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Eradication: Final report for Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathies 2019

For each approved annual or multi-annual programme Member States shall submit to the Commission by the 30 April each year an annual detailed technical and financial report covering the previous year. That report shall include the results achieved and a detailed account of eligible costs incurred (Art 14 of Regulation (EU) No 652/2014).

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From: 2019

To: 2019

Year of implementation: 2019

1. Technical implementation of the programme

1.1 Description and evaluation of the evolution of the epidemiological situation, the technical implementation of the activities foreseen under the programme and the cost-effectiveness of the programme.

The epidemiological situation of bovine spongiform encephalopathy, Scrapie disease and chronic wasting disease of cervids remains favourable. No positive animals have been detected during the surveillance.

The samples of the following animals have been tested:

For bovine animals:

- all bovine animals suspected to be infected with BSE, which have died or have been killed;
- all bovine animals above 48 months of age sent for emergency slaughter or with observations at ante mortem inspections;
- all bovine animals above 48 months of age not slaughtered for human consumption, which have died or been killed on the farm, during transport or in an abattoir (fallen stock) with the exception of bovine animals killed for other diseases than BSE
- all bovine animals above 48 months of age that were emergency slaughtered on farm.

For sheep and goats:

- all sheep and goats suspected to be infected with Scrapie disease
- all sheep and goats, older than 18 months, which have died or have been killed in the context of eradication of diseases other than Scrapie disease.

For cervids:

- Eurasian tundra reindeer (*Rangifer tarandus tarandus*);
- Finnish forest reindeer (*Rangifer tarandus fennicus*);
- Moose (*Alces alces*);
- Roe deer (*Capreolus capreolus*);
- White-tailed deer (*Odocoileus virginianus*);
- Red deer (*Cervus elaphus*)

The samples have been taken from wild animals and

As regard cervid animals that have been kept in captivities, the samples are taken from animals that are older than 18 months and have died or killed for

1.2 Details on the level of achievement of the targets set in the approved programme and technical difficulties.

All targets of the programme have been achieved, however the following difficulties have been encountered during the year:

Due to brake up of the devices of the National Food and Veterinary Risk Assessment Institute, the testing of the samples have not been carried out in June, July, August and September. The samples have been collected in time and delivered to the Institute and tested in October, November and December.

1.3 Epidemiological maps for infection and other relevant data on the disease/activities (information on serotypes involved,...) (Please attach files of data using the PDF attachment feature) Use the textbox below to provide clarifications for the maps you attach, if needed.

No positive cases of bovine spongiform encephalopathy, Scrapie disease and Chronic wasting disease have been detected during 2019.

2. Tables for TSE monitoring outcome of the year

VERY IMPORTANT: Please fill out the following tables with figures corresponding to measures performed during the implementing period (1/1 to 31/12).

NB: the Regulation (EC) No 999/2001 is thereafter quoted as the TSE Regulation.

Table A

	Total positive cases detected during the implementing period		
	Classical cases	Atypical cases	Unknown
TSE	0	0	0
Scrapie (ovine animals)	0	0	0
Scrapie (caprine animals)	0	0	0

Table B

RAPID TESTS ON BOVINE ANIMALS		
	Age limit applied (in months)	Number of tests cases
Risk bovine animals from MSs listed in Annex to Decision 2009/719/EC	48	2,875
Risk bovine animals from MSs NOT listed in Annex to Decision 2009/719/EC	24	0
Healthy slaughtered bovine animals from MSs listed in Annex to Decision 2009/719/EC	72	0
Healthy slaughtered bovine animals from MSs NOT listed in Annex to Decision 2009/719/EC	30	0
Suspect animals and confirmatory tests		0
Total		2,875

Table C

Population of ewes and ewe lambs put to the ram in the Member State

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RAPID TESTS ON OVINE ANIMALS	
	Number of tests
Healthy slaughtered ovine animals	0
Dead ovine animals	666
In the context of measures of control/eradication on holdings affected by TSE as described in Annexes III and VII of the TSE regulation	
Ovine animals from holdings affected by classical scrapie	0

Ovine animals from holdings affected by atypical scrapie	0
Ovine animals from holdings affected by BSE	0
Suspect animals	0
Total number of tests	666

Table D

Population of goats which have already kidded and goats mated in the Member State

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RAPID TESTS ON CAPRINE ANIMALS	
	Number of tests
Healthy slaughtered caprine animals	0
Dead caprine animals	13
In the context of measures of control/eradication on holdings affected by TSE as described in Annexes III and VII of the TSE regulation	
Caprine animals from holdings affected by classical scrapie	0
Caprine animals from holdings affected by atypical scrapie	0
Caprine animals from holdings affected by BSE	0
Suspect animals	0
Total number of tests	13

Table E

Confirmatory and discriminatory tests	
	Number of tests
Confirmatory tests other than rapid tests on bovine animals	0
Confirmatory tests on ovine and caprine animals	0
Discriminatory tests on bovine animals	0
Discriminatory tests on ovine and caprine animals	0
Total number of confirmatory tests	0
Total number of discriminatory tests	0

Table F

Genotyping tests	
	Number of tests
Positive TSE case	0
Randomly selected ovine animals	0
Animals in scrapie infected flocks	0
Breeding programme - ewes	0
Breeding programme - rams	0
Total of number of tests	0

Table G

COMPENSATION FOR ANIMALS In the context of suspicion, control and eradication of TSEs	
	Number of animals compensated
Animals culled and destroyed	
Bovine animals	0
Ovine animals	0
Caprine animals	0
Animals slaughtered	
Ovine animals	0
Caprine animals	0
Total Bovine	0
Total Ovine + Caprine	0

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