

Industry Update
September 15, 2022

- While CFIA is still working on getting the Primary Control Zone (PCZ) on to their website, we have been assured that Highway 7 will be excluded from the PCZ due to special circumstances. This decision has a major impact on the poultry industry as it means poultry and poultry products will be able to move east/west along Highway 7 without needing permits. In addition, any poultry products being moved on Highway 7 will be eligible for export providing they did not originate from a PCZ.
- BC Infected Premise (IP) 19 will be destroyed tomorrow (September 16).
- The EOC will be investigating whether or not it's possible to store CO₂ gas in the Fraser Valley. Currently, the driver and truck have to return to Alberta to get more gas if one load is not sufficient. Having CO₂ stored in the Fraser Valley would be useful if multiple barns are infected with HPAI and have to be destroyed.
- There is a new IP in both Alberta and Manitoba.