



## Schweiz / Suisse / Svizzera / Switzerland

### Additional certification for the export of cheese from unpasteurized cattle or buffalo milk from Switzerland to Canada

	<b>II. Zoosanitary information</b>	Certificate reference number*:
<b>Part II: Zoosanitary information</b>	<p>I, the undersigned official veterinarian, after due enquiry and to the best of my knowledge, do hereby certify that:</p> <p>For cheese made from unpasteurized milk of cattle or buffalo:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) The milk used to make the cheese was collected in a country or zone recognized free of Foot and mouth Disease by Canada<sup>1</sup>.</li> <li>2) The milk used to make the cheese was collected in Switzerland and originates from a premise that is not under restriction due to an outbreak of Lumpy Skin Disease (LSD) and has not been commingled with milk from any premises under restriction due to LSD.</li> <li>3) The milk has been thermised at a minimum temperature of 57°C</li> </ol> <p>OR</p> <p>The curd was heat-treated at a minimum temperature of 50°C.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4) The cheese has been ripened for a minimum of 90 days.</li> <li>5) The cheese has reached a pH of less than 6.</li> <li>6) The cheese has a moisture content of less than 65% on a fat-free basis.</li> <li>7) The ingredients and the finished product have been handled, processed, and stored to prevent cross-contamination with any milk or milk products not meeting the conditions of this certificate.</li> <li>8) The milk used to make the cheese is derived from animals which have not been treated with any veterinary drugs prohibited under the Food and Drugs Regulations<sup>2</sup>.</li> </ol>	

	<b>Switzerland</b>	<b>Cheese from unpasteurized milk</b>
	<b>III. Signature</b>	Certificate reference number*:
<b>Part III: Signature</b>	<p>Official veterinarian:</p> <p>Full name: _____ Official position: _____</p> <p>Address: _____ Stamp and signature: _____</p> <p>Date: _____</p>	

<sup>1</sup> [Foot and Mouth Disease - Countries officially recognized by Canada as free of the disease - inspection.canada.ca](http://inspection.canada.ca)

<sup>2</sup> [List of Banned Drugs - Canada.ca](http://inspection.canada.ca)

\* Indicated by the cantonal competent authority.