

## REQUIREMENTS FOR THE IMPORTATION OF ALPACAS FROM AUSTRALIA INTO THE KINGDOM OF THAILAND

- 1) A health certificate in English signed by a full-time authorized veterinary official of the government of the exporting country stating:
  - 1.1) number and species of the animals,
  - 1.2) breed, sex, age and color,
  - 1.3) animal identification,
  - 1.4) name and address of the owner/exporter and identification of the premises of origin,
  - 1.5) means of transport (flight no./vessel name)
  - 1.6) certification of condition items (2) to (5).
- 2) The animals must come from country/region/zone free from diseases as followings:
  - a) Foot-and-Mouth Disease
  - b) Rinderpest
  - c) Peste des Petits Ruminants
  - d) Contagious Bovine Pleuropneumonia
  - e) Contagious Caprine Pleuropneumonia
  - f) Malignant Catarrhal Fever (Wildebeest associated)
  - g) Brucellosis (B.abortus & B.melitensis)
  - h) Bovine tuberculosis
  - i) Theileriosis (*T.parva &T.annulata*)
  - j) Bovine spongiform encephalopathy
  - k) Scrapie
- 3) During the past three (3) months prior to loading for export, no outbreak of the following disease has occurred on the properties on which the alpaca were held.
  - a) Anaplasmosis
  - b) Johne's disease
  - c) Malignant catarrhal fever (sheep associated)
- 4) Animal for export underwent pre-export isolation in approve premises for a minimum of 30 days immediately prior to loading for export and during this time were kept isolated from livestock not of an equivalent or better health status.

5) Animals for export resided for a minimum of 60 days (or since birth) immediately prior to
export in the Australian bluetongue free zone or while in pre-export isolation were tested with
an ELISA or AGID with negative results

6) During the s	seven (7) d	lays prior to	export, t	he animals	were to	reated	for internal	(including
gastrointestinal	parasites,	lungworms	and fluke	infection)	and exte	ernal p	arasites .	

Specify name (s)		
Date administered		

- 7) The vehicles and containers used for transporting the export animals must be thoroughly cleaned, disinfected, and vacanted prior to loading which is compliant with the relevant criteria laid down in the OIE International Animal Health Code.
- 8) The accommodation provided for the animals during shipping must be designed to avoid any risk of injury and unnecessary suffering which is compliant with the relevant criteria laid down in the OIE International Animal Health Code.
- 9) The ship/aircraft or other vehicles carrying the animals may only call at approved intermediate ports after leaving the country of origin. While in transit, the animals must not come in contact with other animals not similar health status. Unloading or movement of the animals may only take place under the approval and supervision of a veterinary authority of the transit country.
- 10) The animals are subjected to quarantine at an approved premise for a period of not less than 30 (thirty) days upon arrival. The importer/owner shall be fully charged for the incurred expenses.
- 11) Failure to follow the import procedures may result in returning the animals to the country of origin or destroying without compensation.

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