



BULK RENDERED, DRY INEDIBLE PRODUCTS FROM USA (NON PROHIBITED MEAL MATERIAL ONLY, INCLUDES FISH MEAL)

ZOOSANITARY EXPORT CERTIFICATE

Each shipment must be accompanied by an ORIGINAL export certificate endorsed by a full-time, salaried veterinarian of either the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Food Safety and Inspection Service (FSIS) or Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) or from the United States Food and Drug Administration (FDA) or from the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) certifying that:

- 1) The (indicate name of products) covered by this export certificate and import permit #A (indicate import permit number) were only produced at (indicate name and address of the producer as identified in the import permit) and were only exported to Canada from (indicate name and address of the producer/exporter as identified in the import permit); AND
- 2) The producing/exporting facility(ies) DOES NOT receive, store or process any ruminants* and things derived from them and that the product has been prepared, processed, stored and otherwise handled in a manner to avoid contamination with any of the following ruminant tissues, specified risk materials (SRM):
 - a. the skull including the brain, trigeminal ganglia and eyes, dorsal root ganglia, the spinal cord and the vertebral column, excluding the vertebrae of the tail, the transverse processes of the thoracic and lumbar vertebrae, and the wings of the sacrum, from all bovine animals aged 30 months or older;
 - b. and the distal ileum and tonsils from bovine animals of all ages

*Ruminant means an animal of the subfamily *Bovinae* and *Caprinae* and includes: cattle, buffalo, bison, sheep, and goats and their exotics relatives. **Ruminants and things derived from them of Canadian origin or from a Category 1 (negligible BSE risk) country are exempted from this prohibition and are permitted within the establishment.**

and

- 3) The moisture content is less than 12% (It is considered a dry product if the moisture content is less than 12%; this indicates that the product has been adequately processed to negate micro organisms of concern).

A statement from the renderer for non prohibited material must accompany each shipment and must indicate the name and address of the rendering plant that produced the product, the date of production (range), and the moisture content is less than 12% and that the plant does not handle prohibited material.



The imported product does not contain any PROHIBITED MATERIAL as defined by Section 162 of the Health of Animals Regulations. This product may be used in the manufacture of feed for ruminant.

Records of the name and address of any place to which the imported product is sold or distributed must be maintained for **ten (10)** years following importation. These records must be made available for inspection by the Canadian Food Inspection Agency upon request.

1) Every person who imports or has the possession, care or control of any product of a rendering plant shall keep a record of (a) the name and address of the rendering plant and the date of production of the product; (b) the name and address of the exporter; (c) the name and quantity of, and any other information that is sufficient to identify, the product; (d) the name and address of any person to whom any product is distributed or sold and the information referred to in paragraph (c) with respect to that product; and (e) whether or not the product is, or contains any, prohibited material.

IMPORTANT - Importation of ruminant derived ingredients have been suspended. Please refer to the CFIA website : Update to Import Restrictions - United States

<http://www.inspection.gc.ca/english/anima/heasan/disemala/bseesb/americ/imprestricte.shtml>

And the BSE Import Policy

<http://www.inspection.gc.ca/english/anima/heasan/policy/ie-2005-9e.shtml>

And the Import Policy for Small Ruminants for a full list of affected commodities

<http://www.inspection.gc.ca/english/anima/heasan/policy/ie-2007-5e.shtml>