Overseas Market Access Requirements Notification - Animal Products Act 1999 - Biosecurity New Zealand

Ref: AE-PK 09L Date: 18 August 2005

OMAR B DOMANIEC.PAK 18.08.05 – NON-COMMERCIAL DOGS and CATS to PAKISTAN

1. Statutory authority

Pursuant to section 60 of the Animal Products Act 1999, I notify the following overseas market access requirements, entitled non-commercial dogs and cats to Pakistan.

This notice takes effect from date of signing.

Dated at Wellington on this 22nd day of August 2005.

Signed Karen Sparrow Manager Exports Biosecurity New Zealand (pursuant to delegated authority)

2. Pakistan Requirements

Dogs and cats exported from New Zealand to Pakistan must comply with the import requirements of Pakistan listed in this notice as follows:

2.1 An official veterinarian of New Zealand must certify the following:

2.1.1 New Zealand is officially free from rabies, bovine spongiform encephalopathy (BSE), and foot and mouth disease.

2.1.2 Petfood imported into New Zealand from countries infected with BSE, is certified to have all BSE risk material removed.

2.1.3 The animal/s has been resident in New Zealand for at least 6 months prior to the scheduled date of shipment or since birth.

2.1.4 Within 3 days of the scheduled date of export the animal(s) was treated for ectoparasites using an effective insecticide against fleas and ticks. Date of treatment and active ingredient(s) to be recorded.

2.1.5 Within 3 days of scheduled date of export the animal(s) was treated with an anthelmintic

effective against roundworms and whipworms. Date of treatment and active ingredient to be recorded.

2.1.6 Within 72 hours of the scheduled date of export the animal(s) was examined and found to be fit and healthy to travel.

3. Definitions

For the purposes of this document:

Any term or expression that is defined in the Animal Products Act 1999 and used, but not defined in this document, has the same meaning as in this Act.

Explanatory note

These overseas market access requirements are based on a letter supplied by an exporter in June 2005 from Pakistan Customs, Facilitation Office.

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1. An import permit is not required for non-commercial exports.