MODEL ANIMAL HEALTH CERTIFICATE FOR THE ENTRY INTO THE UNION OF AQUATIC ANIMALS INTENDED FOR CERTAIN AQUACULTURE ESTABLISHMENTS, FOR RELEASE INTO THE WILD OR FOR OTHER PURPOSES, EXCLUDING HUMAN CONSUMPTION (MODEL 'AQUA-ENTRY-ESTAB/RELEASE/OTHER')

COU	COUNTRY UNITED STATES				Animal health certificate to the EU			
	I.1	Consignor/Exporter		I.2	Certificate reference	I.2a IMSOC reference		
		Name						
		Address		I.3	Central Competent Authority	QR CODE		
		Country	ISO country code	I.4	Local Competent Authority			
t	I.5	Consignee/Importer Name		I.6	Operator responsible for the co Name	nsignment		
Part I: Description of consignment		Address			Address			
onsig		Country	ISO country code		Country	ISO country code		
of c	I.7	Country of origin	ISO country code	I.9	Country of destination	ISO country code		
) U	I.8	Region of origin	Code	I.10	Region of destination	Code		
ptic	I.11	Place of dispatch		I.12	Place of destination			
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urt I:		Country ISO	country code		Country	ISO country code		
ß	I.13	Place of loading		I.14	Date and time of departure			
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I.24	Total number of	of packages	I.25	Total quantity	I.26 Total net we	ight/gross	weight (kg)
I.27	Description of	consignment					
CN code	Species	Subspecies/Catego	ory	Nature of commodity	Type of packaging	Age	Quantity
					Number of packages		Net weight
					Approval or registration number of plant/establishment/centre		

	II. Health information			Certificate reference				
			II.a		II.b	IMSOC reference		
	I, the undersigned	ed official veterinarian, h	official veterinarian, hereby certify:					
		ling to official information al health requirements:	on, the ac	quatic animals referred t	o in Box	I.27 of Part I meet the		
	II.1.1.	subject to national rest occurrence of abnorma listed diseases referred	originate from ⁽¹⁾ [an establishment] ⁽¹⁾ [a habitat] which is not striction measures for animal health reasons or because of the al mortalities with an undetermined cause, including the relevant ed to in Annex I to Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) nt for the species and emerging diseases.					
	II.1.2.	eradication of diseases	, includi	ended to be killed unde ng the relevant listed dis tion (EU) 2020/692 and	seases ref	erred to in Annex I to		
	⁽¹⁾ [II.2. The aq	⁽¹⁾ [II.2. The aquaculture animals referred to in Box I.27 of Part I meet the following requirements:						
		They come from an aqua and under the control of, and has a system in place to-date records containin	the comp to main	betent authority of the th tain and to keep for a po	ird count	ry or territory of origin		
ication		(i) the species, ca establishment;		and number of aquacult	ture anim	als on the aquaculture		
Part II: Certification		(ii) movements o aquaculture es		e animals into, and aq nent;	uaculture	e animals out of, the		
rt III:		(iii) mortality in th	e aquacı	lture establishment.				
Раі		They come from an aquivisits from a veterinariar indicative of the relevant Regulation (EU) 2020/69 to the risk posed by the a	n for the listed di 02 and of	purpose of the detection seases referred to in Ann emerging diseases, at a	n of, and nex I to C	information on, signs commission Delegated		
	II.3. General h	ealth requirements						
	The aquatic anim	nals referred to in Box I.		_		-		
	II.3.1.	⁽¹⁾ [compartment] with o is listed in Part 1 of	code: Annex	nate from a ⁽¹⁾ [cou ⁽²⁾ which, at the XXI to Commission In the Union of certain spec	e date of	ting Regulation (EU)		
	II.3.2.	Regulation (EU) 2020 During the inspection transmissible disease	/692 wit n, the a and, ac	nspection in accordance hin a period of 72 hour aquatic animals show cording to the relevan lication of disease probl	rs prior to ed no c nt record	o the time of loading. linical symptoms of		
	II.3.3.	•		y from the establishmer	-			
	II.3.4.	They have not been in	contact	with aquatic animals of	a lower h	nealth status.		
	(1) either [II.4 .	Specific health require	rements					

⁽¹⁾[II.4.1. Requirements for ⁽³⁾listed species for Epizootic haematopoietic necrosis, Infection with Mikrocytos mackini, Infection with Perkinsus marinus, Infection with Taura syndrome virus and Infection with yellow head virus

The aquatic animals of the consignment described in Box I.27 originate from a $^{(1)}$ [country] $^{(1)}$ [territory] $^{(1)}$ [zone] $^{(1)}$ [compartment] declared free from $^{(1)}$ [Epizootic haematopoietic necrosis] $^{(1)}$ [Infection with Mikrocytos mackini] $^{(1)}$ [Infection with Perkinsus marinus] $^{(1)}$ [Infection with Taura syndrome virus] $^{(1)}$ [Infection with yellow head virus] in accordance with conditions which are at least as stringent as those set out in Article 66 or in Article 73(1) and Article 73(2)(a) of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/689 C and where all $^{(3)}$ listed species for the relevant disease(s):

- (i) are introduced from another ⁽¹⁾[country] ⁽¹⁾[territory] ⁽¹⁾[zone] ⁽¹⁾[compartment] which has been declared free from the same disease(s);
- (ii) are not vaccinated against ⁽¹⁾[that] ⁽¹⁾[those] disease(s).]
- (1)(4) [II.4.2. Requirements for (3)listed species for Viral haemorrhagic septicaemia (VHS), Infectious haematopoietic necrosis (IHN), infection with HPR-deleted infectious salmon anaemia virus (ISAV), infection with Marteilia refringens, infection with Bonamia exitiosa, infection with Bonamia ostreae, and infection with White spot syndrome virus

The aquatic animals of the consignment described in Box I.27 originate from a ⁽¹⁾[country] ⁽¹⁾[territory] ⁽¹⁾[zone] ⁽¹⁾[compartment] declared free from ⁽¹⁾[Viral haemorrhagic septicaemia (VHS)] ⁽¹⁾[Infectious haematopoietic necrosis (IHN)] ⁽¹⁾[infection with HPR-deleted infectious salmon anaemia virus (ISAV)] ⁽¹⁾[infection with Marteilia refringens] ⁽¹⁾[infection with Bonamia exitiosa] ⁽¹⁾[infection with Bonamia ostreae] ⁽¹⁾[infection with White spot syndrome virus] in accordance with Part II, Chapter 4, of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/689 and where all ⁽³⁾listed species for the relevant disease(s):

- (i) are introduced from another ⁽¹⁾[country] ⁽¹⁾[territory] ⁽¹⁾[zone] ⁽¹⁾[compartment] which has been declared free from the same disease(s);
- (ii) are not vaccinated against ⁽¹⁾[that] ⁽¹⁾[those] disease(s).]
- ⁽¹⁾⁽⁵⁾ [II.4.3. Requirements for ⁽⁶⁾species susceptible to infection with Spring viraemia of carp virus (SVC), Bacterial Kidney disease (BKD), infection with Infectious pancreatic necrosis virus (IPN), infection with Gyrodactylus salaris (GS), infection with Salmonid alphavirus (SAV) infection with Ostreid herpes virus 1 µvar (OsHV-1 µvar) and ⁽³⁾species susceptible to Koi herpes virus disease

The aquatic animals of the consignment described in Box I.27 originate from a ⁽¹⁾[country] ⁽¹⁾[territory] ⁽¹⁾[zone] ⁽¹⁾[compartment] which fulfils the health guarantees as regards ⁽¹⁾[SVC], ⁽¹⁾[BKD], ⁽¹⁾[IPN], ⁽¹⁾[G.salaris], ⁽¹⁾[SAV], ⁽¹⁾[OsHV-1 µvar], ⁽¹⁾[KHV], which are necessary to comply with the national measures which apply in the Member State of destination in accordance with Article 175 of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692, and for which the Member State or part thereof, is listed in ⁽¹⁾[Annex I] ⁽¹⁾[Annex II] to Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2021/260^D.]

⁽¹⁾or [II.4. Specific health requirements

The aquatic animals referred to in Box I.27 of Part I are aquatic animals destined for a confined establishment fulfilling the requirements of Article 9 of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) $2020/691^{\frac{10}{2}}$ where they are to be used for research purposes.]

⁽¹⁾or [II.4. Specific health requirements

The aquatic animals referred to in Box I.27 of Part I are wild aquatic animals which, ⁽¹⁾[have been subject to quarantine in an establishment approved for that purpose by the competent authority in the ⁽¹⁾[country] ⁽¹⁾[territory] of origin in accordance with Article 15 of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/691.]⁽¹⁾[will be subject to quarantine in an establishment which is approved for that purpose in accordance with Article 15 of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/691.] To the best of my knowledge, and as declared by the operator, the animals in the consignment II.5. show no symptoms of disease and come from ⁽¹⁾[an establishment] ⁽¹⁾[a habitat] where: (i) there were no abnormal mortalities with an undetermined cause; and (ii) the aquatic animals have not been in contact with kept animals of ⁽³⁾listed species which did not comply with the requirements referred to in point II.1. II.6. **Transport requirements** Arrangements have been made to transport the aquatic animals referred to in Box I.27 of Part I in accordance with the requirements laid down in Articles 167 and 168 of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692 and specifically that: II.6.1. the aquatic animals are dispatched directly from the establishment of origin to the Union and are not unloaded from their container when transported by air, sea, railway or by road; II.6.2. the water in which they are transported is not changed in a third country or territory, zone or compartment which is not listed for entry of the particular species and category of aquatic animals into the Union; II.6.3. the animals are not transported under conditions that jeopardise their health status, in particular: (i) when the animals are transported in water, it does not alter their health status; (ii) the means of transport and the containers are constructed in such a way that the health status of the aquatic animals is not jeopardised during transportation; (iii) the ⁽¹⁾[container] ⁽¹⁾[well-boat] is previously unused or cleaned and disinfected, in accordance with a protocol and with products approved by the competent authority of the ⁽¹⁾[third country] ⁽¹⁾[territory] of origin, prior to loading for dispatch to the Union; from the time of loading at the establishment of origin until the time of arrival in the II.6.4. Union, the animals in the consignment are not transported in the same water or ⁽¹⁾ [container]⁽¹⁾ [well-boat] together with aquatic animals which are of a lower health status or which are not intended for entry into the Union; where a water exchange is necessary in a ⁽¹⁾ [third country] ⁽¹⁾ [territory] ⁽¹⁾ [zone] ⁽¹⁾ II.6.5. [compartment] which is listed for entry of the particular species and category of aquatic animals into the Union, it only occurs ⁽¹⁾[in the case of transport on land, at water exchange points approved by the competent authority of the ⁽¹⁾ [third country] ⁽¹⁾ [territory] where the water exchange takes place.] ⁽¹⁾[in the case of transport by wellboat, at a distance which is at least 10 km from any aquaculture establishments which are located en-route from the place of origin to the place of destination in the Union.] II.7. Labelling requirements Arrangements have been made to identify and label the ⁽¹⁾ [means of transport] ⁽¹⁾[containers] in

Arrangements have been made to identify and label the ⁽¹⁾ [means of transport] ⁽¹⁾[containers] in accordance with Articles 169(1) and 169(2) of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692 and specifically that:

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- II.7.1. the consignment is identified by ⁽¹⁾[a legible and visible label on the exterior of the container] ⁽¹⁾[an entry in the ships manifest when transported by well-boat,] which clearly links the consignment to this animal health certificate;
- II.7.2. the legible and visible label will contain at least the following information:
 - (a) the number of containers in the consignment;
 - (b) the name of the species present in each container;
 - (c) the number of animals in each container for each of the species present;
 - (d) the purpose for which the animals are intended.

II.8. Validity of the animal health certificate

This animal health certificate is valid for a period of 10 days from the date of issuing. In the case of transport by waterway/sea of aquatic animals, this period of 10 days may be extended by the duration of the journey by waterway/sea.

Notes

In accordance with the Agreement on the withdrawal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland from the European Union and the European Atomic Energy Community, and in particular Article 5(4) of the Protocol on Ireland / Northern Ireland in conjunction with Annex 2 to that Protocol, references to European Union in this certificate include the United Kingdom in respect of Northern Ireland.

'Aquatic animals' are animals as defined in Article 4, point (3), of Regulation (EU) 2016/429.

'Aquaculture animals' are aquatic animals which are subject to aquaculture as defined in Article 4, point (7) of Regulation (EU) 2016/429.

This animal health certificate is intended for entry into the Union of aquatic animals for the purposes indicated in its title, including when the Union is not the final destination of those animals.

This animal health certificate shall not be used for the entry into the Union of aquatic animals intended for human consumption in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 853/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council ^H and Commission Regulation (EC) No 2073/2005 , including those animals which are intended for the following aquaculture establishments:

- (i) a disease control aquatic food establishment as defined in point (52) of Article 4 of Regulation (EU) 2016/429, or
- (ii) a dispatch centre as defined in point (3) of Article 2 of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/691.

For those aquatic animals, the model certificate FISH-CRUST-HC, as set out in Chapter 28 of Annex III to Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2020/2235 ^F, or MOL-HC as set out in Chapter 31 of Annex III to that Regulation, must be used, as relevant.

This animal health certificate shall be completed according to notes for the completion of certificates provided for in Chapter 4 of Annex I to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2020/2235.

Part II:

- ⁽¹⁾ Keep if appropriate/ delete if not applicable. In the case of Part II.4.1, deletion is not permitted if the consignment contains listed species for Epizootic haematopoietic necrosis, Infection with Mikrocytos mackini, Infection with Perkinsus marinus, Infection with Taura syndrome virus or Infection with yellow head virus.
 ⁽²⁾ Code of the third country/ territory/zone/compartment as it appears in column 2 of Part 1 of Annex XXI
- ⁽²⁾ Code of the third country/ territory/zone/compartment as it appears in column 2 of Part 1 of Annex XXI to Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404.

(3)	Listed species as referred to in columns 3 and 4 of the table in the Annex to Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2018/1882 ^G . Vector species listed in column 4 of that table shall only be regarded as vectors if they fulfil the conditions set out in Annex XXX to Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692. Applicable in all cases when aquatic animals are to be released into the wild in the Union or when the Member State of destination either has disease-free status for a category C disease as defined in Article 1, point (3), of Implementing Regulation (EU) 2018/1882 or is subject to an optional eradication
(5)	programme established in accordance with Article 31(2) of Regulation (EU) 2016/429. Only applicable when the Member State of destination or part thereof, has approved national measures for a specific disease as listed in Annex I or Annex II to Implementing Decision (EU) 2021/260 otherwise delete.
(6)	Species listed in column 2 of the table in Annex III to Implementing Decision (EU) 2021/260.
Europo after e	mission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692 of 30 January 2020 supplementing Regulation (EU) of the can Parliament and of the Council as regards rules for entry into the Union, and the movement and handling ntry of consignments of certain animals, germinal products and products of animal origin (OJ L 174 20, p. 379).
territor animal	mission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 of 24 March 2021 laying down the lists of third countries ies or zones thereof from which the entry into the Union of animals, germinal products and products or origin is permitted in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2016/429 of the European Parliament and of th il (OJ L 114, 31.3.2021, p. 1).
<mark>2016/4</mark>	mission Implementing Decision (EU) 2020/689 of 17 December 2019 supplementing Regulation (EU 29 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards rules for surveillance, eradicatio mmes, and disease-free status for certain listed and emerging diseases (OJ L 174, 3.6.2020, p.211).
to limi 2016/4	mission Implementing Decision (EU) 2021/260 of 11 February 2021 approving national measures designe t the impact of certain diseases of aquatic animals in accordance with Article 226(3) of Regulation (EU 29 of the European Parliament and of the Council and repealing Commission Decision 2010/221/EU (O 9.2.2021, p. 1).
<mark>2016/4</mark>	mission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/691 of 30 January 2020 supplementing Regulation (EU 29 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards rules for aquaculture establishments an orters of aquatic animals, (OJ L 174, 3.6.2020, p.345).
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disease	mission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2018/1882 of 3 December 2018 on the application of certain e prevention and control rules to categories of listed diseases and establishing a list of species and group cies posing a considerable risk for the spread of those listed diseases (OJ L 308, 4.12.2018, p. 21).
	llation (EC) No 853/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 29 April 2004 laying dow c hygiene rules for food of animal origin (OJ L 139, 30.4.2004, p. 55).
	nission Regulation (EC) No 2073/2005 of 15 November 2005 on microbiological criteria for foodstuf. 338, 22.12.2005, p.1.).

Certificate model AQUA-ENTRY-ESTAB/RELEASE/OTHER

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Official veterinarian	
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