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SINT MAARTEN CONDITIONS OF IMPORT Dogs, Cats, and Ferrets



- 1. The animal must be at least fifteen (15) weeks old.
- 2. The animal must be marked with a microchip OR a readable tattoo applied before 2011.
- 3. The animal must be fully immunized against the Rabies virus through vaccination administered by or under the supervision of a licensed veterinarian. The immunization period must be valid for one (1) OR three (3) years at the time of entry into Sint Maarten.
 - An animal that has received a Rabies vaccination for the first-time or is revaccinated after the expiration date of the previous vaccination *MUST* undergo a twenty-one (21) day waiting period to guarantee full immunization.
 - b. Animals that are revaccinated prior to the due date of the next vaccination are exempted from the twenty-one (21) day waiting period.
 - c. The Rabies immunization information must be mentioned on the health certificate OR on a separate Rabies certificate.
- 4. The animal has full immunization against the following viruses according to its species through vaccination administered by or under the supervision of a licensed veterinarian:
 - a. **Canine (Dogs):** Distemper, Hepatitis, Leptospirosis, Parvovirus, Parainfluenza (DHLPP Vaccine), Bordetella,
 - b. Feline (Cats): Leukemia, Rhinotracheitis, Calicivirus, Panleukopenia, Pneumonitis
- 5. The animal has been administered parasitic treatment(s) by or under the supervision of a licensed veterinarian (e.g., *NexGuard, Bravecto, Frontline, etc.*) to treat and further prevent internal and external parasites (particularly the Amblyomma sp. And Boophillus sp.). The treatment(s) must be valid at the time of entry into Sint Maarten.
 - a. The product information, treatment date, and validity period of the treatment must be mentioned on the health certificate.
- The animal is free from clinical signs of communicable, contagious, or infectious cutaneous diseases.

Applicable until December 31st, 2023