

Shipping Birds to the EU...Are You EU Certified?



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What is EU Certification?

- Passed into EU Parliament law in 2020
- Certification granted by veterinary authority (USDA) prior to animals being shipped to any member state in the European Union
- To ensure consignments of birds from the exporting establishment are compliant with regulations set forth by EU
- Inspection must be arranged by exporting party with veterinary authority
- A special certification number will be assigned upon approval by the veterinary authority
- Approved establishments will be inspected 1 time per year.
- Temporary approval can be obtained by zoos for a one time shipment of birds into the EU and transaction must be reported upon successful export so establishment listing can be removed



Main points of inspection:

- Biosecurity: of facilities and isolation (quarantine) area where birds assigned for export are held or will be held for 30 days prior to export, which must be clearly demarcated and separated from day-to-day ops of the establishment
- Record keeping: age, sex, species, origin, medical history, exams and testing and subsequent results, quarantine observations
- Personnel: thorough knowledge of the process, awareness of potential issues and reporting of issues without delay to competent authority
- Overall health status of the establishment: free of HPAI, VND, avian chlamydiosis. Establishment must have ability to perform postmortem examinations or have arrangements PME to be performed by a competent authority



(1.5 minute detailed video included as a separate file)



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APHIS Amends Regulations for Agricultural Quarantine and Inspection (AQI) User Fees in Response to Court Order
Mar 17, 2023, 5:12:08 PM GMT

USDA Extends Public Comment Period for Proposed Enhancements of Animal Disease Traceability Regulations
Mar 17, 2023, 3:00:00 PM GMT

APHIS Seeks Public Comment on the Draft Rangeland Grasshopper and Mormon Cricket Suppression Program Environmental

Establishment Lists

Country:

Chapter: Section:

| Country | Chapter | Section | Establishments | Published on | |
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| Afghanistan | Animal By-Products | ABP-COL Other facility for the collection or handling of animal by-products (i.e. unprocessed/untreated materials) | 26 | 26/05/2022 | <input type="button" value="eye"/> <input type="button" value="down"/> |
| Afghanistan | Animal By-Products | ABP-FSB Processing plants | 6 | 19/05/2022 | <input type="button" value="eye"/> <input type="button" value="down"/> |
| Afghanistan | Food | CAS Treated stomachs, bladders and intestines: casings only | 13 | 21/05/2022 | <input type="button" value="eye"/> <input type="button" value="down"/> |
| Albania | Animal By-Products | ABP-COL Other facility for the collection or handling of animal by-products (i.e. unprocessed/untreated materials) | 6 | 25/05/2022 | <input type="button" value="eye"/> <input type="button" value="down"/> |
| Albania | Animal By-Products | ABP-FSB Processing plants | 45 | 31/05/2022 | <input type="button" value="eye"/> <input type="button" value="down"/> |
| Albania | Food | CAS Treated stomachs, bladders and intestines: casings only | 3 | 12/05/2022 | <input type="button" value="eye"/> <input type="button" value="down"/> |
| Albania | Animal By-Products | ABP-PET Petfood plants (Including plants manufacturing dogchews and flavouring innards) | 3 | 22/12/2021 | <input type="button" value="eye"/> <input type="button" value="down"/> |
| Albania | Food | EPP Eggs and egg products | 6 | 08/12/2021 | <input type="button" value="eye"/> <input type="button" value="down"/> |
| Albania | Food | FLS Frogs' legs and snails | 3 | 07/12/2021 | <input type="button" value="eye"/> <input type="button" value="down"/> |
| Albania | Food | FFP Fishery products | 31 | 01/09/2022 | <input type="button" value="eye"/> <input type="button" value="down"/> |
| Algeria | Animal By-Products | ABP-DP Storage of derived products | 21 | 08/12/2021 | <input type="button" value="eye"/> <input type="button" value="down"/> |
| Algeria | Animal By-Products | ABP-FSB Processing plants | 14 | 10/02/2023 | <input type="button" value="eye"/> <input type="button" value="down"/> |

(40 second detailed video included as a separate file)



Thank you!!

Questions?

