WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2022 No. 280

The Avian Influenza (Wales) (Amendment and Revocation) Order 2022

Amendments to Schedule 4 (measures in a protection zone)

20. In Schedule 4—

- (a) in paragraph 16-
 - (i) in sub-paragraph (f), after "ready-to-lay poultry" insert "or brood-and-move Galliformes";
 - (ii) after sub-paragraph (l) insert-
 - "(m) poultry and other captive birds to a veterinary surgery for treatment, or return to the premises of origin following such a movement.";
- (b) in paragraph 17-

(i) after sub-paragraph (a) omit "and";

- (ii) after sub-paragraph (b) insert—
 - "(c) where appropriate, laboratory tests have been carried out on poultry on the premises of origin in accordance with the diagnostic manual; and
 - (d) where the movement is within Great Britain, the appropriate minister responsible for the designated slaughterhouse has been informed and has agreed to receive the poultry.";
- (c) for paragraph 20 (including the heading) substitute—

"Day-old chicks

20.—(1) Day-old chicks hatched from eggs produced in the zone, or hatched from eggs which had contact with such eggs, must not be moved unless—

- (a) they are transported in vehicles sealed by a veterinary inspector or in accordance with their instructions;
- (b) appropriate biosecurity measures are applied during transport and are to be applied at the premises of destination;
- (c) if moved outside the protection or surveillance zone, the poultry are to remain on the premises of destination for at least 21 days.

(2) The occupier of premises to which day-old chicks are transported in accordance with sub-paragraph (1) must not move the day-old chicks from those premises for a period of 21 days following movement of the chicks onto the premises.";

- (d) in paragraph 22-
 - (i) for the heading substitute "Requirements for the movement of ready-to-lay poultry or brood-and-move Galliformes";
 - (ii) in the words before sub-paragraph (a), after "Ready-to-lay poultry" insert "or broodand-move Galliformes";

- (iii) in sub-paragraph (b), after "ready-to-lay poultry" insert "or brood-and-move Galliformes";
- (e) in paragraph 24(a), after "packaging" insert "or packaging which is cleansed and disinfected in accordance with the instructions of a veterinary inspector."