

# List of Infectious Animal Diseases-free Countries (Zones) and Bovine

## Spongiform Encephalopathy Risk Status

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Appendix:

Table 1 List of infectious animal diseases-free countries (zones).

Table 2 List of the risk status of countries (zones) with/without reported case(s) of Bovine Spongiform Encephalopathy.

**RE: Recognition of Montana State, Arkansas State of the United States of America as zones free of Highly pathogenic avian influenza.**

Accordance: Pursuant to paragraph 1 of Article 33 of the Act on the Prevention and Control of Infectious Animal Diseases.

Details:

1. Modification of Recognized Foot and mouth disease, Contagious bovine pleuropneumonia, Peste des petits ruminants, African swine fever, Classical swine fever, Glanders, African horse sickness, Highly pathogenic avian influenza, Newcastle disease, and Rabies free countries (zones) are listed in Table 1, “List of infectious animal diseases-free countries (zones).” Countries (zones) not listed in Table 1 are regarded as disease-status unknown or disease-infected countries (zone). The importation of articles subject to animal quarantine from countries (zones), where not listed in Table 1, shall comply with the “Regulations for the Importation of Objects Subject to Animal Quarantine” and its relevant regulations on disease-infected countries (zones).
2. “List of the risk status of countries (zones) with/without reported case(s) of Bovine Spongiform Encephalopathy” is in Table 2. Cattle, meat-and-bone meal, meat meal, bone meal, poultry meal, blood meal, animal fat and oil for feed, animal greaves for

feed, bovine serum, and other animal products that may transmit bovine spongiform encephalopathy originated from the listed countries (zones) with reported case(s) of bovine spongiform encephalopathy are not allowed to be imported into the Republic of China, except those which are approved by Animal and Plant Health Inspection Agency.

3. Any shipment of animals and animal products that is loaded on board for the Republic of China prior to the effective date of this announcement will remain eligible for export to the Republic of China.

**Table 1 List of infectious animal diseases-free countries (zones).**

| <b>Infectious Animal Diseases</b>        | <b>Free Countries (zones)</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
|------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Foot and mouth disease</b>            | Asia: Japan, Singapore<br>Oceania: Australia, New Zealand<br>Europe: Austria, Belgium, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Iceland, Italy, Lithuania, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, United Kingdom<br>America: Santa Catarina State of Brazil, Canada, Chile, Costa Rica, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, United States of America                                |
| <b>Contagious bovine pleuropneumonia</b> | Asia: Japan, Korea (Rep. of)<br>Oceania: Australia, New Zealand<br>Europe: Austria, Belgium, Czech Republic, Denmark, Finland, France, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Lithuania, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, United Kingdom<br>America: Brazil, Canada, Chile, Costa Rica, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Peru, United States of America<br>Africa: Eswatini, South Africa |
| <b>Peste des petits ruminants</b>        | Asia: Korea (Rep. of)<br>Oceania: Australia, New Zealand<br>Europe: Belgium, Czech Republic, Denmark, Iceland, Lithuania, Poland, Spain, Switzerland, United Kingdom<br>America: Brazil, Canada, Chile, Mexico, United States of America                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| <b>African swine fever</b>               | Asia: Japan<br>Oceania: Australia, New Zealand<br>Europe: Austria, Belgium, Denmark, France, Iceland, Ireland, Netherlands, Norway, Switzerland, United Kingdom<br>America: Brazil, Canada, Chile, Costa Rica, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, United States of America<br>Africa: Eswatini                                                                                                            |

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| <b>Classical swine fever</b>             | <p>Oceania: Australia, New Zealand</p> <p>Europe: Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Finland, France, Netherlands, Poland, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, United Kingdom</p> <p>America: Canada, Chile, Mexico, Paraguay, United States of America</p>                                                                               |
| <b>Glanders</b>                          | <p>Asia: Japan, Korea (Rep. of), Singapore</p> <p>Oceania: Australia, New Zealand</p> <p>Europe: Austria, Belgium, Czech Republic, France, Hungary, Ireland, Netherlands, Poland, Sweden</p> <p>America: Canada, Chile, Costa Rica, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, United States of America</p> <p>Africa: South Africa</p> |
| <b>African horse sickness</b>            | <p>Oceania: New Zealand</p> <p>Europe: Belgium, Netherlands</p> <p>America: United States of America</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| <b>Highly pathogenic avian influenza</b> | <p>Asia: Malaysia, Singapore</p> <p>Oceania: Australia</p> <p>Europe: France (excluding zones in Appendix), Spain, Switzerland</p> <p>America: Canada (excluding zones in Appendix), Paraguay, United States of America (excluding zones in Appendix) and the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico</p>                             |
| <b>Newcastle disease</b>                 | <p>Asia: Japan</p> <p>Oceania: Australia, New Zealand</p> <p>Europe: Belgium, Finland, Hungary, Netherlands, Switzerland, United Kingdom</p> <p>America: Canada (excluding British Columbia Province), Chile, Panama, Paraguay, United States of America</p>                                                              |
| <b>Rabies</b>                            | <p>Asia: Japan, Singapore</p> <p>Oceania: Australia, New Zealand</p> <p>Europe: Czech Republic, Estonia, Iceland, Norway (excluding the archipelago of Svalbard), Sweden, United Kingdom</p> <p>America: Hawaii state and Territory of Guam of the United States of America</p>                                           |

**Table 2 List of the risk status of countries (zones) with/without reported case(s) of Bovine spongiform encephalopathy.**

| <b>Infectious<br/>Animal<br/>Disease</b> | <b>Countries (zones) and risk status</b> |                                                                                                                                                                                                       |            |                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
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| Bovine<br>spongiform<br>encephalopathy   | with<br>reported<br>case(s)              | Negligible                                                                                                                                                                                            | Controlled | Undetermined                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
|                                          |                                          | Asia: Japan<br>Europe: Belgium,<br>Denmark,<br>Poland,<br>Romania,<br>Slovenia,<br>Spain,<br>Sweden,<br>Switzerland,<br>United<br>Kingdom<br>(Northern<br>Ireland,<br>England,<br>Scotland,<br>Wales) |            | Asia: Israel<br>Europe: Austria,<br>Czech<br>Republic,<br>France,<br>Finland,<br>Germany,<br>Greece,<br>Ireland, Italy,<br>Liechtenstein,<br>Luxembourg,<br>Netherlands,<br>Norway,<br>Portugal,<br>Slovakia |
|                                          |                                          | America: Brazil,<br>Canada,<br>United States<br>of America                                                                                                                                            |            |                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
|                                          | without<br>reported<br>case(s)           | Oceania: Australia,<br>New Zealand<br>America: Chile, Costa<br>Rica, Mexico,<br>Panama,<br>Paraguay                                                                                                   |            |                                                                                                                                                                                                              |

Note: Countries (zones) not listed in Table 2 are deemed as undetermined risk without reported case(s) of Bovine spongiform encephalopathy.

## Appendix List of zones excluded from Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza-free zones

| Countries                | Excluded zones (Affected zones)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
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| France                   | Haute-Corse department, Corse-Du-Sud department, Yvelines department, Landes department, Deux-Sèvres department, Vendée department, Hautes-Pyrénées department, Pyrénées-Atlantiques department, Gers department, Haute-Garonne department, Lot-et-Garonne department, Ardennes department, Haut-Rhin department, Haute-Savoie department, Bas-Rhin department, Loiret department, Aisne department, Nord department, Indre department, Seine-Maritime department, Mayenne department, Tarn department, Indre-et-Loire department, Loire-Atlantique department, Maine-et-Loire department, Cantal department, Loir-et-Cher department, Morbihan department, Ile-et-Vilaine department, Lot department, Corrèze department, Dordogne department, Finistère department, Haute-Vienne department, Sarthe department, Aveyron department, Charentes department, Calvados department, Manche department, Somme department, Ain department, Côtes d'Armor department, Meuse department, Orne department, Pas-de-Calais department, Seine-et-Marne department, Gard department, Eure department, Saône-et-Loire department, Rhône department, Vaucluse department, Haute-Loire department, Creuse department, Tarn-et-Garonne department, Côte-d'Or department, Essonne department, Eure-et-Loir department, Allier department, Charente-Maritime department, Cher department, Haute-Marne department, Marne department, Loire department, Aube department, Drôme department, Gironde department |
| Canada                   | Newfoundland and Labrador Province, Nova Scotia Province, British Columbia Province, Saskatchewan Province, Manitoba Province, Alberta Province, Prince Edward Island Province                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| United States of America | South Dakota State, California State, Colorado State, Illinois State, North Dakota State, Indiana State, Pennsylvania State, New Jersey State, Minnesota State, Iowa State, Idaho State, Michigan State, Washington State, Vermont State, Kansas State, Rhode Island State, Utah State                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |