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Import of Red Deer Semen from New Zealand Import Information Note (IIN) DSNZ/1

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1. General Information

This Import Information Note (IIN) must be read in conjunction with the IIN for general information for imports of live animals and germplasm, which provides information on pre-notifications, veterinary checks, risk categories etc.

[General information for imports of live animals and germplasm \(defra.gov.uk\)](https://www.defra.gov.uk)

References to European Union (EU) legislation within this document are references to direct EU Legislation which has been assimilated in Great Britain (assimilated direct legislation), as defined in the Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Act 2023 and can be viewed on the UK legislation website ([legislation.gov.uk](https://www.legislation.gov.uk)).

2. Scope

Import conditions for red deer semen from New Zealand.

3. Production standards

The semen must be produced and stored in accordance with the conditions laid down in Annex D of [Directive 92/65/EEC](#).

4. Country of origin

New Zealand only.

5. Approved establishments

The semen must be produced in a collection centre approved by the New Zealand Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry.

6. Health certification/documentation

A General Licence is available for the import of Red Deer Semen from New Zealand.

- [General licence IMP/GEN/2012/04](#)

Consignments must be accompanied by a health certificate which conforms to the model laid down in the Annex to the General Licence and which is signed by an official veterinarian or inspector of the veterinary authority in the country of origin.

Consignments presented for import at the Border Control Post must be accompanied by the original health certificate(s); faxed or photocopied certificates are not acceptable.

7. Contact for further information

For further information regarding import requirements, contact the Animal and Plant Health Agency (APHA) Imports team:

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