

WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2006 No. 2803

The Avian Influenza (Preventive Measures) (Wales) Regulations 2006

Vaccination of zoo birds

- 9.—(1) If the condition in paragraph (2) is fulfilled, the National Assembly may—
- (a) vaccinate such birds in such zoos as it considers necessary (after giving written notice to the occupier of such zoos);
 - (b) require (by written notice to the occupier of any zoo) the vaccination of any bird in the zoo; or
 - (c) license the occupier of a zoo to vaccinate any bird in the zoo.
- (2) The condition is that the National Assembly has carried out a risk assessment and considers there is a risk that avian influenza will be transmitted to zoo birds or to categories of such birds.
- (3) As part of its risk assessment, the National Assembly must consider whether a zoo is—
- (a) on a migratory flyway;
 - (b) close to any body of water where migratory birds may gather;
 - (c) located in an area with a high density of migratory birds.
- (4) The National Assembly must specify, in a notice or licence under this regulation—
- (a) the number and species of birds to be vaccinated;
 - (b) biosecurity conditions to be met at the zoo or any part of the zoo;
 - (c) conditions relating to the storage and administration of vaccine.
- (5) The National Assembly must ensure that vaccination is carried out in accordance with the preventive vaccination plan approved [^{F1}in accordance with Article 56(2) of Council [Directive 2005/94/EC](#) on Community measures for the control of avian influenza and repealing [Directive 92/40/EEC](#) as read with Article 5 of Commission Decision 2007/598 concerning measures to prevent the spread of highly pathogenic avian influenza to other captive birds kept in zoos and approved bodies, institutes or centres].

Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in [reg. 9\(5\)](#) substituted (31.12.2020) by [The Exotic Diseases in Animals \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Wales\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2019 \(S.I. 2019/371\)](#), regs. 1(2), **4(2)**; 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Avian Influenza (Preventive Measures) (Wales) Regulations 2006, Section 9.