UNITED STATES VETERINARY PERMIT FOR IMPORTATION AND TRANSPORTATION OF CONTROLLED MATERIALS AND ORGANISMS AND VECTORS

PERMIT NUMBER
110304
Research

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NAME AND ADDRESS OF SHIPPER(S)
Various shippers within...
END-free/HPAI-free countries

NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERMITTEE INCLUDING ZIP CODE AND TELEPHONE NUMBER
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CC:
AVIC, VS, GA (Conyers, GA)
FWS (Arlington, VA)

U.S. PORT(S) OF ARRIVAL
AS APPLICABLE

MODE OF TRANSPORTATION
ANY

AS REQUESTED IN YOUR APPLICATION, YOU ARE AUTHORIZED TO IMPORT OR TRANSPORT THE FOLLOWING MATERIALS

Avian tissue samples and swabs

RESTRICIONS AND PRECAUTIONS FOR TRANSPORTING AND HANDLING MATERIALS AND ALL DERIVATIVES

THIS PERMIT IS ISSUED UNDER AUTHORITY CONTAINED IN 9 CFR CHAPTER 1, PARTS 94.05 AND 122. THE AUTHORIZED MATERIALS OR THEIR DERIVATIVES SHALL BE USED ONLY IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE RESTRICTIONS AND PRECAUTIONS SPECIFIED BELOW. ALTERATIONS OF RESTRICTIONS CAN BE MADE ONLY WHEN AUTHORIZED BY USDA, APHIS, VS.

- Adequate safety precautions shall be maintained during shipment and handling to prevent dissemination of disease.

*** THIS PERMIT IS INVALID WITHOUT PERMITTEE'S SIGNATURE ***. "I, Christine Lobsinger, certify that this material will be used in accordance with all restrictions and precautions as are specified in this permit, ***

*** signed: Christine Lobsinger ***

*** Each shipment shall be accompanied by an ORIGINAL signed document from the producer/manufacturer: 1) confirming that the exported material was derived only from birds and 2) identifying the country/region(s) from which the source birds originated, which must be free from exotic Newcastle disease (END) and Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza (HPAI) as listed below. [This certification must CLEARLY correspond to the shipment by means of an invoice number or shipping marks or lot number or other identification method. An English translation must be provided.]

- This permit is for diagnostic samples and DOES NOT allow import of any isolated agents. Work must be performed in a laboratory facility with at least Biosafety Level 2.

- This permit DOES NOT authorize direct or indirect exposure of or inoculation into laboratory and domestic livestock, (including but not limited to: birds/poultry, cattle, sheep, goats, swine, and/or horses). Work shall be limited to in vitro uses only.

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TO EXPEDITE CLEARANCES AT THE PORT OF ENTRY, BILL OF LADING, AIRBILL OR OTHER DOCUMENTS ACCOMPANYING THE SHIPMENT SHALL BEAR THE PERMIT NUMBER

SIGNATURE
Pamela Diedrick

TITLE
Senior Veterinary Medical Officer National Center - Import - Export

NO. LABELS

VS FORM 16-6A (MAR 95) Replaces VS Form 16-3A and 16-28 which are obsolete
RESTRICTIONS AND PRECAUTIONS: (continued from Permit Form VS 16-6).

- Countries/regions considered by USDA to be FREE of exotic Newcastle disease (END) and highly pathogenic avian influenza, (HPAI) include: Argentina; Australia (except New South Wales); Canada; Chile; Costa Rica; Denmark; Fiji; Finland; France; Great Britain; Greece; Iceland; Republic of Ireland; Luxembourg; New Zealand; Spain; Sweden; and Switzerland (except Canton of Neuchatel).

- Packaging, containers, and all equipment in contact with these materials shall be sterilized or considered a biohazard and be disposed of accordingly.

- This permit is valid only for work conducted or directed by you or your designee in your present U.S. facilities. (MATERIALS SHALL NOT BE MOVED TO ANOTHER U.S. LOCATION, OR DISTRIBUTED WITHIN THE U.S., WITHOUT USDA, APHIS, VS, NCE AUTHORIZATION.)

- On completion of your work, all permitted materials and all derivatives therefrom shall be destroyed.

- This permit does not exempt the permittee from responsibility for compliance with any other applicable federal, state, or local laws and regulations.

- The restrictions on this permit remain in force as long as the material is in the United States.

- ANY VIOLATION OF THE CONDITIONS OF THIS PERMIT MAY RESULT IN CANCELLATION OF THE PERMIT.

- A copy of this permit must be included with the shipping documents. For imported materials, these documents must be presented to CBP Agricultural Specialists upon arrival at the U.S. port of arrival.