



REQUIREMENTS FOR THE IMPORTATION OF CHILLED/FROZEN CANINE SEMEN INTO THE KINGDOM OF THAILAND

- 1) A health certificate in English, signed or further endorsed by a full-time authorized veterinary official of the government of the exporting country, if it is previously acknowledged by a veterinary surgeon, stating:-
 - 1.1) Name, Breeds, Age or animal identification
 - 1.2) Dates of semen collection,
 - 1.3) Indelible identification marking on straws/ampoule of semen,
 - 1.4) Name and address of the owner OR the kennel of origin,
 - 1.5) Name and address of premises at which the semen was collected,
 - 1.6) Name and address of consignee,
 - 1.7) Certification of condition items (2) to (12).
- 2) The Semen has not derived from the donor dogs of these following breeds (including crosses of these breeds): Pit Bull Terrier, American Staffordshire Terrier, American Staffordshire Bull Terrier or related breeds.
- 3) The donor dog must come from an area where animal diseases are under control. They are found to be healthy, free from signs of any infectious and contagious diseases including ectoparasitism at the time of semen collection.
- 4) The country has been free from Rabies for at least the past 12 (twelve) months OR the donor dogs have been vaccinated against Rabies with an official approved vaccine not less than 21 (twenty- one) days and not more than 12 (twelve) months prior to the semen collection.
- 5) The donor dog has been subjected to a test for *Brucella canis* with negative result by the serum agglutination test during 14 (fourteen) days prior to the semen collection.
- 6) EITHER a) The donor dog has been vaccinated against Leptospirosis at least 30 (thirty) days and not more than 12 (twelve) months prior to the semen collection.
OR b) The donor dog has been subjected to a test for Leptospirosis with negative result during 21 (twenty-one) days prior to the semen collection.
- 7) The donor dogs must not be naturally mated between blood sampling and the last semen collection.
- 8) The donor dog has been vaccinated against other significant infectious or contagious diseases i.e. Distemper, Hepatitis, and Parvovirus, with an official approved vaccine at least 21 (twenty-one) days and not more than 12 (twelve) months prior to the semen collection.
- 9) The semen must be certified free from contamination pathogenic microorganisms.

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- 10) The semen must be obtained from the donor dog with normal libido and which have the records of their fertility as well as the records of their progeny possible to determine that it has no association with any genetic defect.
- 11) Preservatives and antibiotics including any mycoplasmocidal drugs used in the diluents must be clearly declared.
- 12) Failure to follow the import procedures may result in returning the semen to the country of origin or destroying without compensation.

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