# F10/20: Sri Lanka: restrictions on animal products and animal byproducts because of Covid-19

## **Animal Products**

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### Information for exporters of animal products and animal 1 by-products

- (1) Sri Lanka's Department of Animal Products and Health (DAPH) has issued an urgent notice stating that it is restricting the import of animal products and animal by-products, in response to Covid-19.
- (2) The notice specifies that the restriction applies to animal products and animal by-products such as meat & bone meal (MBM), bristles, and hair etc to Sri Lanka.
- (3) It is also likely to apply to exports of tallows and oils, casings, pet food, poultry and feather meal.
- (4) Processed milk products do not appear to be affected by this as milk powders are being cleared at the border.
- (5)It is unclear whether fish and fish products are included in the restriction.
- (6)All exporters should check with their importers over the eligibility of their products for the time being.

### Contact for further information

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