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Clarifying Information – Imports of Live Animals

Import Information Note (IIN) GEN/5

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Introduction

This Import Information Note (IIN) sets out clarifications relating to the certification of live animals. It should be read in conjunction with **the general import information note for live animals** ([IIN GEN/1](#)) as well as any [specific import information note for the particular animal/health certificate referenced below](#).

This note does not set out general import requirements for animals imported into Great Britain. The purpose of the note is to provide clarification on specific issues raised by trading partners in relation to the completion of health certificates. The contents of the note will be updated over time, and changes highlighted.

The responsibility to obtain a GB health certificate is that of the exporter in the country of dispatch of the goods. Certification is the responsibility of a certifying officer in that country.

Clarifications

[GBHC620 Domestic bovine animals for breeding or production](#)

AH/E602 Establishment requirements (specific requirements)

This attestation can be crossed out as it does not apply to imports to GB.



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