

MPI Animal Exports Team are aware of issues with these particular Overseas Market Access Requirements (OMARS), however exports may be possible.

If you are planning an export with one of these OMARS please contact MPI Animal Exports team to discuss the implications of the requirements as soon as possible.

## **Overseas Market Access Requirements Notification - Animal Products Act 1999**

### **Regulation & Assurance Branch, Animal and Animal Products Directorate, Ministry for Primary Industries**

Ref: AE-KR-35

Date: 8 May 2017

### **AQUANI.KR 15 MAY 2017 – AQUATIC ANIMALS (NOT FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION) TO THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA**

#### **1. Statutory authority**

Pursuant to section 60, section 60A, section 62(1) and section 167 of the Animal Products Act 1999 I notify the following:

(i) the issue under section 60 of the export requirements for Aquatic Animals (not for human consumption) to the Republic of Korea AQUANI.KR dated 15 May 2017;

(ii) the determination under section 62(1) of the format and content of the official assurance for Aquatic Animals (not for human consumption) to the Republic of Korea.

This notice takes effect from the 15<sup>th</sup> of May 2017.

Dated at Wellington this 9<sup>th</sup> day of May 2017.

Signed: Howard Pharo  
Manager Import and Export Animals  
Animal and Animal Products Directorate  
Regulation and Assurance Branch  
(acting under delegated authority)

#### **2. Republic of Korea requirements**

Aquatic animals (not for human consumption) to the Republic of Korea must be accompanied by an official assurance in the form of a completed zoosanitary certificate.

The zoosanitary certificate as specified below must be completed and certified, after due enquiry, by an Official Veterinarian of the Ministry for Primary Industries.

#### **Explanatory note:**

If the zoosanitary certificate is not certified then the aquatic animals (not for human consumption) do not satisfy the conditions in the notice. Likewise, if the aquatic animals (not for human consumption) do not satisfy the zoosanitary requirements in the certificate, then the certificate will not be certified.



Certificate No: .....

**NEW ZEALAND MINISTRY FOR PRIMARY INDUSTRIES**

**ZOOSANITARY CERTIFICATE**

Commodity: AQUATIC ANIMALS FOR CULTURE/BREEDING, ORNAMENTAL OR RESEARCH/INVESTIGATION PURPOSES

To: REPUBLIC OF KOREA

Exporting Country: NEW ZEALAND

Competent Authority: MINISTRY FOR PRIMARY INDUSTRIES

Import Permit number: .....

**I. IDENTIFICATION OF ANIMALS**

Species (scientific name)	Common name	Description / Identification marks	Origin (indicate "wild" or "farmed")

Total number of aquatic animals: .....

Use: ☐ Culture/breeding ☐ Ornamental ☐ Research and investigation

**II. ORIGIN OF ANIMALS**

Name and address of consignor: .....

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Premises of origin of aquatic animals: .....

**III. DESTINATION OF ANIMALS**

Name and address of consignee: .....

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Means of transport: .....

Container and Seal Numbers: .....

Port of Loading: .....

Date of Loading: .....

#### IV. SANITARY INFORMATION

##### VETERINARY CERTIFICATE

I, ....., being an Official Veterinarian of the New Zealand Ministry for Primary Industries certify, after due enquiry, with respect to the aquatic animals identified in the zoosanitary certificate that:

The aquatic animals:

1. are of New Zealand origin
2. are from aquaculture facilities / premises operating in accordance with New Zealand law
3. are not subject to any prohibitions due to unresolved increased mortality
4. were free from the following diseases:

Yellow Head Disease	Spring Viremia of Carp
Koi Herpesvirus Disease	Red Sea Bream Iridoviral Disease
Viral Haemorrhagic Septicaemia	Epizootic Ulcerative Syndrome
Taura Syndrome	White Spot Disease
Infection with <i>Perkinsus marinus</i>	
5. were examined by an Official Veterinarian within forty-eight (48) hours prior to export and found to be free from clinical signs of disease and fit to travel.

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Signature of Official Veterinarian  
Ministry for Primary Industries

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Official Stamp and Date

.....  
Name and Address

**NOTE: The Official Veterinarian must sign, date and stamp each page of the veterinary certificate using a different colour ink to the paper and the print, and, where applicable, sign, date and stamp each page of the documents (e.g. laboratory reports) that form part of the extended health certification.**

**EXPORT CERTIFICATION**

**(This is not part of the official certification)**

**COMMODITY:** AQUATIC ANIMALS (NOT FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION)

**COUNTRY:** REPUBLIC OF KOREA

**NOTES:** This is a new export certificate. It was approved by the National Fishery Products Quality Management Service (NFQS) of the Ministry of Oceans and Fisheries (MOF) in a letter dated 20 March 2017.

1. An import permit is required.
2. The term “aquatic animals” means live fish, shellfish and crustaceans.
3. Live animals must be transported in containers that meet IATA Live Animals Regulations requirements for the species.

**Section 61A Animal Products Act 1999 states that 'The Crown is not liable, and nor is the Director-General or any employee of the Ministry liable, for any loss arising through the refusal or failure of the relevant authority of an overseas market to admit export animal material or animal product to that market'**