

## REGULATIONS FOR THE IMPORTATION OF EGGS OR EGG PRODUCTS INTO MALAYSIA

- A. Products : Table eggs, frozen, salted, pickled or century eggs, egg powder or value-added
- B. Country of export : Any Countries
- C. Purpose : Human Consumption
- D. Regulations for importation :

### 1. Import Licence

Each consignment of egg and egg products shall be accompanied by a valid import permit issued by the Malaysian Quarantine and Inspection Services Department (MAQIS) permitting the importation into Malaysia.

### 2. Veterinary Certification

Each consignment of egg and egg products shall be accompanied by an official veterinary health certificate in English dated within seven (7) days issued by Government Veterinary Authority of the exporting country certifying that;

- 2.1 the country or part of country or state of origin has been continuously free from Avian Influenza, Newcastle disease and Fowl Cholera for the past twelve (12) months prior to and till the date of export
- 2.2 the eggs were derived from farms which is accredited to be free from *Salmonella pullorum* and *Salmonella enteritidis*; and no case of infectious or contagious poultry diseases had been diagnosed or occurred on the farm in the preceding six (6) months prior to export
- 2.3 the egg products were processed in an approved processing plant which is under the supervision and approved for export by the government veterinary authority of the exporting country (the name, address and establishment number of the plant as well as batch number and date of production must be clearly stated in the certificate)
- 2.4 the egg products were processed, packed and stored under sanitary condition and do not contain any preservative, colouring, residue or any foreign substance or harmful material injurious to health and that every precaution had been taken to prevent contamination during the processing, packing, storing and prior to export
- 2.5 the eggs or egg products destined for export to Malaysia are safe, wholesome and fit for human consumption

### 3. Transportation

Each consignment of eggs or egg products imported into Malaysia shall be carried by ship or aircraft or any vehicle direct to the prescribed landing place in Malaysia.

### 4. Other Conditions

- 4.1 All applications for importation of eggs or egg products into Malaysia shall be made by filling up the application form entitled "Application for export of meat, poultry, milk, egg and products to Malaysia" which can be downloaded from Department of Veterinary Services, Malaysia (DVS) website ([www.dvs.gov.my](http://www.dvs.gov.my)). The completed application form shall be sent through the importing companies in Malaysia to the address below:  
Head Quarantine Services and Import/Export Section

Biosecurity and SPS Management Division  
Department of Veterinary Services, Malaysia (DVS)  
Ministry of Agriculture & Agro-Based Industry Malaysia  
Wisma Tani,  
Level 5, Block 4G1, Podium 1A,  
Precint 4, 62630 Putrajaya

- 4.2 DVS has the right to enquire for any document or detail information from the applicants. In the event that the applicants (importer or exporter) fail or unable to provide or to comply with any of the above requirements, the DVS has the right to reject or not to approve the application
- 4.3 The farm or the processing establishment may be subjected to inspection by the official(s) from the DVS prior to approval as and when deemed required. All costs incurred shall be borne by the parties concerned.
- 4.4 Each consignment of eggs or egg products imported into Malaysia shall be subjected to veterinary inspection by the authorized Malaysian Quarantine and Inspection Services Department (MAQIS) officer(s) at the entry point upon arrival in Malaysia. Random samples may be collected for laboratory testing and the Malaysian government has the right to reject, destroy or further detain any consignment when deemed necessary.

**5. Suspension of Import**

The Director General of Veterinary Services or the State Director of Veterinary Services Malaysia may at any time when deemed necessary suspend the importation of the products either temporarily or permanently in the event of disease outbreaks or suspected disease outbreaks or in case of importation in contravention of the above regulations.

**6. Right to Amend Import Regulations**

The Director General of Veterinary Services Malaysia reserves the right to amend the above regulations at any time as he may deem necessary.

**DEPARTMENT OF VETERINARY SERVICES  
MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE MALAYSIA  
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