

## Guidelines for the Completion of FSIS Form 9180-17 Series

### Model EQU - Horsemeat

1. <b>Consignor</b> (name and address in full)		<b>VETERINARY CERTIFICATE</b> for fresh meat of domestic solideds ( ),			
Enter full name and address of person or plant in the United States exporting the product.		No ( )	Serial no. of FSIS Form 9060-5		ORIGINAL
2. <b>Consignee</b> (name and address in full)		3. <b>Origin of the meat</b> ( )		Enter "USA"	
Enter full name and address of receiving person or plant in the European Union receiving the product.		3.1 Country .....	Enter "US-0"		
5. <b>Intended destination of the meat</b>		4. <b>Competent authority</b>		Enter "USDA"	
5.1 EU Member State .....	Enter EU Country Name		4.1 Ministry .....	Enter "FSIS"	
5.2 Name, address and approval or registration number of the establishment .....	Enter the Est. Number of the plant in EU to receive the Product		4.2 Service .....	Enter FSIS District Office	
7. <b>Means of transport and consignment identification</b> ( )		6. <b>Place of loading for exportation</b>			
7.1 (Lorry, rail-wagon, ship or aircraft) ( )	For U.S. Shippers, this will always be the ship name or flight no. – cross out "Lorry" and "rail-wagon" – leave "ship" or "aircraft" as appropriate.		Enter the City and State where the export is staged		
7.2 Registration number(s), ship name or flight number .....	Leave blank		7.3 Consignment identification details ( )		
8. <b>Identification of the meat</b>		Enter "Equine"			
8.1 Meat from .....	Enter "Equine"		(animal species)		
8.2 Temperature conditions of the meat included in this consignment: chilled/frozen ( )	Cross out chilled or frozen as appropriate				
8.3 Individual identification of the meat included in this consignment	Cross out chilled or frozen as appropriate				
Nature of cuts ( )	Approval number of the establishments			Number of packages/pieces	Net weight (kg)
	Slaughterhouse	Cutting plant	Cold store		
e.g. – Frozen (dd/mm/yy) "Equine" loins	Enter Est. No. of slaughter plant	If cutting performed in different plant, enter cutting plant Est. no. – otherwise leave blank	Enter CS Est. No. if used or leave blank	Enter number of containers or carcasses per product	Enter total net wt. in kilograms per product
Total				Enter total number of containers in shipment	Enter total net weight of shipment
9. <b>Public health attestation</b>					
I, the undersigned official veterinarian, hereby certify that:					
9.1	the fresh meat has been obtained, prepared, handled and stored under the health conditions governing production and control laid down in European Community legislation ( ) and it is, therefore, considered as such to be fit for human consumption;				
9.2	the fresh meat, or the packages of meat, bear an official health mark to the effect that the meat has been wholly dressed and inspected in the establishments indicated under point 8.3 that are approved for exportation to the European Community;				
9.3	the means of transport and the loading conditions of this consignment meet the hygiene requirements laid down in European Community legislation ( );				
9.4	with regard to trichinosis, the fresh meat:				
( )	[has been subject to an examination by a digestion method ( ) with negative results;]				
( ) and/or	[has been subject to a cold treatment, according to European Community legislation ( ).]				
9.4 – Cross out the trichinae treatment not used. If frozen to meet 9 CFR 318.10, it meets EC legislation.					

