

Guidelines for the Continuation Sheet for Box I.27

General

The certificate reference number must be added to the space provided in the upper right corner of each page.

All 3 pages must be included, regardless of any unused spaces.

If there are unused spaces, a single line mark through encompassing the entirety of the empty space should be added, initialed, dated and stamped with the Export Stamp by the certifying FSIS veterinarian.

The certifying FSIS veterinarian must sign the bottom of each page in the space provided in a color of ink other than black.

The Export Stamp must be applied to each of the 3 pages in a color of ink other than black.

Box I.27 – Continuation of the Description of Consignment Data Field

When there is insufficient space to include all the required information for each batch no., indicate this under “Batch No.” in Box. I.27 of the FSIS letterhead certificate by adding the following statement:
“Please see Continuation Sheet for I.27.”

Follow the guidance provided for Box I.27 which can be found in the guideline document for each FSIS letterhead certificate.

Nature of commodity: Indicate “carcase-whole”, “carcase-side”, “carcase- quarters” "offal" or “cuts”.

Treatment type: If appropriate, indicate “de-boned”, “bone in” and/or “matured”. If frozen, indicate the date of freezing (mm/yy) of the cuts/pieces.

Type of packaging: identify the type of packaging according to the definition given in Recommendation No 21⁽⁹⁾ of UN/CEFACT (United Nations Centre for Trade Facilitation and Electronic Business) for example:

Bag=BG;Bin=COM/BI;Box=BX;Bucket=BJ;Carton=CT;Case=CS;Drum=DR;Package=PK;Pail=PL;Pallet=PAL;Tray= PU;Unpacked/unpackaged=NE;Vacuum-Packed=VP;Vat=VA.

Net Weight (kg): Include the Avoirdupois units (lbs) to match FSIS Form 9060-5 and the FSIS letterhead certificate, as appropriate.

Signature Block

Name of Official Veterinarian (in capitals)

Date-should match the issue date of FSIS Form 9060-5

Stamp- Apply the rubber USDA export stamp in a color of ink other than black. The certificate number shown on the stamp is the certificate number on the FSIS Form 9060-5.

Qualification and title- DVM; PHV

Signature-ink signature in a color of ink other than black