

NORMATIVE INSTRUCTION N° 25 OF JULY 19, 2016 - MAPA

OFFICE OF THE MINISTER

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE, LIVESTOCK AND FOOD SUPPLY, using the powers conferred upon him by Article 87, sole paragraph, item II of the Constitution, and pursuant to Decree n° 5,741, enacted 30 March 2006, Decree n° 24,548, enacted 3 July 1934, and Case File n° 21000.007997/2016-74, resolves:

Article 1. The following areas are declared free of Classical Swine Fever (CSF): states of Acre, Bahia, Federal District, Espírito Santo, Goiás, Mato Grosso, Mato Grosso do Sul, Minas Gerais, Paraná, Rio de Janeiro, Rio Grande do Sul, Rondônia, Santa Catarina, São Paulo, Sergipe, Tocantins and the municipalities of Guajará, Boca do Acre, south of the municipality of Canutama and southwest of the municipality of Lábrea, which belong to the state of Amazonas.

Sole paragraph. For the effect of this Normative Instruction, swines are animals from the *Sus scrofa* species.

Article 2. Swine animals and genetic material are prohibited to enter the places in the heading of Article 1 if they come from a State not declared as free of CSF in Brazil, as well as the pork products and by-products below:

I - chilled or frozen, bone-in or boneless pork;

II - processed or fatty pork products, fresh, raw, cured, maturated, salted, dessicated, smoked or otherwise;

III – fresh or salted offals;

IV IV – fats;

V - fresh or salted pig skin; and

VI - edible or inedible pork product for animal feeding or to be used in fertilizers.

Article 3. Swine products and by-products are permitted to enter the places declared free of CSF if they come from states not declared as free, as long as they have been:

I - processed in the origin according to one of the treatments that guarantee the destruction of the CSF virus, recognized by the World Organisation for Animal Health - OIE and published in its Terrestrial Animal Health Code; and

II - preventive measures have been taken to prevent contact of the final product with possible sources of the CSF virus during its preparation, storage and transportation.

Sole paragraph. After the measures in items I and II of Article 3 hereof have been complied with, the products and by-products shall be followed by a health certificate issued by the official veterinary service in the processing establishment, declaring the treatment and the precautions taken to inactivate and prevent contact with possible sources of the CSF virus.

Article 4. Swine biological material or infectious agent coming from places not declared as free of CSF in Brazil, for research or diagnosis, may enter places declared as not free of CSF if it is previously authorized by the Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Food Supply, except when it is sent by the official veterinary service.

Sole paragraph. Shipping biological samples for diagnosis shall be permitted when it does not pose a risk of virus escaping during transportation, laboratory analysis, or when the samples are treated so as to inactivate the CSF virus.

Article 5. This Normative Ruling shall be in force as of the date of its publication.

Article 6. [Normative Instruction 27, of September 17, 2015](#), and [Normative Instruction 33, of September 3, 2014](#).

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