Industry Update for November 4, 2022

This past week has been a quiet one on the AI-front so the BC Poultry Association has prepared a very brief update for you.

IP-19

CFIA is expected to conduct the cleaning and disinfection inspection today (November 4) and if the farm passes this inspection, there will be a 14-day vacancy period before all restrictions for the farm are lifted. The Security Zone is scheduled to be released on November 9.

IP-27

The BHT (biological heat treatment) material (compost) has now been removed from the barn. The cleaning and disinfection inspection is scheduled for November 7. The Infected Zone is eligible for release on November 6.

IP-28

The BHT was completed on November 1.

Western Canada

There were seven new IPs detected in western Canada for the week of October 23-29. These include two new IPs in Saskatchewan, three in Alberta and two in Manitoba. There were no new IPs in BC. Of the seven new IPs, four were commercial (two commercial IPs in Manitoba and one each in Alberta and Saskatchewan) and three were non-commercial (two non-commercial IPs in Alberta and one in Saskatchewan). Of the three non-commercial IPs, only one met the WOAH classification of poultry and required a Primary Control Zone.