
Sample "Certificate of Free Sale"*

Or

"Certificate of Origin" **

Or

"Certificate of Sanitation/Health" *
(Choose one)**

(Winery Letterhead)

This is to certify that the following listed wines, consigned by (winery name, address, registry number), shipped to (name/address of foreign consignee), are products of the USA and that all wines:

- a) comply with the provisions governing the production and release of wine for direct human consumption in this country, and
- b) were produced by normal and approved methods of vinification and not specifically for the purpose of export.
- c) *(For Use Only Shipments to POLAND)* contain no diethylene glycol and contain methanol at a level that does not exceed the limitation prescribed by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration. (Note: winery is responsible for accuracy of statement. Wine must be tested for methanol content. The maximum allowable concentration is 1000 ppm .)

Kind and Type

Number of Cases

Bottle Size

(List)

Date: _____

(Name and title of winery/exporter

Representative with signing
authority, certifying to the above.)

(For TTB Use Only)

Done at Cincinnati, OH on _____ (date)

Director, National Revenue Center
Alcohol, Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau
8002 Federal Office Building
550 Main Street
Cincinnati, OH 45202

Notes

* Use this format as a “Certificate of Free Sale” with wines shipped to Central and South America, if asked by the receiving country. These certificates will be signed and notarized by TTB, if requested.

** Use this format as a “Certificate of Origin” with wines shipped to non-EU countries, if asked by the receiving country. These certificates will be signed by TTB, if requested.

*** Use this format as a “Certificate of Sanitation” or “Certificate of Health” with wines shipped to China and Japan. This certificate with the above title will be stamped by TTB, if requested.

Use the VI-1 Form, instead of any of the certificates referenced above, for wines shipped to members of the European Union (EU). The 15 member countries are: Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Germany, Finland, France, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, the Netherlands, Portugal, Spain, Sweden and the United Kingdom. See Industry Circular 86-2 dated January 24, 1986 for more information about the VI-1 Form for exports to the EU.