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PRIOR IMPORT AUTHORISATION (API) FOR LIVE ANIMALS

DEFINITION	The right to import live animals for the purpose of exploiting them in Côte d'Ivoire is reserved for persons and companies holding an Authorisation to practise the profession of livestock merchant/livestock broker/livestock butcher and slaughterhouse/retailer issued by the Ministère des Ressources Animales et Halieutiques (MIRAH)/ Direction des Productions d'Élevage/ Sous-Direction de l'Approvisionnement et de la Réglementation des Marchés (Department of Livestock Production/ Supply and Market Regulation Sub-Directorate). Imports themselves are subject to prior import authorisation from the Ministry of Animal and Fisheries Resources (MIRAH) and are issued by the Livestock Production Department (DPE) / Supply and Regulation Sub-Directorate. des Marchés.
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PROCEDURE DESCRIPTION	The Procedure is manual. The importer goes to the Sub-Directorate of Supply and Market Regulation (SDARM)/Directorate of Livestock Production (DPE) of the Ministry of Animal and Fisheries Resources to deposit: • FDI number. • Copy of invoice. • Copy of professional licence. • Ministry form to be completed. • DPE agents will examine the file and process it.
STATE STRUCTURE(S) CONCERNED	Ministry of Animal and Fisheries Resources Veterinary Services Department (DSV). Livestock Production Department (DPE). Sub-Directorate for Supply and Market Regulation (SDARM).
COST	F CFA 5000 /25t
DELIVERY TIME	The deadline for validation of the online API by the technical department concerned is a maximum of 120 hours (5 days).

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Website: pwic.gouv.ci



APPLICATION DOCUMENTS REQUIRED

- Pro forma invoice.
- Import Declaration Form.
- Copy of the authorisation to work as an importer of meat and meat products.

LEGAL BASIS (LEGAL REFERENCE)

Decree 93-312 of 11 March 1993 laying down the conditions for practising professions relating to trade in animals and DAOA.

Order No. 35 /minagra/mic/int of 08 April 1993.

Ministry of Animal and Fisheries Resources (MIRAH)

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