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IMPORTS AND EU POLICY TEAM

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UPCOMING CHANGES TO THE WAY GB AMENDS THIRD COUNTRY LISTS FOR IMPORTS OF ANIMALS AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS

1. We will shortly be changing the way GB amends approved third country lists for imports of animals and animal products.
2. The lists of third countries approved to export animals and animal products laid down in legislation such as Retained EU Regulation 206/2010 (livestock and meat) and Retained EU Regulation 798/2008 (poultry and poultry products) are being taken out of the legislation. This means that certification requirements for animals and animal products will be published on www.gov.uk. A list of the affected commodities is the Annex.
3. We will write to you once the changes have come into force and provide you with the relevant links.

Action for OVSs

4. BCPs to note and await further information.

Contact point for enquiries

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Imports and EU Trade Team

List of affected commodities

Poultry and poultry products

Live ungulates

Fresh meat of ungulates

Meat products

Meat of wild leporidae, of certain wild land mammals and of farmed rabbits

Raw milk, dairy products, colostrum and colostrum-based products

Bovine semen

Bovine embryos

Ovine and caprine ova and embryos

Equidae and of semen, ova and embryos of Equidae

Porcine semen

Ovine and caprine semen

Residue control plans

Bovine Spongiform Encephalopathy risk status