Declaration ending the Surveillance Zone centred on grid reference SJ2348703135.

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) and 29(2) of the Order, the Welsh Ministers declared a Surveillance Zone centred on grid reference SJ2348703135 that first took effect at 17:30 on 9 November 2025.

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 14:00 on 2 January 2026

Signed: Natalie Sampson, Deputy Chief Veterinary Officer for Wales

Dated: at 14:00 on 2 January 2026

Under authority of the Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for Climate Change and Rural Affairs

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.

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¹ S.I. 2006/2927 (W. 262) (as amended).