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Meat and Egg Traders

Dear Sir/Madam

H5N1 HIGHLY PATHOGENIC AVIAN INFLUENZA (HPAI) IN POLAND

Poland reported an outbreak of H5N1 highly pathogenic avian influenza (HPAI) in poultry in the following regions.

- i. Grodzisko, Pleszew, pleszewski, wielkopolskie – 1/2023
- ii. Dębe, Żelazków, kaliski, wielkopolskie – 4/2023
- iii. Trojanów, Opatówek, kaliski, wielkopolskie – 5/2023
- iv. Namysłaki, Sieroszewice, ostrowski, wielkopolskie – 6/2023
- v. Biskupice Zabaryczne, Mikstat, ostrzeszowski, wielkopolskie – 7/2023
- vi. Linowo, Świecie nad Osą, grudziądzki, kujawsko-pomorskie – 8/2023
- vii. Zielona Góra, lubuskie – 9/2023
- viii. Prądzew, Łęczycza, łęczycki, łódzkie – 10/2023
- ix. Borów, Opatówek, kaliski, wielkopolskie – 11/2023
- x. Opatówek, Opatówek, kaliski, wielkopolskie – 12/2023
- xi. Oszczeklin, Koźminek, kaliski, wielkopolskie – 14/2023
- xii. Domanin, Kępno, kępiński, wielkopolskie – 15/2023
- xiii. Sierzchów, Opatówek, kaliski, wielkopolskie – 16/2023
- xiv. Ścigów, Strzeleczyki, krapkowicki, wielkopolskie – 17/2023
- xv. Szulec, Opatówek, kaliski, wielkopolskie – 18/2023

2 In view of the outbreaks, the National Parks Board/Animal & Veterinary Service (NParks/AVS) has imposed a temporary restriction on the importation of poultry and poultry products from 10 km radius restricted area around the infected premises in the above regions with effect from the respective dates as listed below. Heat-treated poultry products which comply with the WOHAI guidelines for inactivation of Avian Influenza virus will not be subjected to the restriction.

Region	Date of confirmation
Grodzisko, Pleszew, pleszewski, wielkopolskie (surveillance zone – 10km) – 1/2023	3 January 2023
Dębe, Żelazków, kaliski, wielkopolskie (surveillance zone – 10km) – 4/2023	5 January 2023
Trojanów, Opatówek, kaliski, wielkopolskie (surveillance zone – 10km) – 5/2023	6 January 2023
Namysłaki, Sieroszewice, ostrowski, wielkopolskie (surveillance zone – 10km) – 6/2023	8 January 2023
Biskupice Zabaryczne, Mikstat, ostrzeszowski, wielkopolskie (surveillance zone – 10km) – 7/2023	8 January 2023
Linowo, Świecie nad Osą, grudziądzki, kujawsko-pomorskie (surveillance zone – 10km) – 8/2023	6 January 2023

Zielona Góra, lubuskie (surveillance zone – 10km) – 9/2023	9 January 2023
Prądzew, Łęczyca, łęczycki, łódzkie (surveillance zone – 10km) – 10/2023	10 January 2023
Borów, Opatówek, kaliski, wielkopolskie (surveillance zone – 10km) – 11/2023	10 January 2023
Opatówek, Opatówek, kaliski, wielkopolskie (surveillance zone – 10km) – 12/2023	11 January 2023
Oszczeklin, Koźminek, kaliski, wielkopolskie (surveillance zone – 10km) – 14/2023	12 January 2023
Domanin, Kępno, kępiński, wielkopolskie (surveillance zone – 10km) – 15/2023	13 January 2023
Sierzchów, Opatówek, kaliski, wielkopolskie (surveillance zone – 10km) – 16/2023	13 January 2023
Ścigów, Strzeleczyki, krapkowicki, wielkopolskie (surveillance zone – 10km) – 17/2023	15 January 2023
Szulec, Opatówek, kaliski, wielkopolskie (surveillance zone – 10km) – 18/2023	15 January 2023

3 To facilitate the clearance of permits for other poultry and poultry products, the following additional attestations are required to be included in the veterinary health certificate accompanying the import of poultry and poultry products:

(a) Highly pathogenic avian influenza (HPAI) is a notifiable disease in Poland.

(b) The birds from which the meat was sourced were not vaccinated against avian influenza (AI).

(c) The poultry meat and meat products were not derived from birds originating from the protection and surveillance zones established in Poland due to occurrence of avian influenza.

(d) The poultry from which the meat was derived were born, raised, and slaughtered in Poland, or were legally imported as day old chicks from countries with equivalent poultry health status.

4 Please contact www.sfa.gov.sg/feedback should you have any enquiries on the import of poultry and poultry products.

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