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Export of Dogs and Cats to Australia – amended ET260 published

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Purpose

To notify OV's in GB that an amended version of the RNATT Declaration for export of dogs and cats to Australia (ET260) is available for use, and that an interim period will apply where older versions of the ET260 can still be submitted to the Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry (DAFF).

Background

[APHA BN 33/24](#) was published in October informing OV's of the new requirements for the import of cats and dogs into Australia from the UK. After receiving feedback from DAFF in Australia, APHA have been asked to make some amendments to the ET260.

These amendments have now been made, which include:

- Questions 16, 17, 24, 25 and 28 have been updated
- UK has been removed from country box in question 19
- Section E has been amended to remove the pre-populated options for deleting Defra/DAERA

Action

The new version of the ET260 (Rev.02/25) is now available on the OV instructions on Improve International: [ET260 RNATT Declaration for export of dogs and cats to Australia](#)

Previous versions are still permitted to be submitted to DAFF for an interim period up to 7 March, after which the new (Rev. 02/25) version will be the only version that DAFF will accept.

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