Import and Export of Equines

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Importation of Equines

• There are four Ports of Embarkation (LAX, JFK, ORD and MIA)
• Quarantine and Testing Upon Arrival
  Depending on which country they are imported from would determine what testing needs to be done.
• USDA/APHIS website-www.aphis.usda.gov
  It’s always good to check with your local APHIS office
Exportation of Equines

- Establish the Quarantine with the USDA*
  - Some regulations don’t call for the USDA to confirm isolation
  - Confirm iRegs for the destination county (length of isolation and bloodwork differs for each destination)

- Obtain Stalls and Booking from the Airline*
  - Typically done 25-30 days out from desired departure date

- Secure Grooms
  - Very few good professional flying grooms

- Cut paperwork for Airline (groom docs, AWB, Live Animal Certs, Commercial Invoice)

- Establish the trucking schedule for departure date
- Animals need to arrive to port of departure at least 8 hours prior to departure
Exportation of Equines cont.

• Establish the Temporary Quarantine prior to flight
  • This is near or on airport property so the USDA can inspect animals to make sure they are fit to travel. Minimum 5 hrs stay

• Once the last day of quarantine is reached, the accredited vet overseeing the isolation can sign off on the health certificates and send them to the local USDA office for endorsement. The certs can’t be endorsed prior to the final day of isolation.

• Send USDA and airline copies of all endorsed paperwork
  • Some countries require an import permit prior to arrival. The customer receiving the horses is typically responsible for obtaining the import permit.

• Horses are moved from Temp Quarantine to planeside to begin loading in air stalls and moved to plane.
Sample of Import Permit from Saudi Arabia

![Image of Permit for Permanent Import of Registered Horses into the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia]

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Health Certificates

FOR THE PERMANENT IMPORT OF HORSES INTO THE KINGDOM OF SAUDI ARABIA FROM THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. of Certificate: 1788422004

Third Country of dispatch: United States of America

Ministry Responsible: United States Department of Agriculture

Identification of the animal

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(*) A passport identifying the equine animal should be attached to this certificate provided that its

HEALTH CERTIFICATE TO EXPORT PERMANENT ENTRY HORSES AND INTERCONTINENTAL STALLIONS TO CHILE FROM THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

CERTIFICADO SANITARIO PARA LA INTERNACIÓN A CHILE DE EQUIVOS EN FORMA DEFINITIVA Y SISTEMA DE DOBLE HEMISPHERO DESDE LOS ESTADOS UNIDOS DE AMÉRICA

I. Origin/Origen

Origin country/País de origen: USA / FLORIDA

Qualified authority/Autoridad competente: USDA APHIS 751413

Name of Exporter/Nombre del exportador: Schum. Rios de R. P.

Originating facility/Establecimiento de procedencia: 2932450, PAUR

Address/Dirección: 12401 nw 51 st, Miami, Florida 33175

Means of transportation/Medio de transporte: SEA, 5646E

II. Destination/Destino

Consignee name/Nombre del consignatario: C. Caballero Arteaga Comapa Vaías S.A.R.L

Address/Dirección: Av. Bulnes 7100, Punta Arenas, Santiago, 7321007, Chile. RPT. 51.0405.74-8
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