

The Systematic Inspection Procedures of Market Access Review

Step 1

Submit the application

- Applicant countries' competent authorities submit the application to TFDA. (BAPHIQ is the contact point of market access application for meat products except for the beef products from BSE-occurred countries)

Step 2

Food Safety Questionnaire review

- The applicant countries are requested to fill in Food Safety Questionnaire and provide related documents/information/data to TFDA for documents review.
- If necessary, TFDA will request the applicant countries to provide supplemental documents/information.

BSE-occurred countries which apply for export beef products to Taiwan shall submit required documents as published on TFDA website (<http://www.fda.gov.tw/TC/siteList.aspx?sid=223>).

Step 3

On-site inspection

- TFDA will conduct the on-site inspection. (BAPHIQ is in charge of meat products except for the beef products from BSE-occurred countries.)
- TFDA may cooperate with agriculture authority and fishery authority to conduct on-site inspection..

Step 4

Systematic Inspection results review

- TFDA will review the on-site inspection result.
- If necessary,
 - TFDA will request the applicant countries to provide supplemental documents/information.
 - TFDA will request the on-site inspection again.

Step 5

Determination of the market access

- To determine by cross-ministries:
 - (1)The scope of the market access.
 - (2)The timing of opening.
 - (3)The requirements of the import.