

Service	Unit	User fee
		Beginning Oct. 1, 2003
Each additional group of donor pairs, up to 5 donor pairs per group, on the same certificate.	Per group of donor pairs .....	37.00
Semen .....	Per certificate .....	51.00
Release from export agricultural hold:		
Simple (2 hours or less) .....	Per release .....	70.00
Complicated (more than 2 hours) .....	Per release .....	180.00

<sup>1</sup> This user fee includes a single inspection and resealing of the container at the APHIS employee's regular tour of duty station or at a limited port. For each subsequent inspection and resealing required, the hourly user fee in § 130.30 will apply.

We inspect lots of pet birds <sup>4</sup> of U.S. origin returning to the United States. As specified in § 130.10(a), user fees for the inspection of pet birds of U.S. origin returning to the United States, except pet birds of U.S. origin returning from Canada, during fiscal year 2004 and beyond are \$108 per lot of birds which have been out of the United States for 60 days or less, and \$257 per lot of pet birds which have been out of the United States for more than 60 days.

We also provide housing, care, feed, and handling for pet birds quarantined in APHIS-owned or -supervised

quarantine facilities. The daily user fee to quarantine pet birds applies per isolette and varies based on the number of pet birds determined by an APHIS representative to be appropriate per isolette. All the birds quarantined in one isolette are covered by one fee, which is assessed daily for the duration of the quarantine. As specified in § 130.10(b), the daily user fee for each pet bird quarantined in an APHIS-owned or supervised quarantine facility for fiscal year 2004 and beyond is \$9.25 for one pet bird quarantined in one isolette, \$11

for two pet birds quarantined in one isolette, \$13 for three pet birds quarantined in one isolette, \$15 for four pet birds quarantined in one isolette, and \$18 for five pet birds quarantined in one isolette.

We inspect and approve various import and export facilities and establishments.<sup>5</sup> As specified in § 130.11, the user fees for inspecting and approving import and export facilities and establishments during fiscal year 2004 and beyond will be as listed in the following table:

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Embryo collection center inspection and approval (all inspections required during the year for facility approval).	Per year .....	\$380.00
Inspection for approval of biosecurity level three laboratories (all inspections related to approving the laboratory for handling one defined set of organisms or vectors).	Per inspection. ....	977.00
Inspection for approval of pet food manufacturing, rendering, blending, or digest facilities:		
Initial approval .....	For all inspections required during the year.	404.75
Renewal .....	For all inspections required during the year.	289.00
Inspection for approval of pet food spraying and drying facilities:		
Initial approval .....	For all inspections required during the year.	275.00
Renewal .....	For all inspections required during the year.	162.00
Inspection for approval of slaughter establishment:		
Initial approval (all inspections) .....	Per year .....	373.00
Renewal (all inspections) .....	Per year .....	323.00
Inspection of approved establishments, warehouses, and facilities under 9 CFR parts 94 through 96:		
Approval (compliance agreement) (all inspections for first year of 3-year approval) .....	Per year .....	398.00
Renewed approval (all inspections for second and third years of 3-year approval) .....	Per year .....	230.00

We endorse export health certificates for animals, birds, or animal products.<sup>6</sup> As specified in § 130.20(a), the user fees for each export health certificate endorsed for animals, birds, or animal products that do not require the verification of tests or vaccinations,

regardless of the number of animals, birds, or animal products covered by the certificate, will be \$32 for animal and nonanimal products; \$30 for hatching eggs; \$30 for poultry, including slaughter poultry; \$33 for ruminants, except slaughter ruminants moving to

Canada or Mexico;<sup>7</sup> \$35 for slaughter animals (except poultry but including ruminants) moving to Canada or Mexico; and \$24 for other endorsements or certifications during fiscal year 2004 and beyond.

<sup>4</sup> Provisions for the importation of pet birds into the United States are specified in 9 CFR, chapter I, subchapter D of the regulations.

<sup>5</sup> Requirements for the inspection and approval of various quarantine facilities are specified in 9 CFR, chapter I, subchapter D of the regulations.

<sup>6</sup> Those animals, birds, or animal products that require export health certificates are specified in 9 CFR, chapter I, subchapter D of the regulations.

<sup>7</sup> This particular fee is new, and was established in a final rule that was published in the **Federal Register** on August 29, 2003 (68 FR 51878-51887,

Docket No. 02-040-2) and becomes effective on October 1, 2003.