Immediate notification report

Report Summary

Disease: Highly pathogenic avian influenza
Animal type: Terrestrial

Causal Agent: Highly pathogenic avian influenza virus
Serotype(s): H5N1

Clinical Signs: Yes
Reason: Recurrence of a listed disease

Date of first confirmation of the event: 09/11/2008
Date of Start of Event: 27/10/2008
Date of report: 10/11/2008
Date Submitted To OIE: 10/11/2008

Diagnosis: Laboratory (basic), Laboratory (advanced)

Number Of Reported Outbreaks: Submitted= 1, Draft= 0

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Outbreak (this report - submitted)

Province: SUKHOTHAI
District: Tong Sa Leam
Sub-district: Tong Sa Leam
Unit Type: Village
Location: Village No 5
Latitude: 17.1915
Longitude: 99.3339
Start date: 27/10/2008

Species: Birds
Measuring units: Animals
Susceptible: 17
Cases: 5
Deaths: 5
Destroyed: 12
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Affected Population: native chickens

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Epidemiology

Epidemiological comments:
- The native chickens at the affected house were firstly found dead on 27 October 2008 from Escherichia coli infection and intestinal parasitic infestation.
- There was only one household affected with 5 dead chickens in several days in this village.
- The samples were later submitted to the National Institute of Animal Health (the National Veterinary Laboratory) in Bangkok for confirmation.

Source of the outbreak(s) or origin of infection: Pending investigation

Control Measures
### Applied
- Stamping out
- Quarantine
- Movement control inside the country
- Screening
- Zoning
- Disinfection of infected premises/establishment(s)
- Dipping / Spraying

### To be applied
- No Planned Control Measures

### Vaccination Prohibited
- Yes

### Animals treated
- No

### Country / Zone
- **Country or zone**: the whole country

### Diagnostic test results

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### Future Reporting

What further reports will be submitted in relation to this event?

- There are 1 outbreaks that are still recorded as unresolved. It is not possible to declare this event resolved until these individual outbreaks are resolved.
- The event is continuing. Weekly follow-up reports will be submitted.