Immediate notification report


Report Summary

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Report Reference: REF OIE 26199
Report Date: 16/03/2018
Country: Sweden

Date submitted to OIE: 16/03/2018

Animal type: Terrestrial
Date of report: 16/03/2018

Disease: Highly pathogenic influenza A viruses (infection with) (non-poultry including wild birds)
Date of start of the event: 11/03/2018

Causal Agent: Highly pathogenic influenza A virus
Date of confirmation of the event: 15/03/2018

Serotype(s): H5N6
Date of last occurrence: 24/02/2018

Reason: Recurrence of a listed disease
Diagnosis: Clinical, Laboratory (advanced)

Country or zone: a zone or compartment
Clinical signs: Yes

Number of reported outbreaks: submitted= 1, Draft= 0

Outbreak summary: Total outbreaks = 1 (Submitted)

Species
Susceptible
Cases
Deaths
Killed and disposed of
Slaughtered

Birds
105
19
18
0
0

Affected Population: The affected population consists of 105 non-commercial birds: 28 hens, 11 turkeys, 1 goose, 22 pheasants, 40 pigeons and 3 quails. 15 hens, 1 quail and 2 turkeys have died and one turkey is sick.

Outbreak details:

Species
Measuring units
Susceptible
Cases
Deaths
Killed and disposed of
Slaughtered

Birds
105
19
18
0
0

Location: Othammar
Latitude: 60.332495
Longitude: 18.279995
Start Date: 11/03/2018
End Date: 16/03/2018

Epidemiology

Epidemiological comments:
All measures according to EU-Directive 2005/94 will be applied including the euthanising and destruction of all birds, cleaning and disinfection of all the premises. There are no commercial poultry farms within a 10km radius of the affected farm. In accordance with the OIE Terrestrial Animal Health Code, Article 10.4.1, point 8, this outbreak does not change the disease free status of Sweden as these are captive birds other than those falling under the OIE definition of poultry.

Source of the outbreak(s) or origin of infection:
• Contact with wild species

Measures applied

Applied
• no current control measures

To be applied
• movement control inside the country
• traceability
• official destruction of animal products
• official disposal of carcasses, by-products and waste
• stamping out
• disinfection

Animals treated:
Vaccination Prohibited

Diagnostic test results:

Laboratory Type
Name of Laboratory
Species
Test Type
Date results provided
Result

National laboratory
National veterinary institute
Birds
virus sequencing
15/03/2018
Positive

National laboratory
National veterinary institute
Birds
real-time PCR
15/03/2018
Positive

National laboratory
National veterinary institute
Birds
real-time PCR
14/03/2018
Positive

Future Reporting

The event is continuing. Weekly follow-up reports will be submitted.
Outbreak maps