Follow-up report No.6 (Final report)


Report Summary

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Animal type: Terrestrial
Date of report: 12/04/2017
Disease: Highly pathogenic avian influenza
Date of start of the event: 24/11/2016
Causal Agent: Virus de l'influenza aviaire hautement pathogène chez les oiseaux sauvages
Date of confirmation of the event: 30/11/2016
Serotype(s): H5N8
Diagnosis: Laboratory (advanced)
Reason: First occurrence of a listed disease in the country
Clinical signs: Yes
Country or zone: a zone or compartment
Number of reported outbreaks: submitted= 1, Draft= 0

Outbreak details

Governorat: BIZERTE
Délégation: Ghazala
Imada: Natural park
Location: Ichkeul Natural Park
Latitude: 37.124365
Longitude: 9.615308
Start Date: 24/11/2016
End Date: 05/04/2017

Species | Measuring units | Susceptible | Cases | Deaths | Destroyed | Slaughtered |
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Common Coot / Rallidae (Fulica atra) | Animals | ... | 17 | 17 | 0 | 0 |
Eurasian Wigeon / Anatidae (Anas penelope) | Animals | ... | 13 | 13 | 0 | 0 |

Affected Population: On November 24, 2016, 30 Eurasian wigeons (Anas Penelope) and common coots (Fulica atra) were found dead in Ichkeul Natural Park (wetland), in the framework of the strengthened surveillance in wetland areas (REPIOM network). On November 30, 2016, the laboratory of the Veterinary Research Institute in Tunis confirmed the presence of H5 virus in the samples taken on the animals.

Outbreak summary: Total outbreaks = 1 (Submitted)

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Epidemiology

Epidemiological comments

Source of the outbreak(s) or origin of infection
• Unknown or inconclusive

Measures applied

• surveillance outside containment and/or protection zone
• official disposal of carcasses, by-products and waste
• surveillance within containment and/or protection zone
• control of wildlife reservoirs
• no planned control measures

Animals treated
Vaccination Prohibited

No

Future Reporting

The report and all its outbreaks have been resolved.