

Follow-up report No.: 22

Report reference: , OIE Ref: 5684, Report Date: 08/10/2007, Country: United Kingdom

Report Summary

Disease	Highly pathogenic avian influenza	Animal type	Terrestrial
Causal Agent	Highly pathogenic avian influenza virus	Serotype(s)	H5N1
Clinical Signs	Yes	Reason	Reoccurrence of a listed disease
Date of confirmation of Event	03/02/2007	Date of Start of Event	27/01/2007
Date of report	08/10/2007	Date Submitted To OIE	08/10/2007
Diagnosis	Laboratory (basic), Laboratory (advanced)	Date Of Last Occurrence	03/2006
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Outbreak (other report - submitted)

County	Province	District	Unit Type	Location	Latitude	Longitude	Start	End
ENGLAND	Suffolk		Farm	Upper Holton	52,364697	1,525067	27/01/2007	25/06/2007
Species	Measuring units	Susceptible	Cases	Deaths	Destroyed	Slaughtered		
Birds	Animals	159000	7000	2500	152000	0		
Affected Population		turkeys for meat production						

Outbreak summary: Total outbreaks = 1 (Submitted)

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Epidemiology

Epidemiological comments
With effect from 12 March 2007 all zone restrictions were lifted and the outbreak finished.
Vaccination in poultry is prohibited. Vaccination is permitted in zoo birds subject to strict controls in accordance with EU rules.
Final cleansing and disinfection of the single infected premises were completed on 25 June 2007.

Therefore, the United Kingdom declares that its status as a country free of notifiable avian influenza has been regained on 6 October 2007.

Source of Infection	• See epidemiological findings report at Defra's website
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Control Measures

Applied	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Movement control inside the country• Screening• Disinfection of infected premises/establishment(s)• Stamping out• Zoning	To be applied	• No Planned Control Measures
		Vaccination Prohibited	Yes
Animals treated	No		

Country / Zone

Country or zone	the whole country
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Diagnostic test results

Laboratory Type	Name of Laboratory	Species	Test Type	Date Results Provided	Result
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Future Reporting

What further reports will be submitted in relation to this event?	The event is resolved. No more reports will be submitted.
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Outbreak map

