

Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine

Trader Notice MH 10/2022

To: All operators of DAFM-approved meat establishments

Subject: Agreement with Cambodia on beef, pigmeat and sheepmeat exports

Background

Agreement has been reached with the competent authority in the Kingdom of Cambodia on a veterinary health certificate to accompany exports to that country of fresh/chilled/frozen meat, minced meat, meat preparations and meat products derived from cattle, sheep and swine.

Role of Food Business Operators (FBOs)

Eligible product can be exported from any establishment approved by the Department of Agriculture, Food & the Marine to handle bovine, ovine or porcine meat.

Exported product must comply with EU rules but it is not necessary to create a specific SOP on certification requirements to commence trade with Cambodia.

FBOs are advised that:

- an import licence is required for each consignment which must be presented for inspection on arrival in Cambodia: and
- imported product must satisfy the provisions of PRAKAS No. 178 and Notification letter No. 3525 – see embedded documents below.



Notification No.178 - Procedure of Anim



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No_3525_ENG.pdf

It is recommended that exporters verify the full set of import requirements with their foreign customers, who are normally best equipped to research such matters with local authorities, before any product is shipped.

Veterinary Health Certificate

A specimen copy of the health certificate (VHC), which is effective immediately, is published with this notice.

Copies of the VHC, printed on secure stationery, will be made available to certifying officers on request through the usual channels.

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