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## Model veterinary certificate for hatching eggs of ratites (HER)

COUNTRY:		Veterinary certificate to EU			
Part I: Details of dispatched consignment	I.1. Consignor Name Address  Country Tel.		I.2. Certificate reference number		I.2.a.
			I.3. Central Competent Authority		
			I.4. Local Competent authority		
	I.5. Consignee Name Address  Country Tel.		I.6.		
	I.7. Country of origin	ISO code	I.8. Region of origin	Code	I.9. Country of destination
					ISO code
	I.11. Place of origin  Name Address  Name Address  Name Address		I.12.		
	I.13. Place of loading Address		Approval number	I.14. Date of departure	
				Time of departure	
	I.15. Means of transport  Aeroplane <input type="checkbox"/> Railway wagon <input type="checkbox"/> Road vehicle <input type="checkbox"/> Identification: Document:		Ship <input type="checkbox"/>  Other <input type="checkbox"/>		I.16. Entry BIP in EU
		I.17. No.(s) of CITES			
I.18. Description of commodity		I.19. Commodity code (HS code) <b>04.07</b>			
					I.20. Quantity
I.21.					I.22. Number of packages
I.23. Seal/Container No					I.24.
I.25. Commodities certified as:  Breeding <input type="checkbox"/>					
I.26.		I.27. For import or admission into EU			<input type="checkbox"/>
I.28. Identification of the commodity					
Species (scientific name)		Breed/Category	Identification system	Identification number	Quantity

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Part II: Certification	<b>II.1. Animal Health attestation</b>	I, the undersigned official veterinarian, hereby certify that the hatching eggs <sup>(1)</sup> described in this certificate:	
	II.1.1	meet the provisions of Directive 2009/158/EC;	
	II.1.2	come from flocks which have remained on:	
	<sup>(2)</sup> <sup>(3)</sup> either	[the territory of code .....;]	
	<sup>(3)</sup> <sup>(4)</sup> or	[compartment(s) .....;]	
		for at least three months. Where the flocks have been imported into the country, territory, zone or compartment of origin, this took place in accordance with veterinary conditions at least as strict as the relevant requirements of Directive 2009/158/EC and any subsidiary Decisions;	
	II.1.3	come from:	
	<sup>(2)</sup> <sup>(3)</sup> <sup>(5)</sup> either	[the territory of code .....;]	
	<sup>(3)</sup> <sup>(4)</sup> or	[compartment(s) .....;]	
	<sup>(3)</sup> either	[(a) which at the date of issue of this certificate was (were) free from Newcastle disease as defined in Regulation (EC) No 798/2008;]	
	<sup>(3)</sup> <sup>(5)</sup> or	[(a) which at the date of issue of this certificate was not free from Newcastle disease as defined in Regulation (EC) No 798/2008;]	
		(b) where a surveillance programme for avian influenza according to Regulation (EC) No 798/2008 is carried out;	
	II.1.4	come from:	
	<sup>(2)</sup> <sup>(3)</sup> either	[the territory of code .....;]	
	<sup>(3)</sup> <sup>(4)</sup> or	[compartment(s) .....;]	
<sup>(3)</sup> either	[II.1.4.1 which, at the date of issue of this certificate was (were) free from highly pathogenic and low pathogenic avian influenza as defined in Regulation (EC) No 798/2008;]		
<sup>(3)</sup> or	[II.1.4.1 which, at the date of issue of this certificate was (were) free from highly pathogenic avian influenza as defined in Regulation (EC) No 798/2008, and were derived from parent flocks which have been kept in an establishment:		
	(a) in which low pathogenic avian influenza has not been present within the last 30 days prior to the time of collection of the eggs;		
	(b) located in an area which is not placed under official veterinary restrictions by the competent authority in relation to an outbreak of low pathogenic avian influenza and in any case around which within a 1 km radius low pathogenic avian influenza has not been present within the last 30 days prior to the time of collection of the eggs on any establishment;		
	(c) where there has been no epidemiological link to an establishment where low pathogenic avian influenza has been present within the last 30 days prior to the time of collection of the eggs;]		
II.1.5	were derived from parent flocks which:		
<sup>(3)</sup> either	[have not been vaccinated against avian influenza;]		
<sup>(3)</sup> or	[have been vaccinated against avian influenza in accordance with a vaccination plan under Regulation (EC) No 798/2008 using:		
	.....		
	(name and type of used vaccine(s))		
	at the age of ..... weeks;]		
II.1.6	come from flocks which:		
	(a) have been examined at the date of issue of this certificate and showed no clinical signs of or grounds for suspecting any disease;		

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(b)		<p>have been kept for at least six weeks immediately prior to import to the Union in the establishment(s) defined in Box I.11 of Part I, officially approved in accordance with requirements that are at least equivalent to those laid down in Annex II to Directive 2009/158/EC:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— the approval of which has not been suspended or withdrawn;</li> <li>— which is (are) not subject to any animal health restriction;</li> <li>— within a 10 km radius of which, including, where appropriate, the territory of a neighbouring country, there has been no outbreak of highly pathogenic avian influenza or Newcastle disease for at least the previous 30 days;</li> </ul>				
(c)		during the period mentioned in (b), have had no contact with poultry or other ratites not meeting the requirements laid down in this certificate;				
<sup>(3)</sup> either		[(d) have not been vaccinated against Newcastle disease;]				
<sup>(3)</sup> or		[(d) have been vaccinated against Newcastle disease:				
	Identification of the flock	Age of the birds	Date of vaccination [dd/mm/yyyy]	Name and type (live or inactivated) of ND virus strain used in vaccine(s)	Batch number	Name and manufacturer of vaccine
		]				
<sup>(8)</sup>		[(e) have been vaccinated using officially approved vaccines:				
	Identification of the flock	Age of the birds	Date of vaccination [dd/mm/yyyy]	Vaccinated against	Batch number	Name, manufacturer, and type of officially approved vaccines
		]				
<sup>(6)</sup> II.1.7		have been marked as indicated in point I.28 of the certificate using ..... (colour ink);				
II.1.8		have been disinfected in accordance with my instructions, using ..... (name of the product and active substance) for ..... (time in minutes);				
II.1.9		have been collected from ..... (dd/mm/yyyy) to ..... (dd/mm/yyyy);				
II.1.10		have been examined at the date of issue of this certificate and showed no clinical signs of or grounds for suspecting any disease.				
II.2.		<b>Additional guarantees</b>				
		I, the undersigned official veterinarian, further certify that:				
<sup>(7)</sup> II.2.1		where the consignment is intended for a Member State the status of which has been established in accordance with Article 15(2) of Directive 2009/158/EC, the hatching eggs described in this certificate are derived from ratites which:				
<sup>(3)</sup> either		[have not been vaccinated against Newcastle disease;]				
<sup>(3)</sup> or		[have been vaccinated against Newcastle disease using an inactivated vaccine;]				
<sup>(3)</sup> or		[were vaccinated against Newcastle disease using a live vaccine at the latest 60 days before the initial date mentioned under point II.1.9;]				
<sup>(8)</sup> II.2.2		the following additional guarantees, laid down by the Member State of destination in accordance with Articles 16 and/or 17 of Directive 2009/158/EC are provided:				
		.....:]				

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( <sup>7</sup> ) [II.2.3	if the Member State of destination is Finland or Sweden, the hatching eggs come from flocks which have tested negative in accordance with the rules laid down in Decision 2003/644/EC.]	
( <sup>10</sup> ) [II.2.4	the hatching eggs described in this certificate were collected from breeding ratites which have been examined and tested in accordance with point 8 of Section I of Annex III to Regulation (EC) No 798/2008].	
( <sup>5</sup> ) II.3.	<p><b>Additional health requirements for countries not free from Newcastle disease</b></p> <p>[I, the undersigned official veterinarian, further certify that the breeding ratites from which the hatching eggs are derived:</p> <p>(a) were placed in isolation under official surveillance not less than 30 days prior to laying the hatching eggs for import to the Union;</p> <p>(b) underwent a virus isolation test for Newcastle disease, carried out in an official laboratory seven to 10 days after their entry into isolation on either cloacal swabs or faeces samples from each bird and in which no avian paramyxovirus type 1 isolates with an Intracerebral Pathogenicity Index (ICPI) of more than 0,4 were found. Favourable results were available from all birds before the eggs left isolation for import to the Union;</p> <p>(c) during the last 30 days prior to and during the laying of the hatching eggs for import to the Union, were not in contact with poultry (including ratites) that does not fulfil the conditions in (a), (b) and (d);</p> <p>(d) come from flocks on which surveillance for Newcastle disease has been carried out under a statistically based sampling plan which produced negative results for at least six months immediately prior to import to the Union.]</p>	
II.4.	<p><b>Animal transport attestation</b></p> <p>I, the undersigned official veterinarian, further certify that the hatching eggs are transported in perfectly clean, disposable boxes used for the first time and which:</p> <p>(a) contain only hatching eggs of the same species, category and type coming from the same establishment;</p> <p>(b) bear the following information in legible writing in at least one Union language:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— the word 'hatching',</li> <li>— the name of the country, territory, zone or compartment of consignment,</li> <li>— the species of ratites concerned,</li> <li>— the number of eggs,</li> <li>— the category and type of production for which they are intended,</li> <li>— the name, address and approval number of the breeding establishment,</li> <li>— the name and address of the establishment of origin,</li> <li>— the date of dispatch,</li> <li>— the Member State of destination;</li> </ul> <p>(c) are closed in accordance with the instructions of the competent authority to avoid any possibility of substitution of the contents.</p> <p>The containers and vehicles in which the boxes mentioned above have been transported have been cleansed and disinfected before loading in accordance with the instructions of the competent authority.</p>	
<b>Notes</b>		
<b>Part I:</b>		
—	Box I.8: Provide the code for the zone or the compartment of origin, if necessary, as defined under code in column 2 of Part 1 of Annex I to Regulation (EC) No 798/2008.	
—	Box I.11: Name, address and approval number of the breeding establishment.	
—	Box I.15: Indicate the registration number(s) of railway wagons and lorries, the names of ships and, if known, the flight numbers of aircraft. In the case of transport in containers or boxes, the total number of these and their registration and where there is a serial number of the seal it has to be indicated in box I.23.	

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<p>— Box I.28 (Category): Select one of the following: Pure line/grandparents/parents/others; (Identification system and Identification number): Introduce the egg mark.</p> <p><b>Part II:</b></p> <p>(<sup>1</sup>) For hatching eggs of ratites of the order Struthioniformes (Casuariidae, Rheidae, Struthionidae).</p> <p>(<sup>2</sup>) Code of the territory as it appears in column 2 of Part 1 of Annex I to Regulation (EC) No 798/2008.</p> <p>(<sup>3</sup>) Keep as appropriate.</p> <p>(<sup>4</sup>) Insert the name of compartment(s).</p> <p>(<sup>5</sup>) Applicable only to the countries with the entry 'III' in column 5 of Part 1 of Annex I to Regulation (EC) No 798/2008. However, this does not apply to hatching eggs of ratites coming from compartments.</p> <p>(<sup>6</sup>) At the time of consignment the eggs must be individually marked in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 617/2008, including the approval number of the breeding establishment, in indelible black ink; such markings must be in legible writing and in at least one Union language.</p> <p>(<sup>7</sup>) Delete if consignment is not intended for Finland or Sweden.</p> <p>(<sup>8</sup>) Complete if appropriate.</p> <p>(<sup>9</sup>) For countries or territories with the entry 'N' in column 6 of Part 1 of Annex I to Regulation (EC) No 798/2008, for hatching eggs of ratites (HER) only, this means that in the case of an outbreak of Newcastle disease as defined in Regulation (EC) No 798/2008 then the country code or territory code shall continue to be used but this will exclude any area under official restrictions, by the third country concerned in relation to Newcastle disease, at the date of issue of this certificate.</p> <p>(<sup>10</sup>) This guarantee is only required for hatching eggs coming from countries, territories or zones with the entry 'X' in column 5 of Part 1 of Annex I to Regulation (EC) No 798/2008.</p> <p>This certificate is valid for 10 days.</p>								
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