### **Export Requirements Notification - Animal Products Act 1999**

# Regulation and Assurance Branch, Animal and Animal Products Directorate, Ministry for Primary Industries

Ref: AE-PK-19L

Date: 11 December 2014

# BIRDOHEC.PK 17 DECEMBER 2014 – DAY-OLD CHICKS AND HATCHING EGGS (POULTRY) TO PAKISTAN

### 1. Statutory authority

Pursuant to section 60, section 60A, section 62(1) and section 167 of the Animal Products Act 1999 I notify the following:

- (i) the issue under section 60 of the export requirements for day-old chicks and hatching eggs (poultry) to Pakistan BIRDOHEC.PK dated 17 December 2014;
- (ii) the determination under section 62(1) of the format and content of the official assurance for day-old chicks and hatching eggs (poultry) to Pakistan;
- (iii) the revocation and replacement of the export requirements for birds (including poultry) dayold and immature chicks to Pakistan BIRDICEC.PAK 20.11.2007.

This notice takes effect from the 17<sup>th</sup> of December 2014.

Dated at Wellington this 15<sup>th</sup> day of December 2014.

Signed: Howard Pharo Manager Import and Export Animals Animal and Animal Products Directorate Regulation and Assurance Branch (acting under delegated authority)

#### 2. Pakistan requirements

Day-old chicks and hatching eggs (poultry) exported from New Zealand to Pakistan must be accompanied by an official assurance in the form of a completed zoosanitary certificate.

The zoosanitary certificate as specified below must be completed and certified, after due enquiry, by an Official Veterinarian of the Ministry for Primary Industries.

## Explanatory note:

If the zoosanitary certificate is not certified then the day-old chicks and hatching eggs do not satisfy the conditions in the notice. Likewise, if the day-old chicks and hatching eggs do not satisfy the zoosanitary requirements in the certificate, then the certificate will not be certified.



## **NEW ZEALAND MINISTRY FOR PRIMARY INDUSTRIES**

ZOOSANITARY	CERTIFICATE			
Commodity:	DAY-OLD CHICKS AND H	DAY-OLD CHICKS AND HATCHING EGGS (POULTRY)		
То:	PAKISTAN			
Exporting Country:	NEW ZEALAND	NEW ZEALAND		
Competent Authorit	ty: MINISTRY FOR PRIMARY	INDUSTRIES		
I: IDENTIF	TICATION OF DAY-OLD CHICK	S / HATCHING EGGS		
Species (common and scientific name)	Commodity Type (Day-old chicks or Hatching eggs)	Description / Identification	Number	
Total number of day	y-old chicks / hatching eggs:			
II: ORIGIN	OF DAY-OLD CHICKS / HATCH	IING EGGS		
Name, address and	approval number of premises of original	n ([source flock / hatchery] *):		
		(* delete	if not applicable)	
	ATION OF DAY-OLD CHICKS / I			
Means and identific	ation of transport:			
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#### IV: SANITARY INFORMATION

VETE	RINARY CERTIFICATE
Minist	, an Official Veterinarian of the New Zealand ry for Primary Industries certify, after due enquiry, with respect to the day-old chicks / hatching eggs bed in this zoosanitary certificate that:
1.	New Zealand is free from Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza and Newcastle disease as defined by the OIE <i>Terrestrial Animal Health Code</i> .
2.	New Zealand is free from fowl typhoid ( <i>Salmonella</i> Gallinarum) and Pullorum disease ( <i>Salmonella</i> Pullorum) as defined by the OIE <i>Terrestrial Animal Health Code</i> .
3.	The flock(s) from which the day-old chicks / hatching eggs originate is free, based on clinical signs, from avian encephalomyelitis, avian leukosis, infectious bronchitis, infectious bursal disease, infectious laryngotracheitis, Marek's disease, mycoplasmosis ( <i>Mycoplasma gallisepticum</i> and <i>Mycoplasma synoviae</i> ) and salmonellosis.
4.	The flock(s) from which the day-old chicks / hatching eggs originate tested negative for salmonellosis ( <i>Salmonella</i> Enteritidis and <i>Salmonella</i> Typhimurium) within 90 (ninety) days prior to egg collection for this shipment.
5.	The farm / premises of origin of the day-old chicks / hatching eggs is not under any official restriction due to infectious or contagious diseases of poultry.
6.	The flock(s) from which the day-old chicks / hatching eggs originate was examined within 90 (ninety) days prior to egg collection for this shipment and showed no clinical signs of disease.
7.	[The hatching eggs were packed into new boxes / packaging for export.] *
8.	[The day-old chicks were hatched in incubators and hatchers which were disinfected and / or fumigated prior to incubation and packed from the incubator into new boxes / packaging for export and there was no contact with any other birds other than day-old chicks of the same health status.] *
9.	[The day-old chicks were inspected within forty eight (48) hours of loading for export and found to be free of clinical signs of poultry diseases.] *
	(* delete if not applicable)
_	ure of Official Veterinarian Official Stamp and Date ry for Primary Industries lealand

Name and Address

NOTE: The Official Veterinarian must sign, date and stamp each page of the veterinary certificate using a different colour ink to the paper and the print, and, where applicable, sign, date and stamp each page of the documents (e.g. laboratory reports) that form part of the extended health certification.

#### **EXPORT CERTIFICATION**

#### (This is not part of the official certification)

**COMMODITY:** DAY-OLD CHICKS AND HATCHING EGGS (POULTRY)

**COUNTRY:** PAKISTAN

**NOTES** This certificate has been updated after publication of the 2013 OIE Terrestrial Animal

Health Code with changes to the Avian Influenza chapter. It replaces the overseas market access requirement dated 20 November 2007 (certificate dated 1 March 2013). It is based on the Import Conditions published in the Gazette of Pakistan, Extra. of 6

October 1980. Approval was given by Pakistan on 10 December 2014.

- 1. An import permit is not required.
- 2. The Ministry for Primary Industries approves a hatchery and its associated source flocks that supply either hatching eggs and / or day-old poultry as an export approved premises. The export approved premises approval number applies to the hatchery and associated source flocks and should be recorded in section II for day-old poultry and for hatching eggs exported directly from the source farm.
- 3. Identification of day-old chicks / hatching eggs: the "Description / Identification" column should be used to enter any identification information or other information that would match the consignment to import documentation.
- 4. Day-old chick means a live poultry chick within the first 72 hours of life or while it has not been fed, whichever period is shorter.
- 5. The commodity type is indicated in the identification table.
  - Clauses that apply to a specific commodity only should not be deleted, unless specifically indicated.
  - Where a clause in the export certificate refers to more than one commodity type, it is taken to apply only to the commodity type indicated in the identification table.
  - Where a clause refers to a commodity type not indicated in the identification table and deletion is not indicated, it is taken to not apply.
- 6. Clauses 4 and 6: egg collection refers to collection of eggs for either setting to export as day-old chicks, or collection for export of hatching eggs. The 90 (ninety) day period prior to egg collection is within 90 (ninety) days of the end of the egg collection period (i.e. the actual egg collection period is included).
- 7. Clause 4: testing for *Salmonella* Enteritidis and *Salmonella* Typhimurium can be by either serological or microbiological means (testing must be done by an Export Laboratory Programme approved laboratory).
- 8. Clause 7 applies to hatching eggs only and should be deleted entirely if not applicable.
- 9. Clauses 8 and 9 apply to day-old chicks only and should be deleted entirely if not applicable.

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Section 61.A of the Animal Products Act 1999 states that 'The Crown is not liable, and nor is the Director-General or any employee of the Ministry liable, for any loss arising through the refusal or failure of the relevant authority of an overseas market to admit export animal material or animal product to that market'.