

**MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE FORESTRY AND FISHERIES
SAINT LUCIA**

**CONDITIONS TO IMPORT HATCHING EGGS/DAY OLD CHICKS INTO
SAINT LUCIA**

1. There should not have been an outbreak of Viscerotropic Velogenic Newcastle Disease (VVND) or notifiable Avian Influenza (NAI) in the country or state of origin in the last twelve (12) months.
2. The hatching eggs or chicks are accompanied by a health certificate signed by the Veterinary Authority of the respected country stating that:
 - a) The eggs, wrappings and containers have been inspected and are free from particulate matter, cracks, flies and other extraneous substances.
 - b) Chicks selected are of first class quality and vaccinated against Marek's disease
3. In addition there should not have been any clinical abnormalities in the breeding flock(s) from which these eggs were derived, within 48 hours of egg collection.
4. The breeding flock(s) and their parent flock(s) must be registered and/or officially recognized and in good standing with the statutory authority of the country of origin of these hatching or eggs.
5. The flock (s) must be certified, tested and/or free of the following diseases:

Infectious Bursal Disease (IBD)	Pasteurellosis
Avian Encephalomyelitis (AE)	Marek Disease (MD)
Complicated CRD (colibacillosis mycosis)	Infectious Reovirus
Adenoviral Infections	Chlamydiosis
Infectious Bronchitis (IB)	Salmonellosis
Infectious Laryngotracheitis (IL)	
Chronic Respiratory Disease (CRD)	
6. Where the parent flocks, hatching eggs or day old chicks are tested, treated or inoculated, the dates type of test employed, treatments and vaccines used must be certified, stated and communicated to the Veterinary Authority, prior to the granting of the import permit.
7. The eggs or chicks must be landed at the Hewanorra international Airport or George F L Charles Airport or the Sea Ports of Castries and Vieux Fort.
8. The eggs or chicks and their accompanying documents must be examined by an approved representative of the Veterinary and Livestock Services Division before they are released to the Importer.

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ACCREDITED VETERINARIAN

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FLOCK INSPECTION DATE

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CHIEF VETERINARY OFFICER

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