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ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH INSPECTION SERVICE  
VETERINARY SERVICES  
RIVERDALE, MARYLAND 20737  
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**UNITED STATES VETERINARY PERMIT FOR IMPORTATION  
AND TRANSPORTATION OF CONTROLLED MATERIALS AND  
ORGANISMS AND VECTORS**

PERMIT NUMBER  
107580  
Research

DATE ISSUED  
06/06/2021

DATE EXPIRES  
06/06/2022

NAME AND ADDRESS OF SHIPPER(S)

Various shippers outside the  
UNITED STATES

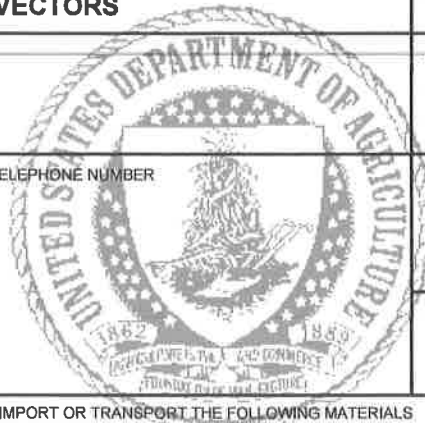
CC:  
Service Center, GA (Conyers,  
GA)

NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERMITTEE INCLUDING ZIP CODE AND TELEPHONE NUMBER

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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

DNA and RNA, extracted and amplified nucleic acids from various bacteria, viruses and *Mycoplasma* species of avian origin (including, but not limited to, *Escherichia coli*, *Avibacterium* spp., *Pasteurella* spp., *Staphylococcus* spp., *Salmonella* spp., *Bordetella* spp., *Ornitobacterium* spp., *Campylobacter* spp., *Listeria* spp., *Streptococcus* spp., *Clostridia* spp., *Mycoplasma* spp. Viruses - Infectious bronchitis, Chicken anemia, Infectious bursal disease, Reovirus, Adenovirus, Hemorrhagic enteritis, Laryngotracheitis, Marek's disease, Pox virus, Newcastle disease, Pneumovirus, Avian Leukosis and Reticuloendothelial viruses)

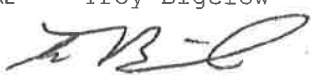
**RESTRICTIONS AND PRECAUTIONS FOR TRANSPORTING AND HANDLING MATERIALS AND ALL DERIVATIVES**

THIS PERMIT IS ISSUED UNDER AUTHORITY CONTAINED IN 9 CFR CHAPTER 1, PARTS 94, 95 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).

- o Adequate safety precautions shall be maintained during shipment and handling to prevent dissemination of disease.
- o With the use of this permit I, Christine Lobsinger, Permittee, acknowledge that the regulated material(s) will be imported/transported within the United States in accordance with the terms and conditions as are specified in the permit. The Permittee is the legal importer/recipient [as applicable] of regulated article(s) and is responsible for complying with the permit conditions. The Permittee must be at least 18 years of age and have and maintain an address in the United States that is specified on the permit; or if another legal entity, maintain an address or business office in the United States with a designated individual for service of process; and serve as the contact for the purpose of communications associated with the import, transit, or transport of the regulated article(s). \*\*Note: Import/Permit requirements are subject to change at any time during the duration of this permit.
- o \*\*\*Materials shall be consigned directly to the permittee address specified above.

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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

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RESTRICTIONS AND PRECAUTIONS: (continued from Permit Form VS 16-6)

- o \*\*\*Each shipment shall be accompanied by an ORIGINAL document from the producer confirming that the exported nucleic acids: 1) were subjected to standard extraction protocols upon complete lysis of cells; and 2) after extraction, the nucleic acids were not exposed to any animal-derived material.  
[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.]
- o Work shall be limited to *in-vitro* uses only.
- o Packaging, containers, and all equipment in contact with these materials shall be sterilized or considered a biohazard and be disposed of accordingly.
- o It is incumbent upon the permittee to uphold proper biosafety procedures and protocols to protect human and animal health as per institutional policy and recommendations published in Biosafety in Microbiological and Biomedical Laboratories, current edition.
- o Importer/permittee is responsible for obtaining any required authorization (letter or permit) from the Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (DHHS, CDC). Importer to contact: (404) 718-2077.
- o This permit shall not be used to transport or import of any select agents (HHS AND USDA SELECT AGENTS AND TOXINS, 7 CFR Part 331, 9 CFR Part 121, and 42 CFR Part 73).
- o Imported article (including hand-carried material) may be subject to regulations enforced by US Customs and Border Protection (CBP). Please visit their website:  
[https://help.cbp.gov/app/answers/detail/a\\_id/3681/kw/biologicals](https://help.cbp.gov/app/answers/detail/a_id/3681/kw/biologicals)
- o Work with the imported agent shall be performed in accordance with the condition requirements described in this permit. Subsequent distribution to another state is prohibited without prior authorization of APHIS (in the form of Transport permit, written correspondence, or reference to applicable no import permit required guideline). Any change in use, treatment, disposal, and distribution within the state may require approval from the state and/or local government.
- o The restrictions on this permit remain in force as long as the material is in the United States.

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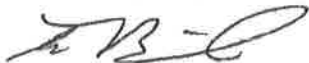
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- This permit does not exempt the permittee from responsibility for compliance with any other applicable federal, state, or local laws and regulations.
- A copy of this permit must be included with the shipping documents. For imported materials, these documents must be presented to CBP Agricultural Specialists upon arrival at the U.S. port of arrival.

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