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- Information sheet on importation of pet food which are containing any kind of animal by- products

There are two ways to import pet food to the European Union:

- 1. Regular importation (including definitive import and allowance to give away samples during the exhibition)
 - → Goods can be <u>imported permanently</u> and <u>are allowed to</u> be <u>given away / sold</u> during fair if following requirements are fulfilled:

Requirements:

- 1. Country is listed
- 2. Company is listed
- 3. Correctly issued veterinary health certificate
- 4. All and any rules are met (packing, description on packages)
- 5. Import via an approved Border Inspection Post (see below)

To check the requirements, please click to this link:

https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/sanco/traces/output/non_eu_listsPerActivity_en.htm#.

(What to do: left side of the page click on the group of ingredients of your products (for example: animal by-products), then you see countries listed on the right side of the page, pls. click on your country name. The now opened list shows all registered companies of this country)

IF your country or company is NOT listed there



- 2. <u>Importation to Germany with special import permission issued by German veterinary office</u>
 - → Goods can be imported on a temporary basis and have to be disposed by DB Schenker after fair on exhibitor's expense, goods <u>cannot</u> be <u>sold</u> or <u>given away as samples</u>

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Requirements:

- 1. Commercial invoice showing all shipment contents with HS codes (8 digits)
- 2. Exact description of the products (only "pet food" is not acceptable)
- 3. Number of the health certificate has to be shown beside the relevant products on the commercial invoice
- 4. Separate Packing list
- 5. Declaration of ingredients and how it was treated (boiled, raw, preserved..)
- 6. Correctly issued health certificate showing all necessary information
- 7. Exact quantity of pet food (e.g. "5 cans à 0,3 kg")
- 8. Utilization after fair (destruction or shipping back)
- 9. Packing of products has to be marked according to the EU regulations

Schenker Deutschland AG will act as your representative and will apply for import licenses - Please note that applications from third-country companies won't be accepted by German authorities.

In any case

!!! Pet food must be shipped separately and number of health certificate has to be shown on the packing material !!!

Copies of the import documents must be submitted **before** goods will be shipped, latest 4 weeks before the show starts:

fairs.nuernberg@dbschenker.com; Tel.: +49 (0)911.81748-0

Pet food must arrive at airport / seaport at least 3 weeks before stand delivery.

Products can be imported into Germany via the German

Seaport Hamburg or

Airport of destination Frankfurt (Master-AWB).

The airport of destination in the prepared **House**-AWB is **Nuremberg**. **The import of pet food containing animal by-products is not possible via Nuremberg airport**.