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[^{F1}ANNEX

COMMUNITY CRITERIA FOR CONTROL POSTS]

Textual Amendments

- F1** Substituted by [Council Regulation \(EC\) No 1/2005 of 22 December 2004 on the protection of animals during transport and related operations and amending Directives 64/432/EEC and 93/119/EC and Regulation \(EC\) No 1255/97.](#)

[^{F1}A.HEALTH AND HYGIENE MEASURES

1. Every control posts must
 - (a) be located, designed, constructed and operated as to ensure sufficient bio-security preventing the spreading of serious infectious diseases to other holdings and between consecutive consignments of animals passing through these premises;
 - (b) be constructed, equipped and operated as to ensure that cleaning and disinfection procedures can be carried out. A lorry wash shall be provided on the spot. Such facilities must be operational under all weather conditions;
 - (c) be cleansed and disinfected before and after each use, as required by the official veterinarian.
2. Personnel and equipment entering into contact with the animals accommodated shall be exclusively dedicated to the premises concerned unless they have been subject to a cleaning and disinfection procedure after being in contact with the animals or their faeces or urine. In particular the person in charge of the control post shall provide clean equipment and protective clothes, which shall be kept exclusively for the use of any persons entering the control post, and shall make available suitable equipment for cleansing and disinfecting the above items.
3. Bedding material shall be removed when a consignment of animals is moved from an enclosure and, after the cleansing and disinfecting operations provided for in point 1(c), shall be replaced by fresh bedding.
4. Animals litter, faeces and urine shall not be collected from the premises unless they have been subject to an appropriate treatment in order to avoid the spreading of animal diseases.
5. Appropriate sanitary breaks between two consecutive consignments of animals shall be respected and if appropriate adapted depending on whether they come from a similar region, zone or compartment. In particular, control posts shall be completely cleared of animals for a period of at least 24 hours after a maximum of 6 days' use and after cleansing and disinfecting operations have been carried out, and prior to the arrival of any new consignment.
6. Before accepting animals, control posts shall:
 - (a) have started the cleansing and disinfection operations within 24 hours following the departure of all animals previously held there in accordance with the provisions of Article 4(3) of this Regulation;
 - (b) have remained clear of animals until the cleansing and disinfection operation is completed to the satisfaction of the official veterinarian.]

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole legislation item and associated provisions

- Annex section B para. 5 words substituted by [S.I. 2019/802 reg. 2\(15\)\(c\)](#)
- Art. 2(1) Art. 2 renumbered as Art. 2(1) by [S.I. 2019/802 reg. 2\(3\)\(a\)](#)
- Art. 2(1) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/802 reg. 2\(3\)\(b\)](#)
- Art. 2(2)(3) inserted by [S.I. 2019/802 reg. 2\(3\)\(c\)](#)
- Art. 2(2)(a)(iv) omitted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/802, reg. 2(3)(c) by [S.I. 2020/1590 reg. 2\(3\)\(i\)](#)
- Art. 2(2)(c) omitted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/802, reg. 2(3)(c) by [S.I. 2020/1590 reg. 2\(3\)\(ii\)](#)
- Art. 2(2)(d)(iv) omitted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/802, reg. 2(3)(c) by [S.I. 2020/1590 reg. 2\(3\)\(iii\)](#)
- Art. 2(2)(e) words omitted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/802, reg. 2(3)(c) by [S.I. 2020/1590 reg. 2\(3\)\(iv\)](#)
- Art. 2(3) omitted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/802, reg. 2(3)(c) by [S.I. 2020/1590 reg. 2\(3\)\(v\)](#)
- Art. 2a inserted by [S.I. 2019/588 reg. 2\(3\)](#)
- Art. 2a(1)(d) omitted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/588, reg. 2(3) by [S.I. 2020/1590 reg. 3\(2\)\(a\)\(i\)](#)
- Art. 2a(2)(c) omitted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/588, reg. 2(3) by [S.I. 2020/1590 reg. 3\(2\)\(a\)\(ii\)](#)
- Art. 3(3)(a) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/802 reg. 2\(7\)\(b\)](#)
- Art. 3(3)(c) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/802 reg. 2\(7\)\(c\)](#)
- Art. 4(3)(a) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/802 reg. 2\(10\)\(b\)\(i\)](#)
- Art. 4(3)(b)(i) word omitted by [S.I. 2019/802 reg. 2\(10\)\(b\)\(ii\)\(aa\)](#)
- Art. 4(3)(b)(i) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/802 reg. 2\(10\)\(b\)\(ii\)\(bb\)](#)
- Art. 4(3)(b)(i) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/802 reg. 2\(10\)\(b\)\(ii\)\(cc\)](#)
- Art. 4(3)(b)(i) words substituted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/802, reg. 2(10)(b)(ii)(cc) by [S.I. 2020/1590 reg. 2\(6\)](#)
- Art. 4(3)(b)(ii) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/802 reg. 2\(10\)\(b\)\(iii\)](#)
- Art. 5(a) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/802 reg. 2\(11\)\(a\)](#)
- Art. 5(e) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/802 reg. 2\(11\)\(b\)](#)
- Art. 5(h)(i) word inserted by [S.I. 2019/802 reg. 2\(11\)\(c\)](#)
- Art. 6c inserted by [S.I. 2019/588 reg. 2\(5\)](#)
- Art. 6c(3) omitted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/588, reg. 2(5) by [S.I. 2020/1590 reg. 3\(2\)\(b\)](#)
- Art. 6c(7) omitted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/588, reg. 2(5) by [S.I. 2020/1590 reg. 3\(2\)\(b\)](#)