- (e) were hatched and reared on holdings on which there has been no case of avian influenza diagnosed during the three months prior to slaughter and within 3 kms of which there has been no case of avian influenza diagnosed within the three months prior to slaughter;
- (f) were slaughtered and processed at premises within 3 kms of which there has been no case of avian influenza diagnosed within the three months prior to slaughter;
- 3. The certificate required above must be the original certificate except in the case of products entering Great Britain via another Member State which, in accordance with Article 11.2(a) of Council Directive 90/675/EEC(¹), must be accompanied by a copy of the original certificate authenticated by and provided by the official veterinarian at the border inspection post of entry to the Community, together with a document signed by the official veterinarian at the border inspection post of entry to the Community confirming that veterinary checks have been carried out to his or her satisfaction. However in the case of products transported by air or sea which have been transhipped in a port or airport in another Member State and which, in accordance with Article 8.4 of Council Directive 90/675/EEC, have not been subject to veterinary checks in that Member State, the certificate must be the original certificate.

Footnote

- (¹) Laying down the principles governing the organisation of the veterinary checks on products entering the Community from third countries (OJ No. L373, 31.12.90, P1) as amended by Council Dimetric D1406/EFC (COLDS J 268, 24 OL)
- Council Directive 91/496/EEC (OJ No. L268, 24.9.91).

Notes

- 1. Fresh poultry meat shall be defined as: fresh meat from domestic fowls which has not been treated to ensure preservation; however, poultry which has been chilled or frozen shall be considered to be fresh.
- 2. Nothing in this licence gives exemption from any requirement, prohibition or restriction imposed by the Products of Animal Origin (Import and Export) Regulations 1992 (which restrict importation to border inspection posts approved to handle the category of products concerned and require that imports are notified in advance to the enforcement authorities), the Imported Food Regulations 1984 or the Medicines Acts 1968 and 1971 or by any regulation superseding or amending the same, or any prohibition, regulation or restriction imposed by the Department of Trade and Industry.
- 3. This is not a Department of Trade and Industry Licence.
- 4. This licence will not be invalidated by transit of the products through any other third country provided they are transported in sealed containers and provided that if the goods are examined by Customs en route the containers are resealed and the documents are endorsed accordingly.

Caution

Any breach of any conditions attached to this licence will constitute an offence against the Animal Health Act 1981.

P. NEW GENERAL LICENCE

Licence No: (a) TAY/GEN/93/341 (in England) (b) WOAD/GEN/93/62 (in Wales)

Subject: Fresh/refrigerated/frozen meat derived from wild venison

Country of Origin: Spain

Port of Entry: All ports and airports in England

Conditions attaching to this Licence

- 1. Each consignment shall be accompanied by a commercial document authorised by an Official Veterinary Surgeon of the Government of Spain in accordance with Article 3(4)(iii) of Council Directive 92/45/EEC.
- Transhipment: All consignments which transit via a third country must be accompanied by a health certificate issued by an authorised veterinary officer of the Government of Spain stating:
 - (a) Details of consignment (species of animal, nature of cuts, nature of packaging, number of packages, net weight);
 - (b) Address(es) and veterinary approval number(s) of the establishment(s), address(es) and veterinary approval number(s) of the approved cutting premises;
 - (c) Destination of wild venison (place of loading, country and place of destination, means of transport, names and addresses of consignor and consignee). For railway wagons or goods vehicles the registration number should be given, for aircraft the flight number and for ships the name and which bears the following health attestation:

I, the undersigned official veterinarian, certify that the wild venison described above was obtained under the conditions governing production and control laid down in Directive 92/45/EEC;

- (i) is intended for a Member State after transit through a third country.
- (ii) has been passed as fit for human consumption following a veterinary inspection carried out in accordance with Directive 92/45/EEC⁽¹⁾.
- (iii) the transport vehicles or containers and the loading conditions of this consignment meet the hygiene requirements laid down in that Directive.

Footnote

- (¹) Including the trichinoscopic examination provided for in Article 3(3) of Council Directive 92/45/EEC.
- 3. Any meat imported under this licence shall be made available if so required for inspection by an Officer of the Ministry at any place nominated by him for such inspection. The importer or his agent shall afford all assistance necessary to such an officer to enable him to carry out the inspection in such manner as he shall determine and the importer shall be responsible for meeting any costs of carrying out such an inspection.

Notes

1. Nothing in this licence gives exemption from any prohibition or restriction imposed by the Imported Food Regulations 1984 or the Medicines Acts 1968 and 1971 or by any regulation superseding or amending the same, or any prohibition, regulation or restriction imposed by the Department of Trade and Industry.

2. This is not a Department of Trade and Industry Licence.

Caution

Any breach of any conditions attached to this licence will constitute an offence against the Animal Health Act 1981. (9SI)