

SCHEDULE 5

Regulation 6(2) and 8(d)

Conditions relating to donor animals for the purposes of Regulation 6 or 8

Part I

Collection from live animals

1. The donor cow must have spent at least the previous six months in an EEA State or, in the case of any other country, in the country of collection.
2. The donor cow must have been present in the herd of origin for at least 30 days prior to collection.
3. The donor cow must come from a herd which is—
 - (a) officially tuberculosis free;
 - (b) officially brucellosis free or brucellosis free; and
 - (c) either enzootic bovine leucosis free or for which certification has been obtained that there has not been any clinical case of enzootic bovine leucosis during the past three years.
4. During the year before collection of the embryo, the donor cow must not have been present in a herd (or herds) which have shown any clinical sign of infectious bovine rhinotracheitis or infectious pustular vulvovaginitis.
5. On the day of embryo collection the donor cow—
 - (a) shall be kept in a holding which is not subject to veterinary prohibition or quarantine measures;
 - (b) shall show no clinical sign of disease.

Part II

Collection after slaughter

1. The donor cow shall not have been designated for slaughter as part of a national disease eradication programme, nor shall it have come from a holding subject to veterinary prohibition or restriction.
2. The abattoir where the ovaries and other tissues are collected must not be situated in a zone subject to veterinary prohibition or quarantine measures.