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Changes to Pre-Movement Testing Requirements for Specific Commodities

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HPAI 2022 Movement Conditions

Reference for movement conditions:

Appendix M – Avian Influenza Movement Control Permissions Policy (RDIMS #[16305896](#) (EN), [16455287](#) (FR))

AND

External website at [Avian influenza – permits and conditions needed for movement control](#)

These references will be updated with these changes as soon as possible for the date of implementation.

Live Birds to Slaughter from the PCZ to the Free Zone or from the IZ to within the same PCZ

Previous Requirement	Pre-Movement Testing Requirement
<p>Completed pre-movement testing within 72 hours of scheduled slaughter date <u>or</u> dead bird surveillance (DBS) twice in the week prior to slaughter (Note: the only option for meat ducks is pre-movement testing). Pre-movement testing may be performed by CFIA or by a private veterinarian.</p>	<p>Anseriformes: Completed pre-movement testing within 72 hours of prior to movement. Pre-movement testing may be performed by CFIA or by a private veterinarian.</p> <p>Galliformes: Completed pre-movement testing within 72 hours prior to movement, <u>or</u> dead bird surveillance (DBS) testing <u>once in the 72 hours</u> prior to movement, <u>or</u> dead bird surveillance (DBS) twice in the week prior to slaughter. Pre-movement testing may be performed by CFIA or by a private veterinarian.</p>

Live Birds to Slaughter from the RZ to within the same PCZ

Previous Requirement	Revised Pre-Movement Testing Requirement
Completed pre-movement testing within 72 hours of scheduled slaughter date <u>or</u> dead bird surveillance (DBS) twice in the week prior to slaughter (Note: the only option for meat ducks is pre-movement testing). Pre-movement testing may be performed by CFIA or by a private veterinarian.	Anseriformes: Completed pre-movement testing within 72 hours of movement. Pre-movement testing may be performed by CFIA or by a private veterinarian. Galliformes: No pre-movement testing or DBS testing requirements.

Movement of Ungraded, Unwashed Table Eggs and Ungraded, Unwashed Surplus Hatching Eggs From a Farm Premises in the PCZ to a Regulated Egg Grading and/or Breaking Station in the Free Zone or within the PCZ

Previous Requirement	Revised Pre-Movement Testing Requirement
Dead bird surveillance (DBS) must be performed twice a week with a minimum of two DBS sampling events with negative results before scheduled movement and a minimum of two DBS sampling events per week, thereafter or pre-movement testing within 72 hours of first scheduled movement and within 7 days of scheduled egg pick up, thereafter (or until the two DBS sampling events can be met and continued).	No DBS test event or pre-movement testing will be required for the issuance of a specific permit.

Movement of Hatching Eggs From Farm in the PCZ to a Hatchery in the Free Zone or within the PCZ

Previous Requirement	Revised Pre-Movement Testing Requirement
<p>Dead bird surveillance (DBS) must be performed twice a week with a minimum of two DBS sampling events with negative results before scheduled movement and a minimum of two DBS sampling events per week, thereafter <u>or</u> pre-movement testing within 72 hours of first scheduled movement and within 7 days of scheduled egg pick up, thereafter (or until the two DBS sampling events can be met and continued).</p>	<p>Galliformes: No DBS test event or pre-movement testing will be required for the issuance of a specific permit.</p> <p>Anseriformes: Dead bird surveillance (DBS) must be performed twice a week with a minimum of two DBS sampling events with negative results before scheduled movement and a minimum of two DBS sampling events per week, thereafter <u>or</u> pre-movement testing within 72 hours of first scheduled movement and within 7 days of scheduled egg pick up, thereafter (or until the two DBS sampling events can be met and continued).</p>
<p>The source flock and premises must be in compliance with the surveillance requirements of the respective zone (Infected Zone or Restricted Zone) for a minimum of 1 week prior to issuance of permission.</p>	<p>The source flock and premises must be in compliance with the surveillance requirements of the respective zone (Infected Zone or Restricted Zone).</p>

Questions?

