## Declaration ending the Surveillance Zone centred on grid reference SO1576898850.

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 SO1576898850 that first took effect at 16:10 on 17 May.

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 articles 4 and 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 16:30 on 7 June 2023

Signed: Gavin Watkins, Deputy Chief Veterinary Officer for Wales

Dated: at 16:30 on 7 June 2023

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

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

Copies of this Declaration and of the Order are available at the Welsh Government <u>webpages</u> and from the Welsh Government, Cathays Park, Cardiff CF10 3NQ.