



United States
Department of
Agriculture

Food Safety
and Inspection
Service

Washington, D.C.
20250

**Letterhead Certificate for the Export of Fresh/Frozen Bone-in and Boneless
Beef and Beef Tongues, Kidneys, Livers, Hearts and Tripe to Costa Rica**

Date Issued: _____ Certificate Number: _____

1. The United States complies with the conditions stated in the OIE Terrestrial Animal Health Code as a country with negligible BSE risk.
2. The beef meat and meat products were subject to testing for chemical residues in accordance with the USA National Residue Program sampling plans.
3. The product (beef, livers, tongues, hearts and kidneys) was inspected and passed and found fit for human consumption.
4. The beef and beef products were produced under mandatory HACCP regulations and undergo microbiological testing as required by FSIS regulations and were found to be in full compliance.

Signature of Official Veterinarian: _____

Printed Name: _____

Title/Professional Degree: _____