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HEALTH PASS

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| DEFINITION | The health pass authorises products of animal origin to enter Côte d'Ivoire, subject to the issue of a health certificate. |
| PROCEDURE DESCRIPTION | <p>By carrying out an identity check and physical inspection of the product, the veterinary officer provides reassurance about the references of the means of transport (container number, seal number, lorry or ship cable number, flight number, etc.) shown on the import document; this stage is carried out in the presence of a customs inspector.</p> <p>The veterinary officer also checks the marking on the packaging, the name of the importer and supplier, the production date, the freezing date for frozen products, the health stamp bearing the consumption and expiry number, the type of product and the storage conditions; this step is designed to prevent spoiled products from being dumped on our market.</p> <p>To check this, the veterinary officer is entitled to randomly remove six cartons from the front, middle and back of the container. The officer checks the physical and hygienic condition of the packaging and wrapping.</p> <p>At the end of the unloading operation, the technical inspection officer draws up an inspection report and fills in four (4) copies of a sampling sheet.</p> <p>The sample taken by the vet is then sent to the central laboratory for hygiene and agro-industry (LCHAI) for sensory, microbiological and chemical analyses.</p> <p>The results of the analysis are sent to the Service d'Inspection et de Contrôle Sanitaire Vétérinaire (SICOSAV) within a timeframe that depends on the product analysed (1 day for fish, 3 days for meat, 3 to 12 days for milk and dairy products, etc.).</p> |
| STATE STRUCTURE(S) CONCERNED | <p>Ministry of Animal and Fisheries Resources (MIRAH) Livestock Production Department (DPE). Procurement and Contract Regulation Sub-Directorate (SDARM). Department of Veterinary Services (DSV)/ Border Veterinary Health Inspection and Control Service.</p> |
| COST | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Frozen fish: 4 francs per kg• Frozen meat: 8 francs per kg• Milk: 1 franc per kg• Preserves (meat, fish, ...): 5 francs le kg |



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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Yoghurt, cheese, butter, charcuterie: 30 francs per kg• Animal feed: 5 francs per kg |
| DELIVERY TIME | The Health Pass is issued at the same time as the Health Certificate after physical examination of the goods by a Veterinary Services Inspector |
| APPLICATION DOCUMENTS REQUIRED | The documents to be presented for the issuance of a Health Certificate are as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Customs declaration.• Invoice.• Certificate of origin from the country of origin (photocopy).• Health certificate from the country of origin (original).• Non-BSE certificate (meat).• API (Prior Import Authorization).• FDI (Import Declaration Form).• BL (Bill Loading) or bill of lading.• BSC. |
| LEGAL BASIS (LEGAL REFERENCE) | N/A |
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