OIE Procedure for Registration of Diagnostic Kits

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Background of the initiative

Two Consultants Meetings: one in 2002 and a second one in 2003 after the adoption of the Resolution No. XXIX in May 2003

Resolution No. XXIX, at the 71st General Session of the OIE in May 2003

> The OIE Procedure was launched in May 2005



Aim and Scope of the Procedure

- Developed to meet the needs of OIE Member Countries, the aim of this procedure is:
 - 1. to certify a kit as validated fit for specific purpose(s).
 - 2. to produce an OIE register of recognised diagnostic kits (available on the OIE website).
- All diagnostic kits for animal diseases, including zoonosis, can be validated and certified by the OIE through the procedure.



Procedure in brief 1/3

- Procedure based on the submission of a dossier by a kit manufacturer wishing to have its kit certified by the OIE as validated fit for some specific purpose(s);
- Fees requested for the initial assessment and then annual fee if diagnostic kit included in the OIE Register;
- Reassessment of the validation data of the kit included in the OIE Register every 5 years;
- Dossier, that has to be filled in, downloadable from the OIE website;
- Dossier based on the OIE validation pathway.



Procedure in brief 2/3

- Once a dossier has been submitted to the OIE, an administrative revision is carried out to check if the dossier is complete;
- ➤ Scientific evaluation of the dossier by a group of 2 3 independent and internationally recognised experts selected by the OIE;
- Scientific evaluation in 2 or 3 steps with exchanges between the panel of experts and the kit manufacturer through the OIE secretariat for the procedure;
- At the end of the scientific evaluation, final report from the panel of experts which is forwarded to the relevant Specialist Commission.



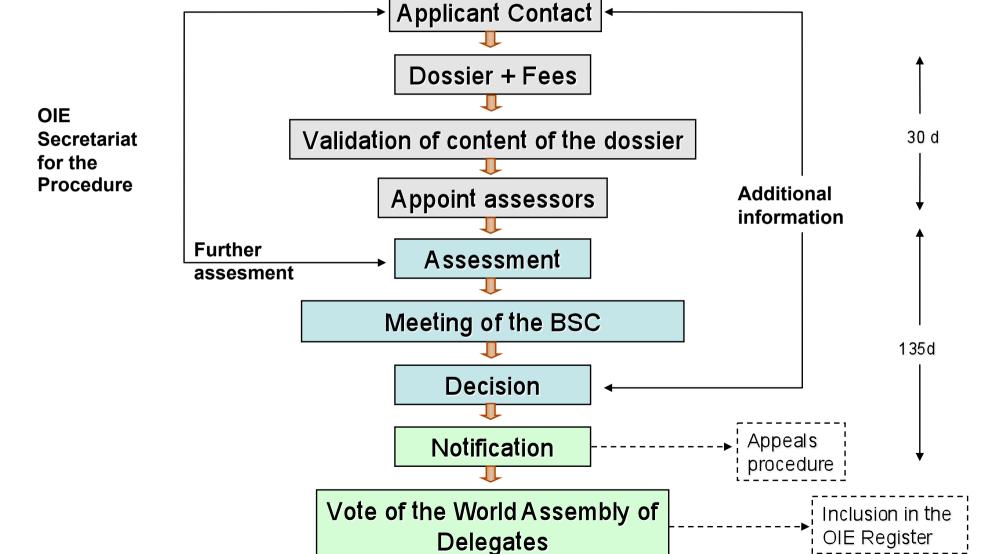
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- The relevant Specialist Commission provide an opinion to propose or not the diagnostic kit for inclusion in the Register for some specific purposes to the vote of the World Assembly of Delegates:
 - <u>Favourable opinion</u>: the diagnostic kit will be proposed for adoption through a resolution to the vote of the World Assembly of Delegates by the OIE Director General;
 - Unfavorable opinion: the OIE Director General informs the applicant in writing that the application does not satisfy the criteria for inclusion of the kit in the OIE register, together with the reasons for rejection – Appeal procedure possible
- Vote of the World Assembly of Delegates during the next General Session

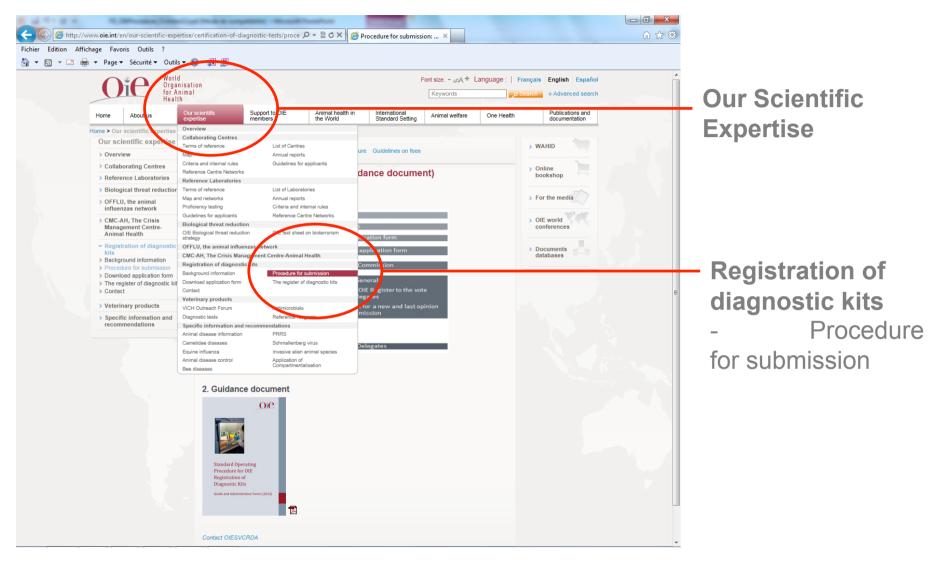


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Outline of all the process



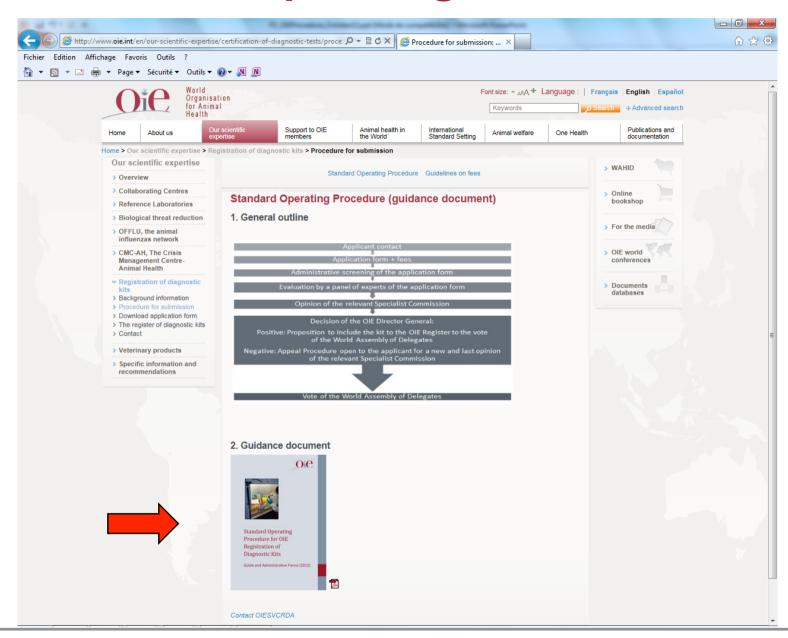
Standard Operating Procedure 1/2



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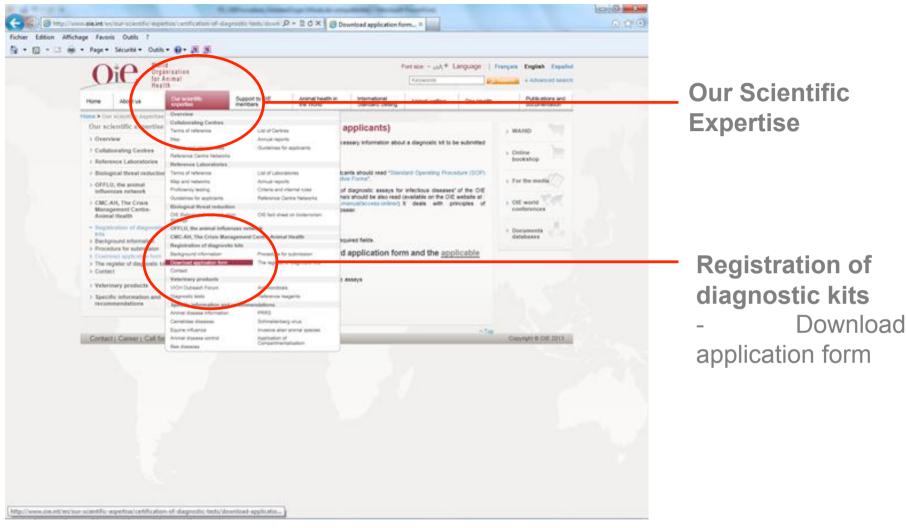


Standard Operating Procedure 2/2





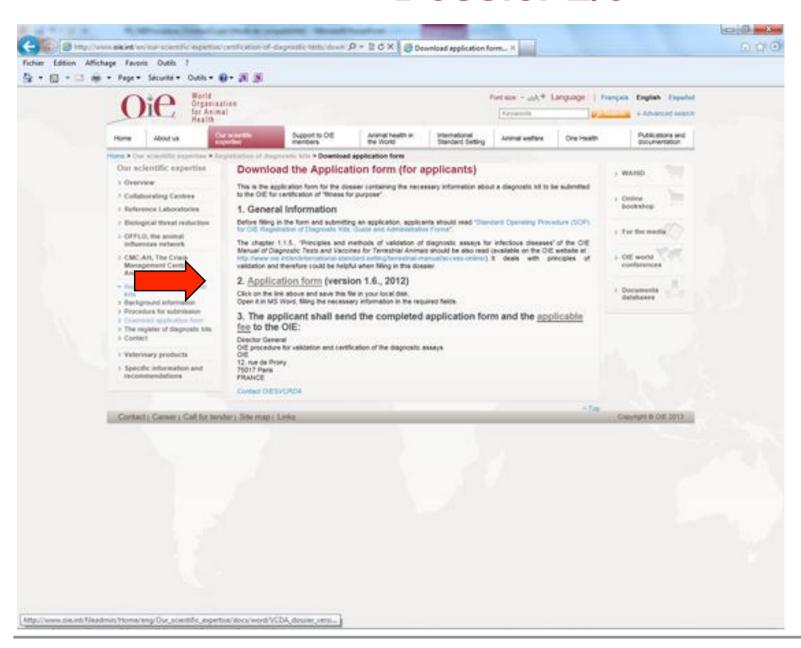
Dossier 1/3



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Dossier 2/3





Dossier 3/3

Word document – Content:

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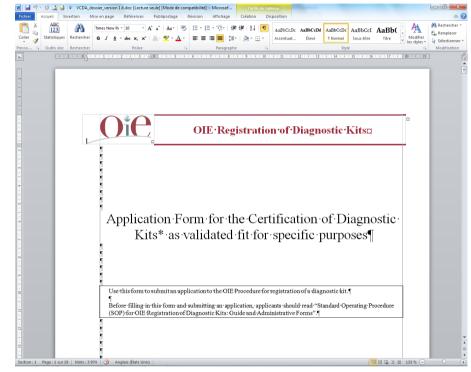
Section 2: General information

Section 3: Development & Validation

Section 4: Performance summary

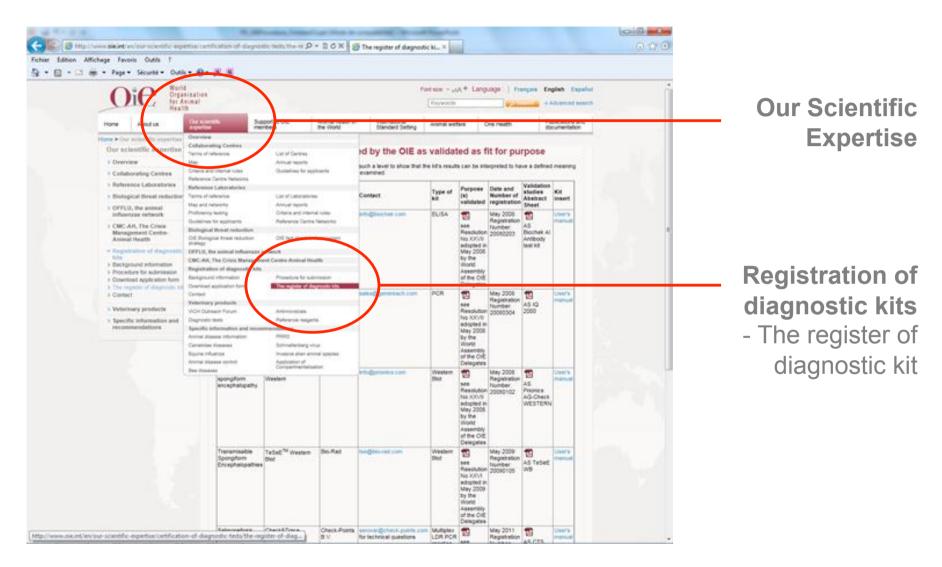
Section 5: Additional data

Section 6: References



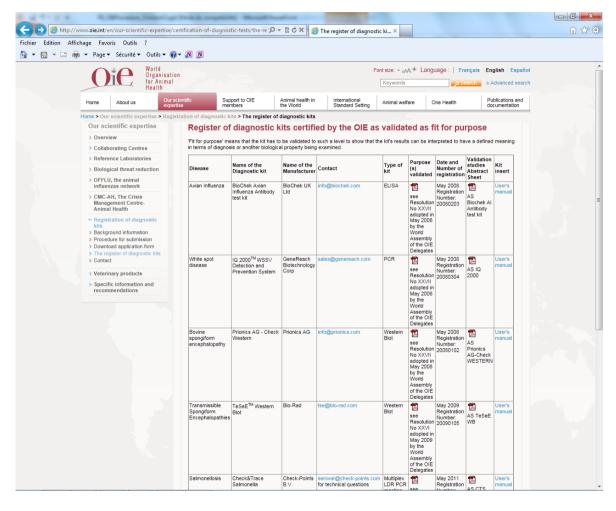


OIE Register 1/3



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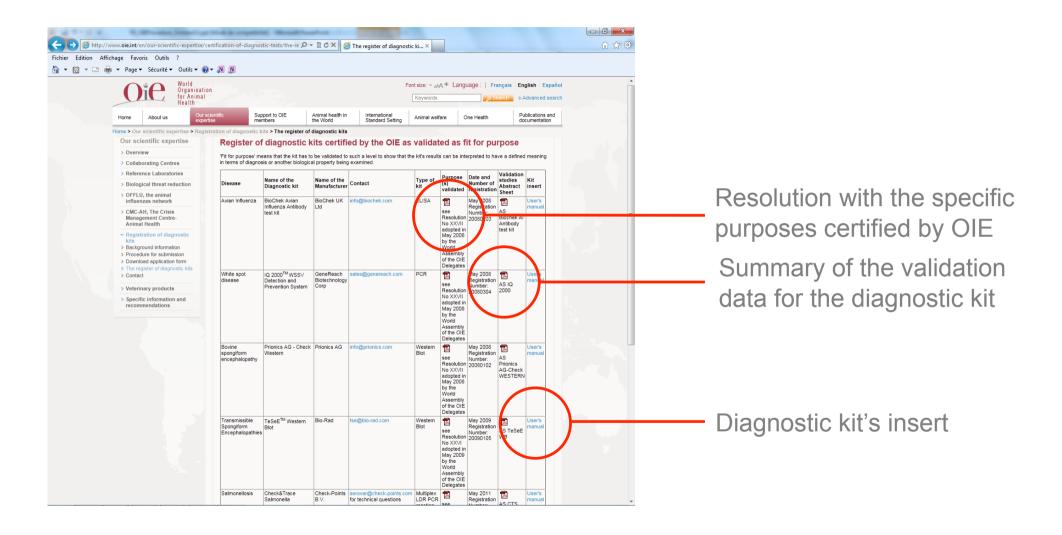
OIE Register 2/3



OIE Register currently comprises 7 diagnostic kits (kits for AI, Bovine tuberculosis, BSE/TSE, Salmonella typing, and White Spot Disease)



OIE Register 3/3





Resolution No. XXXII, General Session 2006:

Recognition and implementation of OIE standards for the validation and registration of diagnostic assays by Member Countries

2. Member Countries of the OIE are encouraged to harmonise their standards for the validation and registration of diagnostic assays with the standards, guidelines and recommendations in the OIE Manual of Diagnostic Tests and Vaccines for Terrestrial Animals and where such standards are absent or not yet developed, to apply the standards in the Manual and in the OIE test register for the registration of such products within their countries.



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