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British Thoroughbred Breeding And Racing

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TIME-LINE FOR MOVING A THOROUGHBRED TEMPORARILY (i.e. for up to 90 days) FROM GB TO EU FROM 01.01.21 (ASSUMES WEATHERBYS GENERAL STUD BOOK HAS BEEN RECOGNISED BY THE EU)

KEY ■ Hard deadline, after which action cannot take place ■ Earliest date, before which action cannot take place ■ Date span during whole of which action must take place ■ Recommended date or date span

OUTBOUND JOURNEY FROM GB TO EU

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Days in Advance of Day of Travel (eg -21 = 3 weeks before departure)	-90	-42	-40	-30	-21	-20	-19	-18	-17	-16	-15	-14	-13	-12	-11	-10	-9	-8	-7	-6	-5	-4	-3	-2	-1	0		
Negative Test for Equine Infectious Anaemia (EIA) ('Coggins Test')																												
Check that your vet is registered as Official Veterinarian																												
Consult with your vet on your travel plans for your horse																												
Ensure you have a Government Gateway Account, preferably in your business's name																												
Apply for Economic Operators Registration & Identification Number (EORI) www.gov.uk/eori (or ensure you already have one)																												
Engage a Shipping Agent (They may be able to assist you with the subsequent steps)																												
Engage a UK-established Customs Agent (They may be able to assist you with the subsequent steps)																												
Register for Export Health Certificates On-line www.gov.uk/guidance/apply-for-an-export-health-certificate																												
Horse must be kept in UK, or country with similar health status																												
If horse is an entire male, negative test for Equine Viral Arteritis (EVA)																												
Apply for Export Health Certificate (EHC)																												
Have EHC signed by Official Veterinarian																												

RETURN JOURNEY FROM EU TO GB

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Register for Import of Products, Animals, Food and Feeds System (IPAFFS) www.gov.uk/guidance/import-of-products-animals-food-and-feed-system																										
EHC for return journey to have been completed (liaise with your Customs Agent)	*																									
Import pre-notification to be submitted (liaise with your Shipping Agent)																										
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* This should be secured by the exporter (ie the person re-importing the horse) from the EU country from which it is returning.



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Records of the horse's whereabouts to be maintained																										
Horse must be kept under veterinary supervision, on a holding in the UK or a country with similar health status.																										
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Horse must be kept separate from other equines that do not have similar health status																										
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