

# ARE YOUR SHEEP FIT TO TRAVEL?

UK law requires that all animals must be fit for the intended journey and not transported in a way likely to cause injury or undue suffering

Have you checked for...



■ Any open wounds, flystrike or prolapses

■ **Disease**  
e.g. Scab, black bag, pasteurella

■ Visual impairment

■ Weakness, fatigue or poor body condition

■ Lameness

■ **Physical abnormalities**  
e.g. Joint ill, suspected fractures

■ Late stage pregnancy

■ Ingrowing horns

**We all have a responsibility to ensure animals are fit for their intended journey.**

By law: in cases of doubt, you must seek advice from your veterinary surgeon and consider alternatives including treatment or on-farm slaughter.



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