

## Lessons learned from audit in Slovenia on exports of live animals by sea

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# Dir. F's project on enforcement of animal welfare during transport

Suitability and effectiveness of measures to prevent injury or undue suffering during transport

Project now focuses on transport by sea @ exit

points in

ES FR IE HR RO SI

Audits to ES HR SI





Trade via Koper, Slovenia

1,925 road consignments (mostly cattle from Hungary, Croatia and Germany) in 2017

71 shipments to non-EU countries (Lebanon, Israel, Syria, Jordan and Egypt).



# Planning in Member States of departure

#### PLANNING

1.1.	ORGANISER Name and address (a) (b)	1.2.	Name of the person in charge of the journey
		1.3.	Telephone/Fax
2.	TOTAL EXPECTED DURATION (hours/days)		
3.1.	Place and country of DEPARTURE	4.1.	Place and country of DESTINATION



### **Inadequate planning MS of departure**

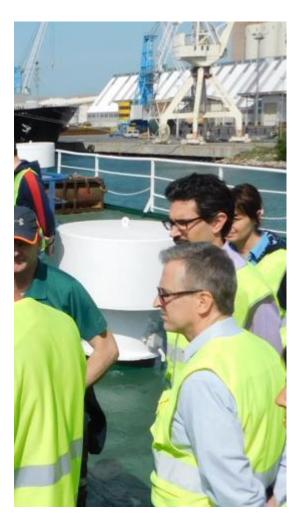
6. LIST OF SCHEDULED RESTING, TRANSFER OR EXIT POINTS								
6.1. Name of the places where animals are to be rested, or transferred (including exit points)	6.2. Date	Arrival Time	6.3. Length (in hours)	6.4. Transporter's name and authorisation No (if different from the organiser)				
Road journey OK								
Name of a				No transporter				
livestock				for the journey				
vessel but				by sea				
<ol> <li>I, the organiser, hereby declare that I am responsible for the organisation of the abovementioned journey and I have made suitable arrangements to safeguard the welfare of the animals throughout the journey in accordance with the provisions of Council Regulation (EC) No 1/2005</li> </ol>								
Signature of the organiser								



### Livestock vessel inspections

Regulation (EC) No 1/2005 (Annex I Chapter IV section 1)

- Strength of pen rails and decks;
- Ventilation
- A continuous supply of water;
- A drainage system;
- Sufficient lighting;
- Alarms;
- Power and secondary source of power.





# Vessel approval and inspections

Inadequate systems for ventilation, water supply, drainage, lighting, alarms.

The same vessel loaded animals in:
SI, RO, ES in 2017
RO and ES in 2018
Approved in FR 2013







#### Member States with exit points at ports

- Check systematically vessels before loading even if the vessel is approved,
- Make sure there is an authorised transporter for the sea journey;
- Support inspectors on "non-veterinary" requirements of livestock vessels (see network document)





### Member States of places of departure

#### Ensure that organisers plan properly with:

- A road transporter;
- A transporter for the sea journey;
- Booking of control posts;
- Access to contingency plans (e.g. refusal of loading)

Verification of planning is done as part of your controls of journey logs



### Thanks for your attention

#### **NETWORK DOCUMENT ON LIVESTOCK VESSELS**



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