



## REQUIREMENTS FOR THE IMPORTATION OF BOVINE SEMEN FROM CANADA 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) Name, address and registration number or identification code of the semen production center,

1.2) number of doses of each donor bull and total number of doses in consignment,

1.3) name, date of birth, breed and identification of donor bull,

1.3) date of semen collection,

1.4) marking/serial number of tamperproof seal applied to shipping container,

1.5) certification of condition items (2) to (7).

2) The country of origin is free of Foot and Mouth Disease, Rinderpest, and Contagious Pleuropneumonia.

3) The semen was collected from a bull maintained for at least six (6) months in an artificial insemination centre which is under official veterinary control.

4) At the time of the collection of the semen, the donor bull was healthy and free of evidence of disease.

5) All of the animals maintained at the artificial insemination centre, including the donor bull, are recognized to be free of Tuberculosis, Brucellosis, Leptospirosis, Paratuberculosis, Bluetongue, Enzootic Bovine Leucosis, Campylobacteriosis and Trichomoniasis.

6) The donor bull has been subjected to the following tests with negative results:

a) Tuberculosis – intradermal

b) Brucellosis – serum agglutination and complement fixation

c) Leptospirosis – microagglutination lysis

d) Paratuberculosis – complement fixation or ELISA

e) Leucosis – agar gel immunodiffusion or ELISA

f) Bluetongue – complement fixation or agar gel immunodiffusion or ELISA

g) Campylobacteriosis – culture

h) Trichomoniasis – direct microscopic examination or culture

7) The donor bull is resident in an IBR/IPV free centre and is subjected to an ELISA test on serum with negative result. OR

The donor bull is not resident an IBR/IPV free centre and each collection date of frozen semen to Thailand is subjected to a virus isolation test on semen with negative result.

8) Failure to follow the import procedures may result in returning the semen to the country of origin or destroying without compensation.

