

CHAPTER 37

**MODEL ANIMAL HEALTH CERTIFICATE FOR ENTRY INTO THE UNION OF
BUMBLE BEES (MODEL 'BBEE')**

COUNTRY		Animal health certificate to the EU		
Part I: Description of consignment	I.1 Consignor/Exporter Name Address Country ISO country code	I.2 Certificate reference	I.2a IMSOC reference	QR CODE
		I.3 Central Competent Authority		
		I.4 Local Competent Authority		
	I.5 Consignee/Importer Name Address Country ISO country code	I.6 Operator responsible for the consignment Name Address Country ISO country code		
	I.7 Country of origin ISO country code	I.9 Country of destination		ISO country code
	I.8 Region of origin Code	I.10 Region of destination		Code
	I.11 Place of dispatch Name Registration/Approval No Address Country ISO country code	I.12 Place of destination Name Registration/Approval No Address Country ISO country code		
	I.13 Place of loading	I.14 Date and time of departure		
	I.15 Means of transport <input type="checkbox"/> Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Vessel <input type="checkbox"/> Railway <input type="checkbox"/> Road vehicle Identification	I.16 Entry Border Control Post		I.17 Accompanying documents Type Code Country ISO country code Commercial document reference
	I.18 Transport conditions <input type="checkbox"/> Ambient <input type="checkbox"/> Chilled <input type="checkbox"/> Frozen			
I.19 Container number/Seal number Container No Seal No				
I.20 Certified as or for				
<input type="checkbox"/> Further keeping				
I.21 <input type="checkbox"/> For transit Third country ISO country code	I.22 <input type="checkbox"/> For internal market		I.23	

I.24 Total number of packages			I.25 Total quantity		I.26 Total net weight/gross weight (kg)	
I.27 Description of consignment						
CN code	Species	Subspecies/Category			Quantity	
					Net weight	
			Nature of commodity	Number of packages		

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Part II: Certification	II. Health information	II.a Certificate reference	II.b IMSOC reference
	<p>I, the undersigned official veterinarian, hereby certify that the bumble bees described in Part I:</p> <p>II.1. come from the zone with code: ___ - ___⁽¹⁾ which, at the date of issuing this certificate is listed in Part 1 of Annex VII to Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 for entry into the Union of bumble bees.</p> <p>II.2. have remained continuously:</p> <p>(i) in the zone referred to in point II.1 since hatching, and</p> <p>(ii) in the establishment of origin since hatching, in which no bumble bees have been introduced into their epidemiological unit of origin during that period of time.</p> <p>II.3. had no contact with animals of a lower health status since hatching.</p> <p>II.4. are not to be killed under a national programme for the eradication of diseases, including listed diseases and emerging diseases.</p> <p>II.5. have been dispatched in closed containers each containing a colony of maximum 200 adult bumble bees, with or without a queen:</p> <p>II.5.1. in packaging material which, before packing the bumble bees of the consignment:</p> <p>(i) was new;</p> <p>(ii) had not been in contact with any bees and brood combs;</p> <p>(iii) has been subject to all precautions to prevent its contamination with pathogens causing diseases of bumble bees.</p> <p>II.5.2. accompanied by feedingstuff free from pathogens causing their diseases;</p> <p>II.5.3. in packaging material and with accompanying products which have undergone a visual examination before dispatch to the Union to ensure that they do not pose an animal health risk and do not contain <i>Aethina tumida</i> (Small hive beetle), in any of their life stages.</p> <p>II.5.4. directly from the establishment of origin to the Union without passing through any other establishment and without being unloaded in any place that does not comply with the requirements laid down in points II.7, II.8 since they were dispatched from their establishment of origin until dispatch to the Union and have not been in contact with animals of a lower health status.</p> <p>II.6. have been subjected to a clinical inspection within the 24 hour period prior to loading⁽²⁾ for dispatch to the Union, carried out by an official veterinarian in the third country or territory of origin, who did not detect signs indicative of the occurrence of diseases, including the relevant listed diseases referred to in Annex I of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692 and emerging diseases.</p> <p>II.7. have been bred and kept in an environmentally isolated bumble bee production establishment which:</p> <p>II.7.1. is registered by, and is under the control of, the competent authority of the third country or territory and has a system in place to maintain and to keep records in accordance with Article 8 of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692;</p> <p>II.7.2. has facilities which ensure that the production of bumble bees is carried out inside of a flying insect-proof building;</p> <p>II.7.3. has facilities and equipment which ensure that the bumble bees are further isolated in separate epidemiological units and each colony in closed containers within the building throughout the whole production;</p>		

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	<p>II.7.4. the storage and handling of pollen within the facilities is isolated from the bumble bees throughout the whole production of bumble bees until it is fed to them;</p> <p>II.7.5. has standard operating procedures to prevent the entry of small hive beetle into the establishment and to regularly survey for the presence of small hive beetle within the establishment.</p> <p>II.8. come from an epidemiological unit with the establishment in which infestation with <i>Aethina tumida</i> (Small hive beetle) has not been detected.</p> <p>Notes: This certificate is intended for entry into the Union of bumble bees, including when the Union is not the final destination of those animals. In accordance with the Agreement on the withdrawal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland from the European Union and the European Atomic Energy Community, and in particular Article 5(4) of the Protocol on Ireland / Northern Ireland in conjunction with Annex 2 to that Protocol, references to European Union in this certificate include the United Kingdom in respect of Northern Ireland. This animal health certificate shall be completed according to the notes for the completion of certificates provided for in Chapter 4 of Annex I to Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2020/2235.</p> <p>Part II: (1) Code of the zone as it appears in Column 2 Part 1 of Annex VII to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404. (2) Date of loading: it cannot be a date prior to the date of authorisation of the zone for entry into the Union, or a date in a period when restriction measures have been adopted by the Union against entries of these animals from this zone.</p>
	<p>Official veterinarian</p> <p>Name (in capital letters)</p> <p>Date Qualification and title</p> <p>Stamp Signature</p>