

Declaration ending the Surveillance Zone centred on grid reference SM8487708322.

The Chief Veterinary Officer for Wales confirmed the presence of highly pathogenic avian influenza on a premises in Wales pursuant to article 28(1) of the [Avian Influenza and Influenza of Avian Origin in Mammals \(Wales\) \(No 2\) Order 2006¹](#) (“the Order”).

In accordance with articles 28(1), 29(2) and 31(1) of the Order, the Welsh Ministers declared a Surveillance Zone centred on grid reference **SM8487708322** that first took effect at 21:30 on 9 September and was restated at 15:49 on 25 October 2022.

At least 30 days have elapsed since the completion at all infected premises in that zone of the preliminary cleansing and disinfection measures referred to in Part 2 of Schedule 3 to the Order. Pursuant to Article 36(3) of the Order, the Welsh Ministers hereby end that Surveillance Zone.

All terms in this Declaration are as defined in the Order.

This Declaration takes effect from 13:30 on 31 October 2022.

Signed: Gavin Watkins, Interim Chief Veterinary Officer for Wales

Dated: at 12:35 on 31 October 2022

Under authority of the Minister for Rural Affairs and North Wales, and Trefnydd

Copies of this Declaration and of the Order are available at the Welsh Government [webpages](#) and from the Welsh Government, Cathays Park, Cardiff CF10 3NQ.

¹ S.I. 2006/2927 (W. 262) as amended by the Avian Influenza (Wales)(Amendments and Revocation) Order 2022 SI 2022/280 (W. 81).

