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VESICULAR STOMATITIS IN BOLIVIA Follow-up report No. 2 (final report)

Translation of information received on 4 May 2005 from Dr Ernesto Salas García, National Head for Animal Health, National Service for Animal and Plant Health and Food Safety (SENASAG), Trinidad:

End of previous report period: 7 March 2005 (see *Disease Information*, **18** [10], 77, dated 11 March 2005).

End of this report period: 4 May 2005.

Precise identification of agent: vesicular stomatitis virus serotype Indiana.

Date of first confirmation of the event: 17 February 2005.

Nature of diagnosis: clinical and laboratory.

Details of outbreaks (final data):

First administrative division	Lower administrative division	Type of epidemiological unit	Name of the location	Date of start of the outbreak	Species	Number of animals in the outbreak				
						susceptible	cases	deaths	destroyed	slaughtered
Santa Cruz de la Sierra Department	José Miguel de Velasco Province, San Ignacio de Velasco Municipality	village	San Vicente de Dorado	15/01/05	equ	52	34	0	0	0
					bov	310	38	0	0	0
Santa Cruz de la Sierra Department	José Miguel de Velasco Province, San Ignacio de Velasco Municipality	village	Comunidad Pasiviqui	15/01/05	equ	11	7	0	0	0
					bov	60	3	0	0	0
Santa Cruz de la Sierra Department	José Miguel de Velasco Province, San Ignacio de Velasco Municipality	farm	La Enviada	25/01/05	equ	8	1	0	0	0
					bov	15	0	0	0	0
Santa Cruz de la Sierra Department	José Miguel de Velasco Province, San Ignacio de Velasco Municipality	farm	Quinta Guayabal	26/01/05	equ	15	2	0	0	0
					bov	60	0	0	0	0
Santa Cruz de la Sierra Department	José Miguel de Velasco Province, San Ignacio de Velasco Municipality	village	San Bartolo	05/02/05	equ	30	6	0	0	0
					bov	50	0	0	0	0
Santa Cruz de la Sierra Department	José Miguel de Velasco Province, San Ignacio de Velasco Municipality	farm	Paurito	10/02/05	equ	20	5	0	0	0
					bov	1,000	0	0	0	0

Susceptible animal population in José Miguel de Velasco Province		Number of cases	Percentage
Cattle	195,392	41	0.021
Equids	2,705	55	2.033

Description of affected animal populations: there are both community-based or family-based production systems and semi-intensive production systems in holdings.

Source of outbreaks: the index outbreak has not been identified and therefore the origin could not be established.

Control measures applied:

- Quarantine.
- Movement control in the area: setting up of mobile check points and strengthening of permanent check points, in order to carry out disinfection and/or fumigation and to control all movements in the area.
- Zoning: delineation of the focal and perifocal areas.
- Clinical inspections were carried out in and around the outbreaks and no further cases of vesicular disease were found.

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HIGHLY PATHOGENIC AVIAN INFLUENZA IN THAILAND
Follow-up report No. 53

Information received on 6 May 2005 from Dr Yukol Limlamthong, Director General, Department of Livestock Development (DLD), Ministry of Agriculture and Cooperatives, Bangkok:

End of previous report period: 28 April 2005 (see *Disease Information*, **18** [17], 115, dated 29 April 2005).

End of this report period: 5 May 2005.

No new outbreaks of highly pathogenic avian influenza have been reported.

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