

ADDITIONAL CONDITIONS TO IMPORT CATS/DOGS FROM AUSTRALIA

1. Veterinary inspection at port of entry (Kota Kinabalu International Airport).
2. The animal (s) must be identified by microchip that can be read by an Avid, Trovan, Destron or other ISO compatible reader. The scanned microchip number must be correctly recorded on all documentation.
3. A veterinary health certificate from Veterinary Authority of Australia attesting that:
 - a. The animals been examined and found to be healthy and free from all signs of infectious and contagious diseases at the time of exportation.
 - b. The animals are from Australia in which the said country has been free from rabies for the past three (3) years.
 - c. The animals have been imported from rabies endemic regions during the last six months preceding the date of export.
 - d. The animals have been treated against endo and ectoparasite within 15 days before shipment.
 - e. The animals were kept since birth, or have been resident or born of mothers which have been resident in Australia for the past six (6) months.
 - f. The animals are identified by permanent marks (including a microchip). Their identification numbers shall be stated in the certificate.
 - g. The dogs/ cats have been tested for Hendra Virus using Serum Neutralization test (SNT) at dilution 1 in 2 with negative results, within fourteen (14) days prior to export.
 - h. The animal was vaccinated, within twelve (12) months prior to export against chlamydia, feline calicivirus, feline panleukopenia and feline rhinotracheitis (for cats).
 - i. The animal has been examined and found to be healthy and free from any clinical sign of infectious or contagious disease, within seven (7) days prior to export and certification, and showed no any clinical signs and fit to travel on the day of shipment.
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4. Upon arrival the animals will go subjected to **three (3) days of quarantine** Veterinary Quarantine Station, Kinarut, Papar.
5. In case of any imported animal shows sign of disease or died after quarantine, the owner

should inform the Veterinary Quarantine Officer immediately so that treatment or post mortem can be conducted.

6. The Director of DVS Sabah reserved the right to amend the above regulations at any time as he may deem necessary.

7. The Director of DVS Sabah may at any time when deem necessary to suspend importations 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.

8. The confirmed time of arrival should be made known to the Animal Quarantine Office at Kota Kinabalu International Airport Terminal 1 (KKIA T1), Tel : 088-413402 or 088-413400 (Fax) at least 2 days in advance.