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Importation of Canine Specimens

To help expedite your international shipment,
please read and follow instructions below.

Please follow these instructions to improve your customs experience when shipping canine specimens to Paw Print Genetics.

Details of the Agriculture Guidelines for Importation #1102: <https://www.aphis.usda.gov/aphis/ourfocus/animalhealth/animal-and-animal-product-import-information/import-live-animals/no-import-permit-reg>.

A USDA import permit will not be required for canine origin material that has not been inoculated with or exposed to any livestock or poultry disease agent. In order to facilitate correct identification of the shipment and ensure timely delivery, USDA, AHPIS, VS recommends that the following documentation accompany each shipment:

1. A written statement identifying the material and naming the animal species.
2. A written statement confirming that the material does not contain any other animal derived material (i.e. does not contain any livestock or poultry origin material),
3. A written statement confirming that the material was not derived from canine species which were inoculated with or exposed to any infectious agents of USDA agricultural concern.

USDA, APHIS, VS recommends that this document be supplied on foreign producer/shipper letterhead, with the letterhead containing the physical address of the foreign producer/shipper. USDA, APHIS, VS further recommends that the document, written in a clear and concise manner, accompany each shipment, and be presented as a separate document for review by the DHS, CBP Officers at the US port of arrival. We do not recommend that the foreign producer/shipper place this document inside the shipping containers.

A completed Commercial Invoice is imperative and is the “passport” for international shipments. Some key items to complete on your Commercial Invoice:

1. **Description of Goods should be: Non-restricted, non-infectious canine sample**
2. **Declared value should be no more than \$10.**

Additionally, please complete and sign this form, fold at the dotted line and attach it to the outside of your package so that the outlined box is visible.

THIS PACKAGE CONTAINS NON-RESTRICTED, TIME-SENSITIVE CANINE MATERIAL

In accordance with the USDA Guideline for Importation #1102 Canine Material a USDA import permit is not required because I can verify the following statements to be true:

1. The material in this shipment are canine samples (swab, tissue or blood) that are not-restricted, non-infectious specimens for diagnostic purposes with corresponding paperwork included in the package (Laboratory requisition).
2. The animal species is canine.
3. The materials do not contain any other animal-derived material (i.e. does not contain any livestock or poultry origin material).
4. This material was not derived from canine species which we inoculated with or exposed to any infectious agents of USDA agricultural concerns.

I declare that the above information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Date: _____ **Owner Signature:** _____

Phone: _____ **Printed Owner Name:** _____

Address: _____

Recipient: Paw Print Genetics 509-483-5950 AskUs@PawPrintGenetics.com
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All shipping charges, import fees and taxes are the full responsibility of the owner/shipper.