## **VETERINARY CERTIFICATE FOR IMPORT OF PET DOGS INTO INDIA**

## I. OWNER

dog(s)dog(s)
(The Official Veterinarian shall certify that the animal is a pet)
Contact No. email:
II. Description Breed of Dog:
Age or date of birth:
Sex:
Colour:
Coat type and marking/ Distinguish mark:
Identification/ microchip number:
III. Additional Information
Country of origin:
Countries visited over the past two years as declared by owner (give dates):
IV. Destination of Pet Dog
Country:
Address in India:
Means of transport

## **Sanitary Information**

- I, the undersigned, Official Veterinarian hereby certify that the dog(s) described above and examined on this day:
  - a) show/shows no clinical sign of any disease including rabies, canine distemper, parvo virus infection, leptospirosis, Infectious Canine Hepatitis, Scabies and Leishmaniasis etc.
  - b) has/have been vaccinated for rabies (in case it is more than three months of age) Canine distemper, parvo virus infection, leptospirosis etc. within the time limit recommended by the vaccine manufacturer licensed and approved by the exporting country (name of the vaccine, batch number, and the date of vaccination must be shown on the passport/pet book/health card of pet dog as the case may be).

Official Stamp:	
Issued at on	
	Signature
	Name and address of Official Veterinarian
	Registration No.:
	Email:
	Contact no.

## Post-import quarantine:

- i) On arrival, the Regional Officer/ Quarantine Officer will examine the health of dog, verify the veterinary certificate and vaccination records of imported dogs. If the dog(s) is/are free from any clinical illness as well as the documents including veterinary certificate/ vaccination records are found in order, the animals imported as pets under accompanied baggage or un-accompanied baggage shall be quarantined for 15 days. If the pet dog is detected with any signs of clinical illness during quarantine, the period of quarantine may be extended depending on the disease and its severity.
- ii) Dog(s) brought for temporary visit like dog show, visitors, travellers, therapy, assistance and security purposes along with masters shall be exempted from 15 days quarantine period provided the owner of the dog(s) presented documents (a) passport/ pet book/health card of dog,(b) passport of owner,(c)visa (d)return journey ticket, (e) health certificate issued by the veterinary authority in the name of owner carrying the dog and (f) proof of purpose of visit. In such case(s) owner shall furnish the health certificate fulfilling sanitary conditions as above. Also, during the stay in India, the owner shall furnish details of his/her temporary location, phone number etc. so that the quarantine officer may visit the place for verification, if required. The owner of the dog(s) shall be present himself/herself at the time of entry of dog(s) into India and during his/her return from India at the respective AQCS. This provision shall be applicable for import up to two dogs only. The quarantine officer will prepare a declaration form for this category of animal.

(iii)	No import of feed or bedding etc. will be allowed along with the dog(s).	