



Highly pathogenic avian influenza,
Nepal

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Summary

Report type	Follow-up report No. 1 (Final report)
Date of start of the event	13/02/2014
Date of pre-confirmation of the event	18/02/2014
Report date	25/05/2014
Date submitted to OIE	25/05/2014
Date event resolved	22/05/2014
Reason for notification	Reoccurrence of a listed disease
Date of previous occurrence	10/10/2013
Manifestation of disease	Clinical disease
Causal agent	Highly pathogenic avian influenza virus
Serotype	H5N1
Nature of diagnosis	Clinical, Laboratory (advanced), Necropsy
This event pertains to	the whole country
Related reports	Immediate notification (26/02/2014) Follow-up report No. 1 (25/05/2014)

Outbreaks	There are no new outbreaks in this report
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Epidemiology

Source of the outbreak(s) or origin of infection	Unknown or inconclusive
Epidemiological comments	After the completion of stamping out operation, surveillance activities were intensified outside the zone and throughout the country. During the period, morbidity and mortality in poultry were investigated; samples collected were tested for avian influenza virus. All samples were negative for HPAI H5N1. Therefore, Nepal declares itself free from HPAI H5N1 with effect from 22 May 2014.

Control measures

Measures applied	Stamping out Quarantine Movement control inside the country Disinfection of infected premises/establishment(s) Dipping / Spraying Vaccination prohibited No treatment of affected animals
Measures to be applied	No other measures

Future Reporting

The event is resolved. No more reports will be submitted.
