The path to resuming operations after highly pathogenic avian influenza (HPAI)

HPAIIS • CFIA staff come to your farm to investigate. **SUSPECTED** • If HPAI is suspected, a guarantine is placed on your farm. CFIA staff ask for information and answer your questions. Samples are taken from your flock and sent for testing. INVESTIGATION • Any premises considered to be in significant contact with yours, such as a **AND TESTING** farm you sent birds to or shared equipment with, is also put under quarantine. • If your birds are confirmed not to have HPAI, the guarantine is lifted. • If HPAI is confirmed, all birds on your farm are humanely depopulated and disposed of. **DEPOPULATION** • Eggs and other poultry products are also destroyed and properly disposed of, along with litter, manure, feathers and other materials that could AND DISPOSAL spread the disease. • CFIA staff will talk to you about compensation that may be available. **CLEANING AND** • You are responsible for cleaning and disinfecting any structures or equipment on your premises. (The CFIA will give you the necessary DISINFECTING information.) Once cleaning and disinfecting are completed, CFIA staff evaluate your FINAL INSPECTION farm and determine when the guarantine can be lifted (minimum 14 days AND APPROVAL later, typically 21 days). After final CFIA approval of your cleaning and disinfection, you have two RESTOCKING • Wait 14 days to restock ("vacancy period"), no monitoring required Restock birds now with 14 days of monitoring with testing

Avian influenza is a federally reportable disease – anyone suspecting avian influenza is required to report to the CFIA

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