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| U.S. Department of AgricultureAnimal and Plant Health Inspection ServiceVeterinary Services | **U.S. ORIGIN HEALTH CERTIFICATE FOR THE EXPORT OF HORSES FROM****THE UNITED STATES TO CANADA** | OMB Approved0579-0020EXP XX/XX |
| [ ]  PERMANENT EXPORT [ ] TEMPORARY EXPORT (\*NOTE BELOW) |
| NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNOR | NAME AND ADDRESS OF PLACE OF ORIGIN | NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE |
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| **CERTIFICATION STATEMENTS** |
|  | 1. | The animal was, to the best of my knowledge and belief of the issuing veterinarian, not exposed to any communicable disease within 60 days proceeding the date of inspection. |
|  | 2. | The animal identified below was inspected within 30 days prior to export and found to be healthy and free from evidence of communicable diseases and exposure thereto; |
| **Either *(Check Appropriate Box)*** |
| [ ]  | 3. | The animal has resided in the United States or Canada since birth; |
| [ ]  | 4. | The animal has met all of the import requirements of the United States and has resided in the United States for the past 60 days; |
| [ ]  | 5. | The horse has resided in the United States for less than 60 days and is accompanied by a health certificate from each country in which the horse has resided during the 60 days prior to entry into Canada; |
|  | 6. | The animal was tested negative for equine infectious anemia using the [ ]  agar gel immunodiffusion (Coggins) test or [ ]  ELISA at: |
| Name of Laboratory | Date Blood Sample Drawn | Sample Drawn by Me or (Enter Name of Accredited | State Accredited In |
| Laboratory Accession No. | HEALTH CERTIFICATE NUMBER |
| Issuing Veterinarian | Endorsing Federal Veterinarian |
| Signature | Signature and Seal |
| Name (Type or Print) | Date | Name | Date |
| \*\* Health Certificate valid for 30 days from the date of issuance | Valid only if the USDA Veterinary Seal appears over the signature of the endorsing Federal Veterinarian and health certificate number. |
| White Markings and Whorls Must be Shown!Please ensure that diagram and written description agree. |
| Name | Breed | Age | Color | Sex |
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| **Written Description:** |
| HEAD | LIMBS |
| LF | RF |
| BODY |
| ACQUIRED MARKS (scars, tattoos, etc.) | LH | RH |
| Instructions: Mark the diagram with the exact position of any distinguishing marks, scars or brands. Brands to be drawn in position. Scars to be marked and indicated with an arrow (->). Stars or blazes on the face and any other markings to be drawn in on the diagrams showing position shape as accurately as possible. Whorls should be marked with a (X). If no markings – this fact should be stated.  |
| **\*NOTE: The original copy of the health certificate must remain with the horse if the horse is being temporarily exported. Any clearance by Customs, such as a stamp, must be affixed on the reverse side of the original health certificate. Horses temporarily exported to Canada must return within 30 days of the date of issuance of the health certificate. Exhibition horses must return 90 days from entry into Canada.****\*\*NOTE: The date of issuance must be the date of veterinary inspection.**Exporter must furnish four (4) copies for USDA endorsement. The original and two (2) copies accompany the shipment, the fourth copy is for the AVIC's office. |

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