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Meat Traders

Dear Sir/Madam

LIFTING OF RESTRICTION ON IMPORT OF POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS FROM GERMANY

Please refer to our letter dated 24 July 2015.

We are pleased to inform you that the restriction on import of poultry and poultry products from Germany is lifted with immediate effect. The attestations in Annex 1 below pertaining to avian influenza should be included in the health certificates for export of poultry and poultry products to Singapore.

Please contact Mr Lai Fah Choong or Ms Zawayah at 6805 2857 / 6805 2863 should you have any enquiries on the import of poultry and poultry products.

Yours faithfully

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for Director-General
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Annex 1

The attestations should state on the Veterinary Health Certificate:

- a. Highly pathogenic avian influenza (HPAI) and H5 and H7 low pathogenicity avian influenza (LPAI) are notifiable diseases in Germany.
- b. Germany has been free from highly pathogenic avian influenza (HPAI) for the past three (3) months prior to export.
- c. Germany has been free from low pathogenicity avian influenza (LPAI) of the H5 and H7 subtypes for the past three (3) months prior to export.
- d. The birds from which the meat was sourced were not vaccinated against H5 and H7 subtypes of avian influenza (AI), as defined by the World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE).
- e. The poultry from which the meat was derived were born, raised, and slaughtered in Germany, or were legally imported as day old chicks from countries with equivalent poultry health status.