GOAT BREEDERS ASSOCIATION OF ZIMBABWE

Import application checklist

What the DVS Veterinary Permit Office needs before the 14 working days start

Send everything in your first email or call so processing starts straight away: vetpermits@gmail.com, +263 242 791516 (Monday to Friday, working hours). Compiled by GBAZ from the DVS import permit poster; last verified 18 November 2026. No permit, no entry.

- [ ] **Importer details: full name or company, ID or registration number, physical address, phone and email**
- [ ] **What you wish to import: species, breed, number, sex and age of each animal, or the product, quantity and packaging**
- [ ] **Purpose: breeding, slaughter, feedlot, show, research or re-export**
- [ ] **Country of origin, exporter's name and address, and the farm or establishment of origin**
- [ ] **Exporting country's veterinary authority that will certify the consignment**
- [ ] **Proposed port of entry and route, including countries crossed in transit**
  Transit through Botswana needs a Botswana in-transit permit.
- [ ] **Pedigree papers or export certificate from the exporting breed society for registered goats**
- [ ] **Quarantine arrangements on arrival: where, for how long, who supervises**
- [ ] **Timing: application sent at least 14 working days before the animals are due to leave**
- [ ] **Collection and payment planned at 18 Liberation Legacy Way, Harare: cash, EcoCash or bank transfer**
- [ ] **Permit copy sent to the exporter so the health certificate is issued against its conditions**
- [ ] **Current FMD position checked for the origin country (South Africa restrictions apply)**

Date: _____ Signed: _____ Veterinary Office: _____