

BREAK-OUT GROUP ACTIVITY 1

Information sheet

SCENARIO: LIVE GOATS

YOU ARE EXPORTING 'COUNTRY C'

You have received a request from an association of goat breeders in your country that would like to export goats for reproduction to 'Country Z'.

Task:

1. Using the relevant chapters of the *Terrestrial Code*, develop the export health measures, based on the country disease statuses described below.
2. What additional information would you prepare and provide at the request of the Veterinary Authority of the importing country to support your disease status claims prior to commencing trade?
3. Once ready approach 'Country Z' Group and start the process of negotiation.

Your disease status ('Country C'):

- OIE official recognition as country free from **food and mouth disease (FMD)** without vaccination;
- **Rift Valley fever virus** has been reported through WAHIS;
- Self-declared zone free from **bluetongue virus**;
- Self-declared free from **scrapie**
- Self-declared free from **sheep pox and goat pox**
- OIE official recognition as country free from **Peste des Petits Ruminants (PPR)**;
- **caprine arthritis/encephalitis virus** is present and has been reported through WAHIS; and
- **contagious caprine pleuropneumonia** is present and has been reported through WAHIS.

'Country Z' (Importing country) claims the following:

- OIE official recognition as country free from **FMD** without vaccination;
- self-declared free from **Rift Valley fever virus**;
- self-declared free from **bluetongue virus**;
- self-declared free from **scrapie**;
- self-declared free from **sheep pox and goat pox**;
- OIE official recognition as country free from **PPR**;
- self-declared free from **caprine arthritis/encephalitis virus**; and
- **contagious caprine pleuropneumonia** is present and has been reported through WAHIS and an official control programme is in place.

NOTE: For the purposes of this exercise no other diseases need to be considered.