19. Place of Manufacturer Name:		I.20. Registration Number		I.21. HS Code of Product
Address:		I.22. Import Admissions Type Single (Definitive) Entry in TC		I.23. Method of Shipment <input type="checkbox"/> Air <input type="checkbox"/> Sea
I.24. Commodity Intended for use as: <input type="checkbox"/> Human Consumption <input type="checkbox"/> Further Processing <input type="checkbox"/> Other				
I.25. Name of Country/Zone of origin of the milk or the milk from which this dairy product is made:		I.26. Name of Country/Zone in which milk or dairy product was processed and packaged:		
I.27. Identification of Commodities				
Nature of Commodity	Approval Number of Establishment	Treatment Type	Lot ID\Date Code	Net Weight

PART II: Sanitary Requirements
<p>I, the undersigned OFFICIAL VETERINARIAN certify that the product(s) described in I.13. and I.26. above meet (s) the following requirements:</p> <p>II.1. That the milk or the milk from which the dairy product is made was originated from a country/zone recognised by the World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE) as foot and mouth disease-free, with or without vaccination;</p> <p>II.2. That the dairy products have been processed in a foot and mouth disease-free country/zone;</p> <p>II.3. That the milk or the milk from which the dairy products are made originated from a country/zone which meets the OIE requirements for freedom from sheep and goat pox, Rinderpest, peste des petits ruminants, ovine brucellosis (<i>Brucella melitensis</i>), maedi-visna, contagious agalactia, contagious caprine pleuropneumonia (caprine products only);</p> <p>II.4. That the animals must be clinically healthy at the time the milk was obtained;</p> <p>II.5. And that:</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">b. the milk or the milk from which the dairy products were made have been subjected to one of the following heat treatments:</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">i. pasteurisation at 72°C for a minimum of 15 seconds or an equivalent treatment, in terms of phosphatase destruction or</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">ii. a UHT treatment of 135°C for a minimum of 1 second.</p>

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- II.6. The milk or milk products were processed or manufactured in a plant under hygienic and sanitary standards approved by the Veterinary Authority and that the milk and milk products are intended for human consumption;
- II.7. The containers for liquid milk were cleaned and sterilized according to hygienic and sanitary measures approved by the Veterinary Authority in the country of export;
- II.8. The milk or milk product was packaged in a plant that has been approved for export by the Veterinary Authority of the country of export;
- II.9. The name, address and establishment number of the plant, the batch / lot number and the date of manufacture of the products are clearly stamped on the certificate as well as the immediate container or packaging; and
- II.10. Every precaution was taken to prevent contamination during the processing, packaging, storing and handling of the products prior to export into the Islands.

NAME (All Capitals letters)

QUALIFICATION AND TITLE:

PLACE STAMP/SEAL HERE

PLACE SIGNATURE HERE
(different colour than of printing on this certificate)

Date of Issuance(dd/mm/yyyy)_____

THIS CERTIFICATE IS VALID FOR 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF ISSUANCE

Notes for Veterinarians and Exporters

- A. Upon arrival at the TCI port-of-entry, all shipments will be inspected by an Animal Health Officer or any other authorized Animal Inspector before they are allowed entry into the country. Every lot of product will be given a visual inspection for appearance and condition, and checked for certification and label compliance.
- B. The Animal Health Officer or the Animal Inspector may collect samples of the products for examination, microbial and chemical laboratory analysis.
- C. If additional sheets of paper or supporting documents are attached to this international health certificate, those sheets of paper or document shall also be considered as forming part of the original of the international health certificate by the application of the signature and stamp of the official veterinarian, on each of the pages;
- D. This certificate should be completed, signed and stamped in any colour other than black;
- E. When the certificate, including additional sheets referred to in (i), comprises more than one page, each page shall be numbered, (page number) of (total number of pages), at the end of the page and shall bear the certificate reference number that has been designated by the competent authority at the top of the pages;
- F. All relevant documents (copy of import permit, and **originals** of this Veterinary Health Certificate, Laboratory Test results, etc.) must be submitted at the port of entry in order to facilitate Veterinary clearance. **Import Permits will be revoked if there is proof that the information provided before or after issuance is inaccurate or false; and**
- G. The Animal Health Services Division must be given at least 24 hours' notice of the confirmed arrival date, time and vessel/aircraft number and the port of entry to avoid delays in the clearance of the commodity (ies).

Explanations

Part I

- I.5. Country of export refers to the country from which commodities are directly sent to the Turks and Caicos Islands
- I.6. "ISO code" refers to the international standard two-letter code (ISO 3166-1 Alpha-2 Code) for a country produced by the International Organization for Standardization

II.a. Certificate Reference Number Continued:

I.13. Description of commodity: Please indicate the titles as they appear in the Harmonised System of the World Customs Organization or any other feature that would positively identify the commodity (ies)

I.15. The Registration number of the manufacturing or packaging plant where the product named on this certificate was produced

I.18. Heading or HS Code of the Harmonized System set up by the World Customs Organization used to identify commodities.