



Gene by Gene, LTD dba FamilyTreeDNA  
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Houston, TX 77008

**Date:**

**Kit Number**

**Tracking :**

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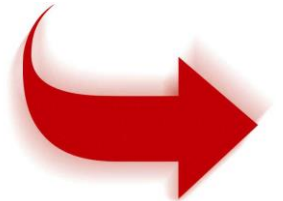
**Manufacturer Declaration - NOT for MEDICAL PURPOSES**  
**Returns to the United States for Processing**

1. **Tariff Codes:** HS 9903.01.32 - IEEPA Reciprocal Exclusion  
HS 3002.90.5250 - Exempt human specimen  
**(NOT for MEDICAL PURPOSES)**
1. **Country of Origin:** United States - All components were manufactured & assembled in the U.S.A.
2. **Purpose/Use:** The contents listed above are being returned to the United States for human genealogy research (non-medical) processing and therefore have no value. **The contents have NOT been advanced in value or improved in condition by any process of manufacture while abroad.**
3. **Toxic Substance Control Act (TSCA) Certification:** Lysis buffer consists of the following reagents: water, 100mM Tris HCl pH 8.5, 0.5M EDTA, 10% SDS and 5M NaCl. I certify that all chemicals in this shipment are NOT subject to TSCA. The liquid contents of Tris HCl, SDS, NaCl are existing chemical substances that are already on the TSCA Inventory as exempt.
4. **U.S. PHS Import Permit is NOT Required (42CFR, Section 71.54 (f)):** A U.S. PHS Import permit is NOT required as the nucleic acids cannot produce infectious forms of any infectious biological agent and the specimen is accompanied by an importer certification statement confirming that the material is not known to contain or suspected of containing an infectious biological agent.
5. **I, Kelly Jenkins, declare that the contents described above were manufactured in the United States. This package does not contain dangerous goods, drugs, medications, flammable materials, liquid nitrogen nor any animal or cell culture-derived products.**

Sincerely,

*Kelly Jenkins*

Kelly Jenkins  
Vice President, Operations



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**INTERNATIONAL CUSTOMS DECLARATION  
IMPORT PERMIT NOT REQUIRED  
LYSIS BUFFER**

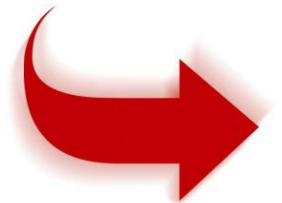
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1. **These samples are for Gene by Gene Ltd. ancestry research testing, performed on human DNA in our CLIA & CAP accredited laboratory in Houston, TX and is NOT used for Medical Purposes.**
2. **Contents of the Collection Kit**
  - 2.1. Each collection tube contains our sterile cell lysis buffer used to store the sample until processing. Vials are shipped with sterile swabs & sterile lysis buffer consisting of salts and detergents (composition consists of the following reagents: water, 100mM Tris HCl pH 8.5, 0.5M, 10% SDS and 5M NaCl).
  - 2.2. **The components of this package are manufactured and assembled in the United States.**
  - 2.3. The contents of the vials (before sample collection) do not fall under the **Public Health Service Foreign Quarantine Regulations (42CFR, Section 71.54)**, as there is no etiological agent within these vials; vials only contain sterile salts and detergents.
3. **Description of Material *After* Buccal Swab Sample Collection**
  - 3.1. The human DNA is used for ancestry testing purposes and does **NOT** contain infectious material.
  - 3.2. Vials consist of nucleic acid (DNA) from a human with **NO KNOWN** communicable disease. As per the **Public Health Service Foreign Quarantine Regulations (42CFR, Section 71.54 (f) 2 and Section 71.54 (f) 4)**, there is **NO** known/suspected etiological agent within these vials.
4. **U.S. PHS Import Permit is NOT Required (42CFR, Section 71.54 (f))**
  - 4.1. **A U.S. PHS Import permit is NOT required** as the nucleic acids cannot produce infectious forms of any infectious biological agent and the specimen is accompanied by an importer certification statement confirming that the material is not known to contain or suspected of containing an infectious biological agent.

If you require further details, logistics and custom parties may contact [shipments@genebygene.com](mailto:shipments@genebygene.com).

Regards,

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