



DA on control measures (PART III - AHL)

Public consultation outcome

Animal Health Advisory Committee
Brussels, 3 December 2019



European
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Public consultation Part III – Control measures SUMMARY

- ✓ Total received: 23 feedbacks
 - ✓ 14 stakeholders (7 national associations and 6 European associations of poultry, aquaculture, equine, pets, pig and zoos sectors)
 - ✓ 3 national competent authorities
 - ✓ 1 public national organisation
 - ✓ 3 particular citizens
 - ✓ 2 anonymous



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Part III – Control measures (I)

- ✓ Requests to include certain definitions laid down in Regulation (EU) 2016/429 and Regulation (EU) 2017/625 in order to ensure an identical understanding throughout the Union and trading partners.
 - ✓ The definitions laid down in those Regulations apply by default as they are basic acts and only supplementary definitions must be included in the tertiary legislation.
- ✓ Requests to keep racing pigeons out of the scope of the Delegated Regulation.

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Part III – Control measures (II)

- ✓ Requests to modify the definition of 'supply chain' in order to include species other than porcine animals. This change would give the possibility to the competent authority to grant certain derogations from the prohibitions on movements in the surveillance zone not only to porcine animals.
- ✓ Request to lay down a less prescriptive approach for the handling of manure, litter and used bedding in establishments affected by category A diseases.

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Part III – Control measures (III)

- ✓ Requests to include an additional derogation allowing Member States, based on a risk assessment, to decide not to kill all susceptible animals in the event of the occurrence of certain category A diseases such as *glanders* or *lumpy skin disease*.
- ✓ Acknowledgements for the derogation provided for in this Delegated Regulation as regards the possibility for the competent authority to postpone and not to kill animals kept in confined establishments based on a risk assessment.

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Part III – Control measures (IV)

- ✓ Request to consider to establish prohibitions to artificial insemination also in the event of an outbreak of avian influenza and Newcastle disease as these activity is carried out in certain sub-sectors (turkey production and foie production).
- ✓ Requests to include provisions on the use of vaccines in the event of an outbreak of category A disease as an additional tool to control the disease.
 - ✓ Provisions on the use of vaccines in such situations will be laid down in a future delegated act under Article 47(1) of Regulation (EU) 2016/429.