



# Status of establishments and operators indicated in intra-EU certificates in TRACES

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# Current state of play in TRACES Classic



- No requirement for the validation of the place of destination indicated in an intra-EU certificate
- Operators and authorities at the place of dispatch can create on-the-spot the place of destination in a “pre-valid” status
- Not a new practice → so far intra-EU certification is being completed on this basis since 2004
  - No legal basis for the registration of establishments
  - Imposing control would block the trade

# New rules – IMSOC Reg. amendment



- IMSOC Regulation amendment (Reg. 2021/547), applicable since 21 April 2021, brings updated requirements
- the list of establishments and operators subject to registration in TRACES in accordance with Article 45 of IMSOC Reg. has been extended
- Member States' obligation to register and keep up-to-date in TRACES the lists of registered and approved establishments which are involved in cross border activities

# New approach in TRACES NT



- New approach to be implemented progressively in the context of the activation of the new INTRA module in TRACES NT (October 2021)
- Operators and establishments at the places of origin, loading and destination will have to be selected from a premade list available in TRACES-NT (“closed lists” of operators)
- The aim is that Member States complete the exercise of registration of these operators in TRACES NT by the end of the year
- Before any control is imposed Member States will be warned in due time

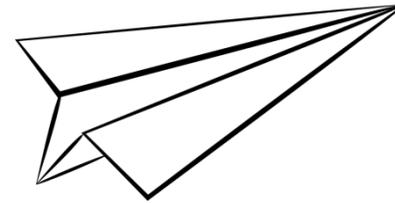
# Preparatory steps performed so far



- TRACES Info-Note of 16 December 2020: Information regarding the migration of the INTRA module to TRACES-NT & “INTRA Preparedness manual”
- March 2021: Series of INTRA Preparedness demos offered to Member States (more than 600 participants)
- 24 March 2021: Communication of the new veterinary sections implemented in TRACES NT in accordance with the new Animal Health Law (2016/429)
- June-July 2021: Series of INTRA – AJL training sessions offered to Member states (more than 700 participants)

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## Thank you!



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