



Biosecurity Portal Website Release (EVE) – June 2024

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BIOSECURITY PORTAL – DIGITAL IDENTITY (MYGOVID) CHANNEL

Enhancement

Introduction of the external verification for eCertificates (EVE)

The Biosecurity Portal digital identity (myGovID) pathway landing page has been updated to include an additional tile for 'E-Certificates' (external verification for eCertificates (EVE)).

Biosecurity Portal users who are logged in via the digital identity (myGovID) pathway and are accredited for the Class 19.2 Approved Arrangement (automatic entry processing for commodities (AEPCOMM)) are able to access the EVE website via a new 'E-Certificates' tile on the Biosecurity Portal landing page – see Figures 1 and 2 for reference.

EVE users no longer need to wait for physical copies of sanitary and phytosanitary certificates to conduct assessments of these documents; this can now be performed electronically.

eCertificates which will appear through EVE are already available to the department as part of the department's agreed electronic certification exchanges with trading partner countries – see [eCert \(electronic certification\) for imports - DAFF \(agriculture.gov.au\)](#) for more details. This means that not all certificates are yet in a digital format. As eCertificates expand, so too will the ones available to accredited persons through EVE.

Note: EVE has no impact on current operations, and the verification process for cargo assessments remains the same.

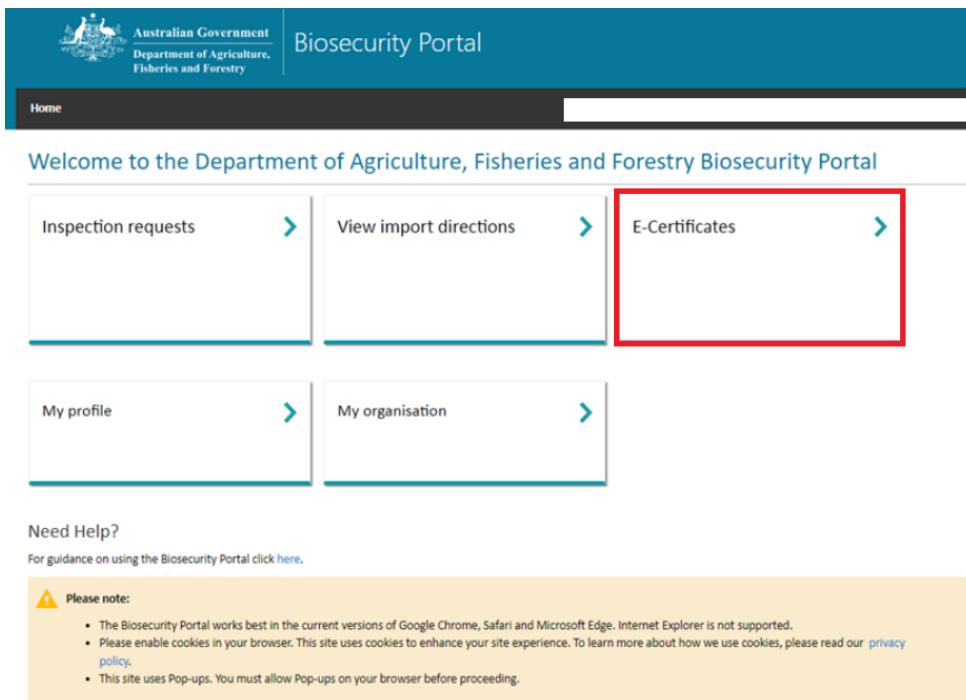


Figure 1: Screenshot of the new landing page of the Biosecurity Portal when logged in via the digital identity (myGovID) pathway (users must also be accredited for Class 19.2 Approved Arrangement / AEPCOMM)

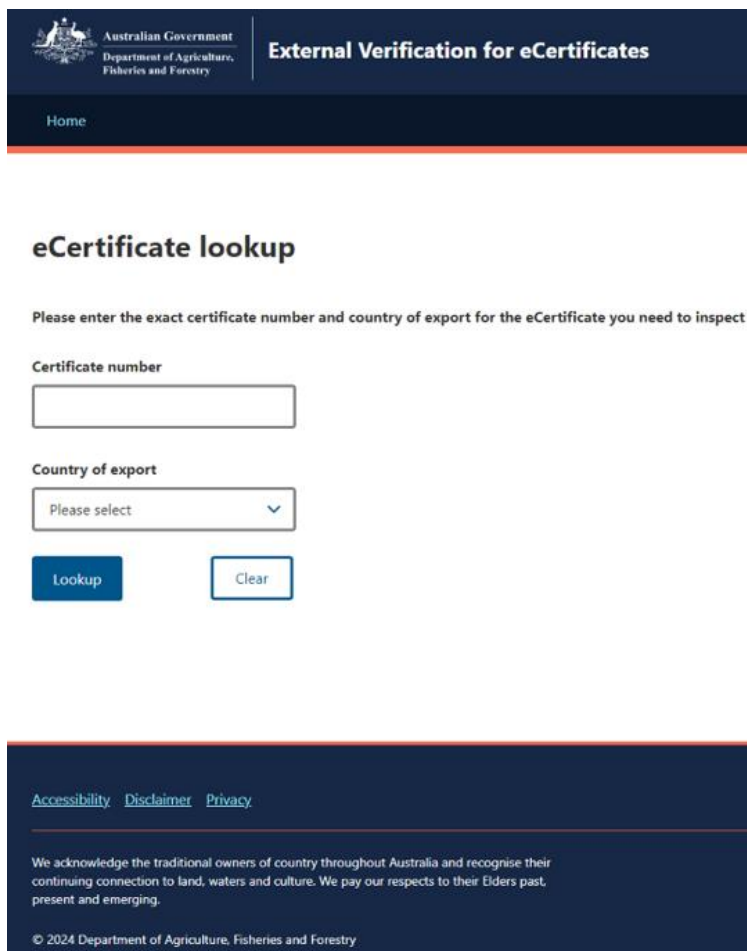


Figure 2: eCertificates search function