



Ref: CTO 2014 145 [G]

Egg: Products Containing >5% Egg

CTO direction to biosecurity inspectors for the clearance of products containing greater than 5% egg.

Replaces CTO direction CTO 2013 015

Pursuant to section 27(1)(d)(iii) of the Biosecurity Act 1993 I Marnie Thomas, Manager Animal Imports, Ministry for Primary Industries (under delegated authority), give the following directions for products containing greater than 5% egg to be given clearance in accordance with the following measures, different from those in the applicable import health standard, Specified Foods for Human Consumption Containing Animal Products (EDIPROIC.ALL).

The product(s) must be accompanied by an original manufacturer's declaration that specifies the egg ingredient is derived from a country where Angara disease is not known to occur. The eggs must have undergone a minimum heat treatment of at least 60 degrees Celsius for no less than 2.5 minutes, or 60 degrees Celsius for no less than 3.5 minutes at any stage of the manufacturing process or a heat treatment approved by MPI to be sufficient to mitigate the risk of the product containing the risk organisms, avian influenza and Newcastle disease virus.

This direction takes effect from the date of signing and continues in effect until amended or revoked.