



**VETERINARY HEALTH CERTIFICATE  
FOR THE EXPORT OF BOVINE SEMEN TO YEMEN**

**Exporting Country:** CANADA

**Competent Authority:** CANADIAN FOOD INSPECTION AGENCY  
GOVERNMENT OF CANADA

**SECTION I - ORIGIN AND DESTINATION OF THE SEMEN**

**i) Name of consignor:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**ii) Name of consignee:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**iii) Semen production centre(s) and address(es):** \_\_\_\_\_

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**iv) Markings on official seal applied to shipping container:** \_\_\_\_\_

**SECTION II - SANITARY CERTIFICATION**

I, the undersigned Veterinarian, duly authorized by the Government of Canada do hereby certify that:

1. The semen was:
  - 1.1 collected from a donor bull which has been tested immediately preceding entry into the semen production centre and confirmed to be negative for tuberculosis, brucellosis, leptospirosis, paratuberculosis, enzootic bovine leucosis, bluetongue, epizootic haemorrhagic disease, trichomoniasis and campylobacteriosis; and
  - 1.2 collected from a donor bull which has been resident at least thirty (30) days at a semen production centre which is officially approved and supervised by the Canadian Food Inspection Agency; and
  - 1.3 processed and continuously stored at an approved semen production centre in compliance with the World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE) standards.
2. The donor bull is maintained in semen collection centre where natural service is not authorized and was healthy at the time of collection of the semen.
3. The donor bull is recognized to be free of tuberculosis, brucellosis, leptospirosis, paratuberculosis, enzootic bovine leucosis, bluetongue, epizootic haemorrhagic disease, trichomoniasis, campylobacteriosis and bovine virus diarrhea based on regularly scheduled testing performed at the centre by the Canadian Food Inspection Agency on the following basis:
  - 3.1 at intervals of six (6) months, they are tested for bluetongue, brucellosis, leptospirosis, epizootic haemorrhagic disease and enzootic bovine leucosis;
  - 3.2 at intervals of twelve (12) months they are tested for campylobacteriosis, trichomoniasis, tuberculosis and paratuberculosis;
  - 3.3 all animals resident in the semen production centre are officially free of bovine virus diarrhea based on testing by immunoperoxidase with negative results after having attained six (6) months of age and following their entry into the pre-entry isolation facility of the centre.
4. The donor bull has been tested for IBR/IPV with negative result either by Elisa on serum or by virus isolation on semen.
4. The semen has been stored under approved conditions for a minimum of thirty (30) days post collection and during this period, the donor bull has remained free of evidence of infectious or contagious disease.
5. Antibiotics have been added to the semen in compliance with the OIE standards.
6. Canada is recognized to be free of foot and mouth disease, rinderpest, contagious bovine pleuropneumonia, lumpy skin disease and Rift Valley fever.

