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Certificate of Free Sale - *Example*

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Certificate n°:	[Certificate Reference]
Country of Issue:	Australia
Exporter:	[Exporter Name and Address]

Vintage	Trademark	Type	Product
[Vintage]	[Brand Name]	[Variety]	[Red wine – Vino Tinoto] [White wine – Vino Bianco]

WINE AUSTRALIA CORPORATION REGULATIONS

The Wine Australia Corporation is a statutory authority of the Australian Government established under the provisions of the *Wine Australia Corporation Act, 1980*. The Act and Wine Australia Corporation Regulations define the objects of the Act and the functions of the Corporation.

The above Regulations provide that the export of a defined grape product from Australia is prohibited unless certain prescribed criteria are met. The conditions state:

- The exporter must be licensed;
- The licensee must provide samples of each product destined for export, for the purpose of determining the soundness and merchantability of the grape product via a sensory evaluation.

At the point of evaluation the product is also subject to the following assessments:

- The product must comply with the Australian Food Standards Code in respect to both labelling and analytical requirements; and
- The product must comply with the Wine Australia Corporation Regulations in respect to the blending requirements for any vintage, varietal, or geographical indication claimed on the label.
- If an “organic” claim is made, the product satisfies the requirements of Australia’s export control orders regarding such claims.

This is to certify that free sale of the wine listed above is permitted in Australia (subject to State Licensing Laws) and that the wines have been granted export approval from the Wine Australia Corporation on the basis that the above criteria have been met.

On the basis of the declaration by the exporter that the wines have been made in conformance with the Australian Food Standards Code, and the wines comply with that Code, the wines are intended for direct human consumption.

Signature, Name and Title of Official:

Compliance and Regulations Manager

