Application Procedure of Importation of Dogs and Cats from Group II Countries/Places

Step 1

- Apply Special Permit for Importation (Valid for 6 Months)
  - Require at least 3 working days to process the application (Not include application day and dispatch day)
  - Read the terms stipulated in the Special Permit granted to you

Step 2

- Get Vaccinated
  - Anti-Rabies Vaccination
    - Not less than 30 days and not more than 1 year prior to export to Hong Kong
  - Other Vaccinations
    - Not less than 14 days and not more than 1 year prior to export to Hong Kong
    - Dogs - Canine Distemper, Infectious Canine Hepatitis and Canine Parvovirus
    - Cats - Feline Panleucopaenia (Infectious Enteritis) and Feline Respiratory Disease Complex (Cat Flu)
    - Make sure the animal has been microchipped

Step 3

- Arrange transportation to import the animal
- Prepare Animal Health Certificate and Residence Certificate, issued not more than 14 days before export
- Submit copies of documents to our Airport Office for checking

Step 4

- Notify Duty Officer of the Import & Export Section at least 24 hours before the anticipated time of arrival

Step 5

- Transport the animal to Hong Kong as Manifested Cargo and Prepare Airline Certificate (Captain’s Affidavit)

Step 6

- Collection of Animal at Hong Kong International Airport