Information for veterinary practitioners who work cross-border in Austria
(§ 4a Tierärztesgesetz)

Nationals of a signatory state of the EEA, who are entitled to practise the veterinary profession in such a country, are allowed to practise the veterinary profession cross-border in Austria.

procedure:

- notification to Austrian Veterinary Chamber
- prior to provision of veterinary services
- to be provided by the veterinary practitioner:
  - certificate of state of establishment, which verifies the legal practice of the veterinary profession in this state (in German, not older than 3 months)
  - renewal of notification once a year (due date: annual date of beginning of the veterinary practice in Austria)
  - copy of diploma or formal qualification
- entry into list of veterinary practitioners with addition of cross-border activity
- no veterinary practitioner’s identification card

Working cross-border in Austria veterinary practitioners have to carry along the certificate of state of establishment, which verifies the legal practice of the veterinary profession in this state.

Veterinary practitioners, who are working cross-border in Austria, are subject to

- disciplinary measures of the chamber
- Austrian Fee Structure for veterinary practitioners

Yours sincerely
Austrian Veterinary Chamber