



Delegated act on surveillance, eradication programme – disease free status

**Animal Health Advisory
Committee**

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Overview of presentation

- *Subject matter and scope of the delegated act (DA) on Part II AHL*
- *Key features of provisions on*
 - **Surveillance**
 - **Eradication programme**
 - **Disease free status**
- *Links with other Das*
- *Meetings*

Subject-matter and Scope

- Listed diseases of terrestrial and aquatic animals
- *Rules for the surveillance of all Cat. E diseases*
 - Notification, case definition, design of surveillance
 - Union surveillance programme
- *Rules for eradication programme*
 - Compulsory for Cat. B diseases
 - Optional for Cat. C diseases
- *Rules for disease free status of MS or zones:*
 - Criteria for granting,
 - Criteria for maintenance and rules for suspension
 - Derogation of approval of status by the Commission
- *Compartments for aquatic diseases*
- *Transitional rules*

Surveillance

- *CAs have flexibility to design and organise surveillance systems that comply with:*
 - Objectives by disease categories / rules for derogations
 - General principles on design
 - Requirements for Union surveillance programme
- *Passive surveillance based on*
 - Notification of suspicions to CA → investigations
 - Notification of abnormalities to vet [CA] → investigations
- *Suspect and confirmed case definitions*
- *Rules for diagnostic methods and laboratory tests*
 - List of approved methods/tests in Annex
 - Technical procedures published by URL or based on OIE

Eradication programmes

- *General provisions*
 - Scope of animal population: those to grant disease free status + additional animal population if needed
 - Scope of territory: MS or zone (*requirements*), possible coordination of activities at borders
 - Targets and period of application / duration 6 years
- *Disease control strategies (terrestrial animals)*
 - Disease free establishment (**Bru, TB, IBR, EBL, AD, BVD**):
Classification of status, disease control measures
 - 'Territory based' approach (**rabies, BTV, [...]**): safe movements, treatment/vaccination, disease control measures

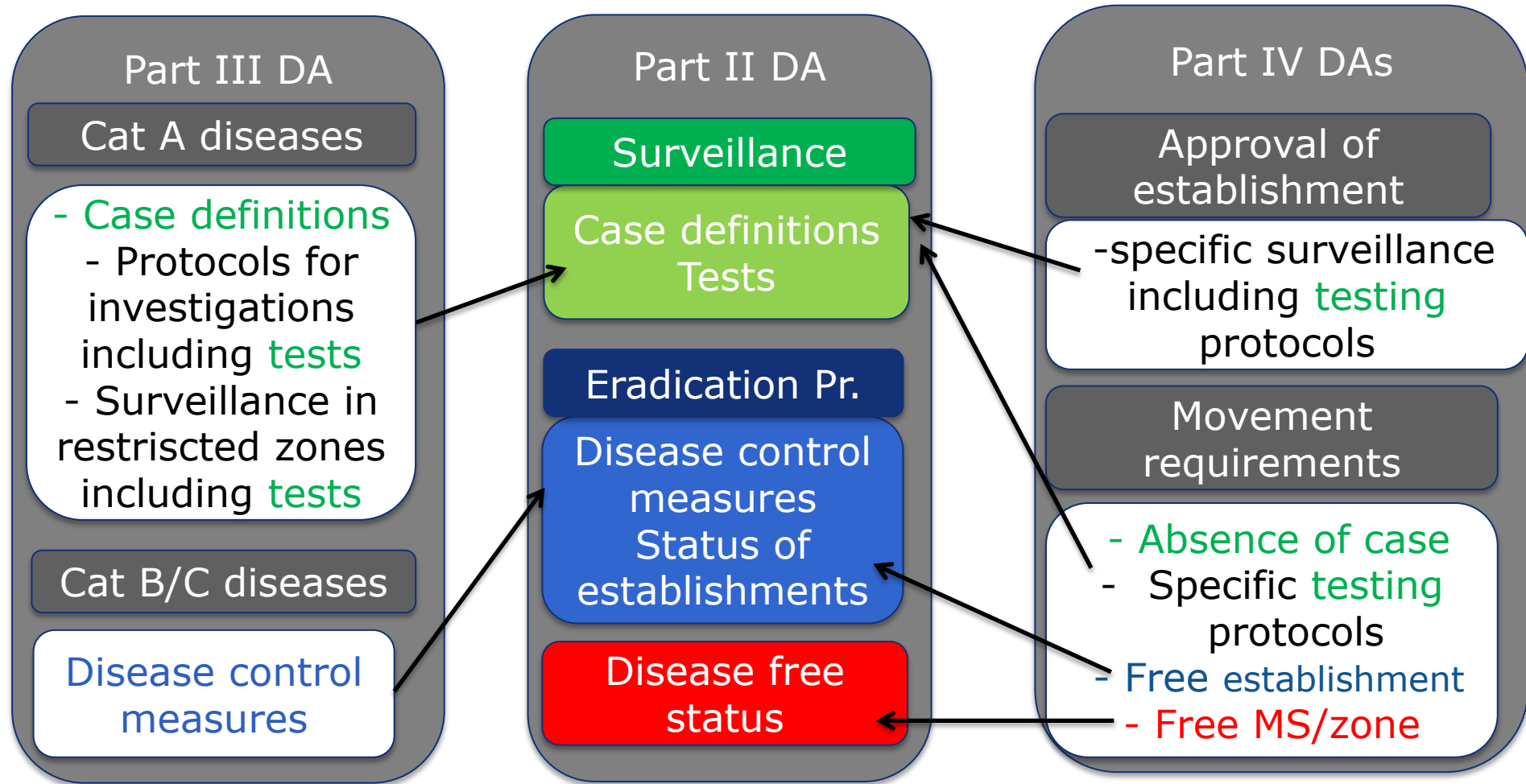
Disease free status

- *Criteria for granting disease free status according to the different possibilities laid down in the AHL*
- *Disease free status based on combinations of*
 - pre-requisite on surveillance, disease control measures, registration, traceability, movement
 - disease specific criteria based on sanitary situation +/- vaccination status: alignment with OIE considered on a case by case basis
- *Maintenance: surveillance and provisions for maintenance [suspension] in case of outbreaks*
- *Transitional rules: smooth recognition for status already granted and approved eradication programme*

Meetings

- *General approach & rules terrestrial animals:*
15/3 and 23/4/2018
- *General approach & rules for aquatic animals and for terrestrial animals*
11-12/06/2018
- *Rules for aquatic animals*
13/7/2018
- *Rules for terrestrial animals*
17/7/2018
- *Further planning:*
1-2/10/2018, & ... another possible date

Main links with other DA



Black: provisions detailed in the DA

Color: cross reference