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## IMPORTS AND EU POLICY TEAM

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**Amendment to Regulations (EC) 136/2004 and 282/2004 as regards the model of common veterinary entry document (CVED)**

### Purpose

1. To inform BIPs of changes to the provisions on notification of arrival of animals and products to allow the use of two different models of CVED and to be aware of the requirements for the completion of an electronic CVED in Regulations (EC) 136/2004 and (EC) 282/2004.

### Background

2. In order to allow a smooth transition, the Commission has offered to operators and competent authorities to either use the current or the new version of the TRACES system to transmit CVEDs until 13 December 2019.
3. You should note in Article 4 that this Regulation applies until 13 December. We will provide further guidance about this shortly once the position on EU Exit becomes clear.

### Action for OVSS

4. To apply above changes accordingly.

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