

In effect from January 2023: Start declaration of horses trained abroad

For horses trained in other countries that are to be nominated/entered into Swedish races, Swedish Trotting Association (ST) needs time to obtain and register the horses' current information regarding results, records and earnings. Therefore, the start declaration of foreign-trained horses must take place no later than 09:00 a.m. one workday earlier than the time for start declaration of Swedish-trained horses. The current date/time for start declaration of foreign and Swedish-trained horses is specified in the propositions/conditions. See also information below regarding certificates and racing cards.

Start declaration of horses trained abroad should be sent via email with the form "**Start declaration Swedish races**" as an attachment. Fill in the form, attach it to an email and send to startdeclaration@travsport.se. Send one horse per email and enter horse name, race date and racetrack in the subject line of the email.

It is also possible to do a start declaration by phone +46 8 475 27 50.

In effect from January 2023: Certificates and racing card for horses trained abroad

For horses trained in non-Nordic countries that will start in a single race in Sweden, ST needs to receive a temporary export certificate and racing card (result information) from the trainer's national trotting association. For most countries, ST needs to have this information at the latest at the time of start declaration for foreign horses, but for some countries it is sufficient that the certificate is with ST no later than the day before the race day. For Nordic countries, no certificate is needed at all. The difference depends on the possibility of ST for obtaining digital information from the national trotting association in question. See below what applies to your country. It is the trainer's responsibility to ensure that the national trotting association sends the information to ST on time.

For horses trained in the following countries, the trainer needs to ask their national trotting association to send a certificate and racing card to ST no later than the time of start declaration for foreign horses:

Australia, Austria, Belgium, Estonia, Hungary, Italy, Lithuania, Malta, New Zealand, Russia, Serbia, Slovenia, Spain and Switzerland.

The national trotting association emails the certificate and racing card to certificate@travsport.se

For horses trained in the following countries, the trainer needs to ask their national trotting association to send a certificate to ST no later than one workday before the race day:

France, Germany, the Netherlands, Canada and USA.

The national trotting Association emails certificates to certificate@travsport.se

For horses trained in the Nordic countries, no certificate is needed:

Denmark, Finland and Norway.