# Follow-up report No.9


## Report Summary

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13/09/2017

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**Animal type**
Terrestrial

**Date of report**
13/09/2017

**Disease**
Highly pathogenic avian influenza

**Date of start of the event**
17/05/2017

**Causal Agent**
Highly pathogenic avian influenza virus

**Date of confirmation of the event**
01/06/2017

**Serotype(s)**
H5N8

**Diagnosis**
Laboratory (advanced)

**Reason**
New strain 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

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<th>Province</th>
<th>Number of outbreaks</th>
<th>District</th>
<th>Sub-district</th>
<th>Unit Type</th>
<th>Location</th>
<th>Latitude</th>
<th>Longitude</th>
<th>Start Date</th>
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<td>EAST-other report - submitted</td>
<td>SEKE</td>
<td>BEATRICE</td>
<td>Farm</td>
<td>LANARK</td>
<td>-18.091272</td>
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**Species**

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**Epidemiology**

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**Epidemiological comments**

No new cases have been reported. All infected sites on Lanark farm were depopulated and disinfected under veterinary supervision. Samples from adjacent poultry sites have tested negative for HPAI on two consecutive tests (Hemagglutination-inhibition test and PCR) done two weeks apart. The whole farm remains under strict quarantine. Clinical and serological surveillance in domestic and wild birds is currently on-going in the whole country.

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

**Measures applied**

- **Applied**
  - movement control inside the country
  - surveillance outside containment and/or protection zone
  - surveillance within containment and/or protection zone
  - screening
  - traceability
  - quarantine
  - official destruction of animal products
  - official disposal of carcasses, by-products and waste
  - selective killing and disposal
  - zoning
  - disinfection

- **To be applied**
  - no planned control measures

**Animals treated**

No

Vaccination Prohibited

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