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EXPORT OF PIG MEAT / PIG MEAT PRODUCTS TO DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO

HEALTH CERTIFICATE

No: .....

EXPORTING COUNTRY: UNITED KINGDOM

FOR COMPLETION BY: OFFICIAL VETERINARIAN

**I Identification of consignment**

- (a) Description of the products:.....
- (b) Type and number of packages:.....
- (c) Net and gross weight of consignment:.....  
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- (d) Seal number on container:.....
- (e) Container number:.....
- (f) Veterinary approval number of final plant of production:.....  
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**II Origin of products**

- (a) Name, address and veterinary approval number of the slaughterhouse(s)  
of origin:.....  
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Slaughter date or period:.....
- (b) Name, address and veterinary approval number of the cutting plant(s):  
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Processing date or period:.....
- (c) Name, address and approval number of the cold store:  
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Storage date or period:.....

### III Destination of products

- (a) Name and address of exporter:.....  
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- (b) Name and address of consignee:.....  
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- (c) Place of loading:.....
- (d) Means of transportation (including name of ship, flight number,  
airport/ port of departure:.....
- (e) Storage temperature:.....

### IV Health Information

I, the undersigned, certify that:

- a) the United Kingdom is officially free from the following diseases of swine without vaccination in accordance with the Office International des Epizooties (OIE) Terrestrial Animal Health Code: foot and mouth disease, classical swine fever, African swine fever, rinderpest, porcine brucellosis and swine vesicular disease;
- b) the farms from which the pigs used to produce the pig meat / pig meat products originated are not situated in an area subject to restrictions due to an officially notifiable disease to which pigs are susceptible;
- c) the premises used to produce, process and store the pig meat / pig meat products prior to export are not situated in an area subject to restrictions due to an officially notifiable disease to which pigs are susceptible;
- d) the consignment of pig meat / pig meat products described at paragraph I above was derived from slaughterhouse(s), processing plants and cold store(s) which meet the requirements of:
- (i) Regulation (EC) No 852/2004 (as amended) of the European Parliament and of the Council of the European Union on the hygiene of foodstuffs;
  - (ii) Regulation (EC) No 853/2004 (as amended) of the European Parliament and of the Council of the European Union laying down specific hygiene rules for food of animal origin;
  - (iii) Regulation (EC) No 854/2004 (as amended) of the European Parliament and of the Council of the European Union laying down specific rules for the organisation of official controls on products of animal origin intended for human consumption;
- e) the consignment of pig meat / pig meat products described at paragraph I above has been processed, health marked / labelled, packaged, stored and transported in a hygienic manner in accordance with European

legislation so as to prevent its contamination with any agents known to cause infectious disease of humans or animals;

- f) the consignment of pig meat / pig meat products described at paragraph I above is fit for human consumption.

**Official Stamp**

**Signed** ..... **RCVS**

**Name in  
block letters** .....  
**Official Veterinarian**

**Date** .....

**Address** .....  
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