NOTIFICATION OF EMERGENCY MEASURES

Addendum

The following communication, received on 17 May 2021, is being circulated at the request of the Delegation of the United Arab Emirates.

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| United Arab Emirates is applying a precautionary sanitary measure to prevent the risk of introducing HPAI virus through the imports of live birds and their products from Plovdiv in Bulgaria |
| Following the notification published by the World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) regarding the outbreak of Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza Virus (HPAI) in Plovdiv in Bulgaria, the United Arab Emirates is applying a precautionary sanitary measure to prevent the risk of introducing HPAI virus through the imports of live birds and their products from Plovdiv in Bulgaria.These measures include all measures taken in the issued emergency notifications G/SPS/N/ARE/234 and G/SPS/N/ARE/234/Add.1 with additional measure included the following:Consignments of table eggs and poultry meat and their products from Plovdiv in Bulgaria that were produced after 2 April 2021 are not allowed to be exported to the United Arab Emirates.This follows the publishing of the follow-up Reports of Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza in the Bulgaria, and in compliance with Article 10.4.4, Chapter 10.4 of the OIE Terrestrial Animal Health Code. |
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