

Hides and Skins to Thailand

The following information should be included in the “Additional Declarations” section of the VS Form 16-4 for the export of hides and skins derived from livestock to Thailand. Exporters must provide their local VS Service Center a properly notarized affidavit containing the statements appearing on the VS Form 16-4 from those with first-hand knowledge of the attestations.

For assistance in properly preparing the necessary affidavits, please contact your local VS Service Center.

Certification Statements

Only the following text should be included in the “Additional Declarations” section of the VS Form 16-4:

This is to certify that rinderpest, foot-and-mouth disease, classical swine fever, swine vesicular disease, African swine fever, and contagious bovine pleuropneumonia do not exist in the United States of America.

This office has on file a notarized affidavit from [company/manufacturer] verifying the accuracy of the statements below:

The products originate from animals which:

1. Have shown no signs of anthrax during ante-mortem and post-mortem inspections;
2. Come from establishments which are not placed under quarantine on account of anthrax control.