



Application Stallion Semen import 2010

For anyone interested in using imported semen from a stallion approved in another studbook than the Swedish Warmblood Association there is a possibility to have the stallion evaluated for breeding without an on site inspection. This is provided the stallion fulfils the requirements stated below according to the Rules and Regulations for evaluation of stallions for Swedish Warmblood breeding.

The Stallion Licensing Committee will handle applications for prospective new stallions for semen import four times a year. Hence the four separate deadlines for application: **January 30th, February 30th, March 30th and April 30th.**

For stallions that has once been approved by the Stallion Licensing Committee, an application for semen import needs to be submitted every year to renew the breeding license -“Reapplication for stallion semen import”. This re-application is free of charge. The 2010 licensing fee is 5 000 SEK incl VAT.

Down below is a short description of how the application is to be submitted.

1. **Fill out the form “Application for evaluation of stallion for semen import”.**
2. **The submitted forms should include:**

The filled out application form and official attachments from the breed association where the stallion is approved. These include:

 - a. A copy of the pedigree
 - b. A copy of the results from either/or stallion performance test and competition results
 - c. A copy of the latest conformation description of the stallion, from its performance test or keurung
 - d. Information on possible merits that siblings, dam and other close relatives may have
 - e. Information on possible offspring and their merits as well as the stallion's breeding index from the original breed association
 - f. A soundness/health document shall accompany the application signed by the breed association's veterinarian or the stallion owner's veterinarian
 - g. Earlier fertility results in regards to the method of artificial insemination intended. This document is to be submitted from the breed association or the stallion owner.

These documents need to be submitted for the application to be handled.
3. **The fee for evaluating a stallion on paper only, is 3000 SEK incl VAT** if the application is submitted before **April 30th**. A delay charge of 1 000 SEK incl VAT per month will be applied for applications submitted every month thereafter. The license holder undertakes to report all covered mares during the season as well as all the foals born the following year. The numbers are to be submitted to ASVH by September 30th said year via www.sprangrulla.se.