

Step 1: VEHCS Certificate Link from Footer

- I. Connect to VEHCS using the Web address: www.aphis.usda.gov/HCverify.

Step 2: Search for a Certificate

- I. Only certificates that are endorsed by USDA-APHIS can be viewed. Voided certificates cannot be viewed.
- II. **All the fields must be complete in order to view a certificate.** You must have the **Certificate Number** and the **Country of Destination** in order to search for a certificate. The Certificate Number must be entered **exactly** as it is written, including dashes (Ex: VS-XX-99-XX-999-999999999).

* Certificate Number:

* Country of Destination:

- III. The security check requires you to solve a math problem. Be sure to include the negative sign (-) if the answer is a negative number. You can click the **Refresh** button if you would like a new math problem.

* Security Check: $0 - 7 =$

Enter the answer below.

- IV. After entering all the fields, click the **View Certificate Data** button.



Step 3: Certificate Detail

- I. The Certificate Detail page will display a summary of the certificate details, such as the destination country, commodity type and intended use.

- II. Click the **View Certificate** button. A copy of the certificate in PDF format will open up in a new window.



- III. To return to the previous screen to search for another certificate, click the **Back** button located on the upper right corner of the Certificate Details page.