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um innleiðingu á breytingum á framkvæmdarreglugerð (ESB) 2021/404 um skrár yfir þriðju lönd, yfirráðasvæði eða hluta þeirra þaðan sem heimilt er að flytja inn dýr, kímefni og afurðir úr dýraríkinu til Sambandsins í samræmi við reglugerð Evrópuþingsins og ráðsins (ESB) 2016/429.

1. gr.

Eftirfarandi reglugerðir öðlast gildi hér á landi með reglugerð nr. 242/2026 um (65.) breytingu á reglugerð nr. 580/2021 um gildistöku framkvæmdarreglugerðar framkvæmdastjórnarinnar (ESB) 2021/404 um skrár yfir þriðju lönd, yfirráðasvæði eða hluta þeirra þaðan sem heimilt er að flytja inn dýr, kímefni og afurðir úr dýraríkinu til Sambandsins í samræmi við reglugerð Evrópuþingsins og ráðsins (ESB) 2016/429, sem birt er í B-deild Stjórnartíðinda:

1. Framkvæmdarreglugerð framkvæmdastjórnarinnar (ESB) 2025/2332 frá 14. nóvember 2025 um breytingu á V. og XIV. viðauka við framkvæmdarreglugerð (ESB) 2021/404 að því er varðar færslurnar fyrir Kanada, Breska konungsríkið og Bandaríkin í skránum yfir þriðju lönd, yfirráðasvæði eða svæði þeirra sem hafa heimild til að flytja inn sendingar af alifuglum, kímefnum úr alifuglum og nýju kjöti af alifuglum og veiðifuglum til Sambandsins. Reglugerðin er birt á ensku í fylgiskjali 1 með auglýsingu þessari.
2. Framkvæmdarreglugerð framkvæmdastjórnarinnar (ESB) 2025/2410 frá 24. nóvember 2025 um breytingu á V. og XIV. viðauka við framkvæmdarreglugerð (ESB) 2021/404 að því er varðar færslurnar fyrir Kanada, Breska konungsríkið og Bandaríkin í skránum yfir þriðju lönd, yfirráðasvæði eða svæði þeirra sem hafa heimild til að flytja inn sendingar af alifuglum, kímefnum úr alifuglum og nýju kjöti af alifuglum og veiðifuglum til Sambandsins. Reglugerðin er birt á ensku í fylgiskjali 2 með auglýsingu þessari.
3. Framkvæmdarreglugerð framkvæmdastjórnarinnar (ESB) 2025/2515 frá 8. desember 2025 um breytingu á V. og XIV. viðauka við framkvæmdarreglugerð (ESB) 2021/404 að því er varðar færslurnar fyrir Kanada, Breska konungsríkið og Bandaríkin í skránum yfir þriðju lönd, yfirráðasvæði eða svæði þeirra sem hafa heimild til að flytja inn sendingar af alifuglum, kímefnum úr alifuglum og nýju kjöti af alifuglum og veiðifuglum til Sambandsins. Reglugerðin er birt á ensku í fylgiskjali 3 með auglýsingu þessari.
4. Framkvæmdarreglugerð framkvæmdastjórnarinnar (ESB) 2025/2658 frá 23. desember 2025 um breytingu á V. og XIV. viðauka við framkvæmdarreglugerð (ESB) 2021/404 að því er varðar færslurnar fyrir Kanada, Breska konungsríkið og Bandaríkin í skránum yfir þriðju lönd, yfirráðasvæði eða svæði þeirra sem hafa heimild til að flytja inn sendingar af alifuglum, kímefnum úr alifuglum og nýju kjöti af alifuglum og veiðifuglum til Sambandsins. Reglugerðin er birt á ensku í fylgiskjali 4 með auglýsingu þessari.
5. Framkvæmdarreglugerð framkvæmdastjórnarinnar (ESB) 2026/227 frá 26. janúar 2026 um breytingu á V. og XIV. viðauka við framkvæmdarreglugerð (ESB) 2021/404 að því er varðar færslurnar fyrir Kanada, Breska konungsríkið og Bandaríkin í skránum yfir þriðju lönd, yfirráðasvæði eða svæði þeirra sem hafa heimild til að flytja inn sendingar af alifuglum, kímefnum úr alifuglum og nýju kjöti af alifuglum og veiðifuglum til Sambandsins. Reglugerðin er birt á ensku í fylgiskjali 5 með auglýsingu þessari.
6. Framkvæmdarreglugerð framkvæmdastjórnarinnar (ESB) 2026/173 frá 20. janúar 2026 um breytingu á V. og XIV. viðauka við framkvæmdarreglugerð (ESB) 2021/404 að því er varðar færslurnar fyrir Kanada, Breska konungsríkið og Bandaríkin í skránum yfir þriðju lönd, yfirráðasvæði eða svæði þeirra sem hafa heimild til að flytja inn sendingar af alifuglum, kímefnum úr alifuglum og nýju kjöti af alifuglum og veiðifuglum til Sambandsins. Reglugerðin er birt á ensku í fylgiskjali 6 með auglýsingu þessari.
7. Framkvæmdarreglugerð framkvæmdastjórnarinnar (ESB) 2026/281 frá 2. febrúar 2026 um breytingu á V. og XIV. viðauka við framkvæmdarreglugerð (ESB) 2021/404 að því er varðar færslurnar fyrir Kanada, Breska konungsríkið og Bandaríkin í skránum yfir þriðju lönd, yfirráðasvæði eða svæði þeirra sem hafa heimild til að flytja inn sendingar af alifuglum, kím-

efnum úr alifuglum og nýju kjöti af alifuglum og veiðifuglum til Sambandsins. Reglugerðin er birt á ensku í fylgiskjali 7 með auglýsingu þessari.

2. gr.

Auglýsing þessi er sett með stoð í 31. gr. a laga um matvæli, nr. 93/1995, 7. gr. laga um eftirlit með fódri, áburði og sáðvöru, nr. 22/1994, og 29. gr. b laga um dýrasjúkdóma og varnir gegn þeim, nr. 25/1993.

Þetta er hér með gert almenningi kunnugt.

Atvinnuvegaráðuneytinu, 11. febrúar 2026.

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Bryndís Hlökkversdóttir.

Donika Kolica.

Fylgiskjal 1.**COMMISSION IMPLEMENTING REGULATION (EU) 2025/2332****of 14 November 2025****amending Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 as regards the entries for Canada, the United Kingdom and the United States in the lists of third countries, territories, or zones thereof authorised for the entry into the Union of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds****(Text with EEA relevance)**

THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union,

Having regard to Regulation (EU) 2016/429 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 March 2016 on transmissible animal diseases and amending and repealing certain acts in the area of animal health ('Animal Health Law')⁽¹⁾, and in particular Articles 230(1) and 232(1), point (b) and 232(3), point (b) thereof.

Whereas:

- (1) Regulation (EU) 2016/429 provides that consignments of animals, germinal products and products of animal origin from third countries or territories must be allowed to enter the Union only if the third countries or territories concerned are listed in accordance with Article 230(1) of that Regulation.
- (2) Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692⁽²⁾ lays down the animal health requirements that consignments of certain species and categories of animals, germinal products and products of animal origin, from third countries, territories, or zones thereof, or compartments thereof in the case of aquaculture animals, must comply with in order to enter the Union.
- (3) Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404⁽³⁾ lays down the lists of third countries, territories, or zones thereof, from which the entry into the Union of the species and categories of animals, germinal products and products of animal origin, falling within the scope of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692, is permitted. Those lists and certain general rules concerning those lists are set out in Annexes I to XXII to that Implementing Regulation.
- (4) More particularly, Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 set out the lists of third countries, territories, or zones thereof, authorised for the entry into the Union, respectively, of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds.
- (5) Canada has notified the Commission of 11 new outbreaks of highly pathogenic avian influenza (HPAI) in poultry in the provinces of Alberta, British Columbia, and Quebec, which were confirmed between 22 October 2025 and 4 November 2025 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).
- (6) The United Kingdom has notified the Commission of 19 new outbreaks of HPAI in poultry in the counties of Devon, East Sussex, Lancashire, Lincolnshire, Norfolk, North Yorkshire, and Suffolk, England, and in the county of Pembrokeshire, Wales, which were confirmed between 29 October 2025 and 7 November 2025 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 84, 31.3.2016, p. 1, ELI: <http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg/2016/429/oj>.

⁽²⁾ Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692 of 30 January 2020 supplementing Regulation (EU) 2016/429 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards rules for entry into the Union, and the movement and handling after entry of consignments of certain animals, germinal products and products of animal origin (OJ L 174, 3.6.2020, p. 379, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg_del/2020/692/oj).

⁽³⁾ Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 of 24 March 2021 laying down the lists of third countries, territories or zones thereof from which the entry into the Union of animals, germinal products and products of animal origin is permitted in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2016/429 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 114, 31.3.2021, p. 1, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg_impl/2021/404/oj).

- (7) The United States has notified the Commission of 13 new outbreaks of HPAI in poultry in the states of California, Indiana, Michigan, North Dakota, and South Dakota, which were confirmed between 21 October 2025 and 6 November 2025 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).
- (8) Following those recent outbreaks of HPAI, the veterinary authorities of Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States established restricted zones of at least 10 km around the affected establishments and implemented a stamping-out policy to control the presence of HPAI and limit the spread of that disease.
- (9) Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States have submitted information to the Commission on the epidemiological situation on their respective territories and the measures taken to prevent the further spread of HPAI following those recent HPAI outbreaks.
- (10) That information has been evaluated by the Commission. In view of the animal health situation in the areas under restrictions established by the veterinary authorities of Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States, the entry into the Union of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds from the areas concerned by the outbreaks in those third countries should be suspended in order to protect the animal health status of the Union, taking into account the dates when the outbreaks were confirmed. Therefore, the entries for those third countries in the tables set out in Section B of Part 1 and in Part 2 of Annex V, and the table set out in Section B of Part 1 of Annex XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 should be amended accordingly.
- (11) In addition, Canada provided updated information to the Commission in relation to the epidemiological situation on its territory as regards earlier outbreaks of HPAI that gave rise to the suspension of the entry into the Union of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds, as set out in the table in Section B of Part 1 of Annex V, and in the table in Section B of Part 1 of Annex XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404.
- (12) On 15 October 2025 and 20 October 2025, Canada submitted updated information on the animal health situation and the measures it has taken in relation to two outbreaks of HPAI in poultry in the province of Alberta, which were confirmed on 15 September 2025 and 6 October 2025 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).
- (13) Canada informed the Commission that, following those earlier outbreaks of HPAI, it has implemented a stamping out policy in order to control and limit the spread of that disease, and it has also completed the requisite cleaning and disinfection following the implementation of the stamping out policy in the infected poultry establishments.
- (14) The Commission has evaluated the information submitted by Canada and considers that it has provided appropriate guarantees that the animal health situation that had given rise to the suspension of the entry of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds into the Union from the affected zones, as set out in the table in Section B of Part 1 of Annex V, and in the table in Section B of Part 1 of Annex XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404, no longer represents a threat to animal or public health in the Union, and that, consequently, the entry into the Union of those consignments from the affected zones of Canada, from which entry into the Union had been suspended, should be re-authorised. Therefore, the entries for Canada in those tables in those Annexes should be amended accordingly.
- (15) Taking into account the new HPAI outbreaks in Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States, and in order to avoid any unnecessary disruption in trade with Canada, the amendments to be made to Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 by this Regulation should take effect as a matter of urgency.
- (16) The measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Committee on Plants, Animals, Food and Feed,

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11. febrúar 2026

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 are amended in accordance with the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day following that of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Union*.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 14 November 2025.

For the Commission
The President
Ursula VON DER LEYEN

ANNEX

Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 are amended as follows:

(1) Annex V is amended as follows:

(a) in Part 1, Section B is amended as follows:

(i) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.270 is replaced by the following:

CA Canada	CA-2.270	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		10.9.2025	3.11.2025'
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(ii) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.274 is replaced by the following:

CA Canada	CA-2.274	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		2.10.2025	8.11.2025'
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(iii) in the entry for Canada, the following rows for the zones CA-2.292 to CA-2.305 are added after the row for the zone CA-2.291:

CA Canada	CA-2.292	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		22.10.2025	
	CA-2.293		N, P1		22.10.2025	
	CA-2.294		N, P1		22.10.2025	
	CA-2.295		N, P1		28.10.2025	
	CA-2.296		N, P1		28.10.2025	
	CA-2.297		N, P1		27.10.2025	
	CA-2.298		N, P1		28.10.2025	
	CA-2.299		N, P1		30.10.2025	
	CA-2.300		N, P1		30.10.2025	
	CA-2.301		N, P1		30.10.2025	
	CA-2.302		N, P1		1.11.2025	
	CA-2.303		N, P1		3.11.2025	
	CA-2.304		N, P1		4.11.2025	
	CA-2.305		N, P1		4.11.2025'	

(iv) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the rows for the zones GB-2.400 to GB-2.418 are added after the row for the zone GB-2.399:

GB United Kingdom	GB-2.400	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		29.10.2025	
	GB-2.401		N, P1		30.10.2025	
	GB-2.402		N, P1		31.10.2025	
	GB-2.403		N, P1		31.10.2025	
	GB-2.404		N, P1		31.10.2025	
	GB-2.405		N, P1		31.10.2025	

	GB-2.406		N, P1		1.11.2025	
	GB-2.407		N, P1		1.11.2025	
	GB-2.408		N, P1		2.11.2025	
	GB-2.409		N, P1		3.11.2025	
	GB-2.410		N, P1		3.11.2025	
	GB-2.411		N, P1		4.11.2025	
	GB-2.412		N, P1		5.11.2025	
	GB-2.413		N, P1		6.11.2025	
	GB-2.414		N, P1		6.11.2025	
	GB-2.415		N, P1		7.11.2025	
	GB-2.416		N, P1		7.11.2025	
	GB-2.417		N, P1		7.11.2025	
	GB-2.418		N, P1		7.11.2025'	

- (v) in the entry for the United States, the following rows for the zones US-2.1100 to US-2.1112 are added after the row for the zone US-2.1099:

	US-2.1100		N, P1		21.10.2025	
	US-2.1101		N, P1		28.10.2025	
	US-2.1102		N, P1		27.10.2025	
	US-2.1103		N, P1		28.10.2025	
	US-2.1104		N, P1		29.10.2025	
	US-2.1105		N, P1		29.10.2025	
'US United States	US-2.1106	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		31.10.2025	
	US-2.1107		N, P1		3.11.2025	
	US-2.1108		N, P1		3.11.2025	
	US-2.1109		N, P1		3.11.2025	
	US-2.1110		N, P1		5.11.2025	
	US-2.1111		N, P1		4.11.2025	
	US-2.1112		N, P1		6.11.2025'	

- (b) Part 2 is amended as follows:

- (i) in the entry for Canada, the following descriptions of the zones CA-2.292 to CA-2.305 are added after the row for the zone CA-2.291:

	CA-2.292	British Columbia- Latitude 49.18, Longitude -121.85 Fraser Valley Regionalization Zone 7. The municipalities involved are: Baker Trails, Slesse Park, Chilliwack, Popkum, Bridal Falls, and Agassiz
'Canada	CA-2.293	British Columbia- Latitude 49.31, Longitude -121.88 Fraser Valley Regionalization Zone 8. The municipalities involved are: Lake Errock, Harrison Mills, and Harrison Hot Springs
	CA-2.294	British Columbia- Latitude 49.25, Longitude -122.17 Fraser Valley Regionalization Zone 9. The municipalities involved are: Dewdney, Deroche, Durieu, and Miracle Valley

CA-2.295	British Columbia- Latitude 49.10, Longitude -122.77 Fraser Valley Regionalization Zone 2. The municipalities involved are: Delta, Langley, Langley Township, Surrey, and White Rock
CA-2.296	British Columbia- Latitude 49.08, Longitude -122.56 Fraser Valley Regionalization Zone 3. The municipalities involved are: Langley, Langley Township, and Forest Knolls
CA-2.297	Alberta – Latitude 53.66, Longitude -113.1 The municipalities involved are: 3km PZ: Fort Saskatchewan, Josephburg and Strathcona 10km SZ: Ardrossan, Fort Saskatchewan, Josephburg, Lamont, and Strathcona
CA-2.298	Alberta – Latitude 53.2, Longitude -114.4 The municipalities involved are: 3km PZ: Leduc, Saint Francis, and Warburg 10km SZ: Alsike, Brazeau, Creekland, Genesee, Leduc, Pemburton Hill, Saint Francis, Telfordville, and Warburg
CA-2.299	Alberta – Latitude 52.93, Longitude -113.1 The municipalities involved are: 3km PZ: Malmö and Wetaskiwin 10km SZ: Camrose, Ferintosh, Malmö, Maskwacis, Ponoka, Samson, Tristram, and Wetaskiwin
CA-2.300	Alberta – Latitude 53.83, Longitude -113.1 The municipalities involved are: 3km PZ: Amelia, Redwater and Sturgeon 10km SZ: Amelia, Bruderheim, Redwater, Strathcona, Sturgeon, and Thorhild
CA-2.301	Alberta –Latitude 52.75, Longitude -113.81 The municipalities involved are: 3km PZ: Maskwacis, Ponoka and Usona 10km SZ: Crestomere, Falun, Maskwacis, Ponoka, Usona, and Wetaskiwin
CA-2.302	British Columbia – Latitude 50.67, Longitude -119.28 The municipalities involved are: 3km PZ: Salmon Arm 10km SZ: ancherro, Salmon Arm, and Silver Creek
CA-2.303	Alberta –Latitude 52.82, Longitude -113.22 The municipalities involved are: 3km PZ: Wetaskiwin 10km SZ: Malmö, Maskwacis, Navarre, and Wetaskiwin
CA-2.304	Quebec – Latitude 45.36, Longitude -73.15 The municipalities involved are: 3km PZ: Mont-Saint-Grégoire and Saint-Jean-sur-Richelieu 10km SZ: Carignan, Marieville, Mont-Saint-Grégoire, Richelieu, Saint-Alexandre, Saint-Blaise-sur-Richelieu, Saint-Jean-sur-Richelieu, Sainte-Angèle-de-Monnoir, Sainte-Anne-de-Sabrevois, and Sainte-Brigide-d'Iberville
CA-2.305	British Columbia- Latitude 49.29, Longitude -122.76 Fraser Valley Regionalization Zone 11. The municipalities involved are: Anmore, Belcarra, Coquitlam, Maple Ridge, Pitt Meadows, Port Coquitlam, and Port Moody'

- (ii) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the following description of the zones GB-2.400 to GB-2.418 are added after the description of the zone GB-2.399:

United Kingdom	GB-2.400	near Brandon, West Suffolk, Suffolk, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N52.40 and Long: E0.68
	GB-2.401	near Milford Haven, Pembrokeshire, Wales, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N51.74 and Long: W5.05
	GB-2.402	near Milford Haven, Pembrokeshire, Wales, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N51.74 and Long: W5.05
	GB-2.403	near Ormesby St Margaret, Great Yarmouth, Norfolk, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N52.68 and Long: E1.66
	GB-2.404	near Uckfield, Wealden, East Sussex, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N50.96 and Long: E0.08
	GB-2.405	near Swineshead, Boston, Lincolnshire, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N52.98 and Long: W0.16
	GB-2.406	near Honington, West Suffolk, Suffolk, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N52.35 and Long: E0.75
	GB-2.407	near Donington, South Holland, Lincolnshire, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N52.90 and Long: W0.25
	GB-2.408	near Easingwold, Wetherby and Easingwold, North Yorkshire, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N54.10 and Long: W1.28
	GB-2.409	near Thirsk, Thirsk and Malton, North Yorkshire, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N54.28 and Long: W1.35
	GB-2.410	near Crediton, Mid Devon, Devon, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N50.80 and Long: W3.63
	GB-2.411	near Wells-Next-The-Sea, North Norfolk, Norfolk, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N52.92 and Long: E0.86
	GB-2.412	near Corby Glen, South Kesteven, Lincolnshire, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N52.85 and Long: W0.52

	GB-2.413	near Milford Haven, Pembrokeshire, Wales, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N51.73 and Long: W51.73
	GB-2.414	near Kirkham, Fylde, Lancashire, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N53.77 and Long: W2.88
	GB-2.415	near Feltwell, King's Lynn and West Norfolk, Norfolk, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N52.47 and Long: E0.48
	GB-2.416	near Attleborough, Breckland, Norfolk, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N52.53 and Long: E0.90
	GB-2.417	near Alford, East Lindsey, Lincolnshire, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat N53.23 and Long: E0.26
	GB-2.418	near Thirsk, Thirsk and Malton, North Yorkshire, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat:N54.22 and Long: W1.43'

(iii) in the entry for the United States, the following descriptions of the zones US-2.1100 to US-2.1112 are added after the description of the zone US-2.1099:

United States	US-2.1100	State of South Dakota Spink 14 Spink County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 98.2900442°W 44.8883074°N)
	US-2.1101	State of South Dakota Spink 15 Spink County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 98.0528429°W 44.8284039°N)
	US-2.1102	State of California Sonoma 14 Sonoma County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 122.7605781°W 38.3371032°N)
	US-2.1103	State of California Sonoma 15 Sonoma County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 122.7210055°W 38.3482743°N)
	US-2.1104	State of Indiana LaGrange 06 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.5829295°W 41.6784206°N)
	US-2.1105	State of Indiana LaGrange 07 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.5423281°W 41.6690261°N)

US-2.1106	State of Michigan Ottawa 10 Ottawa County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 86.0028093°W 43.0036961°N)
US-2.1107	State of North Dakota LaMoure 06 LaMoure County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 98.4045941°W 46.4309401°N)
US-2.1108	State of South Dakota McPherson 15 McPherson County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 98.8843773°W 45.9972533°N)
US-2.1109	State of Indiana Elkhart 09 Elkhart County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.6693425°W 41.6801002°N)
US-2.1110	State of California Sonoma 16 Sonoma County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 122.7441352°W 38.3520376°N)
US-2.1111	State of Michigan Ottawa 11 Ottawa County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 86.0545539°W 42.9769520°N)
US-2.1112	State of Michigan Ottawa 12 Ottawa County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 86.0481105°W 43.0008310°N)

(2) in Annex XIV, in Part 1, Section B is amended as follows:

(a) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.270 is replaced by the following:

'CA Canada	CA-2.270	POU, RAT	N, P1		10.9.2025	3.11.2025
		GBM	P1		10.9.2025	3.11.2025'

(b) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.274 is replaced by the following:

'CA Canada	CA-2.274	POU, RAT	N, P1		2.10.2025	8.11.2025
		GBM	P1		2.10.2025	8.11.2025'

(c) in the entry for Canada, the following rows for the zones CA-2.292 to CA-2.305 are added after the row for the zone CA-2.291:

'CA Canada	CA-2.292	POU, RAT	N, P1		22.10.2025	
		GBM	P1		22.10.2025	
	CA-2.293	POU, RAT	N, P1		22.10.2025	
		GBM	P1		22.10.2025	

CA-2.294	POU, RAT	N, P1		22.10.2025	
	GBM	P1		22.10.2025	
CA-2.295	POU, RAT	N, P1		28.10.2025	
	GBM	P1		28.10.2025	
CA-2.296	POU, RAT	N, P1		28.10.2025	
	GBM	P1		28.10.2025	
CA-2.297	POU, RAT	N, P1		27.10.2025	
	GBM	P1		27.10.2025	
CA-2.298	POU, RAT	N, P1		28.10.2025	
	GBM	P1		28.10.2025	
CA-2.299	POU, RAT	N, P1		30.10.2025	
	GBM	P1		30.10.2025	
CA-2.300	POU, RAT	N, P1		30.10.2025	
	GBM	P1		30.10.2025	
CA-2.301	POU, RAT	N, P1		30.10.2025	
	GBM	P1		30.10.2025	
CA-2.302	POU, RAT	N, P1		1.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		1.11.2025	
CA-2.303	POU, RAT	N, P1		3.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		3.11.2025	
CA-2.304	POU, RAT	N, P1		4.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		4.11.2025	
CA-2.305	POU, RAT	N, P1		4.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		4.11.2025	

(d) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the following rows for the zones GB-2.400 to GB-2.418 are added after the row for the zone GB-2.399:

GB-2.400	POU, RAT	N, P1		29.10.2025	
	GBM	P1		29.10.2025	
GB-2.401	POU, RAT	N, P1		30.10.2025	
	GBM	P1		30.10.2025	
GB-2.402	POU, RAT	N, P1		31.10.2025	
	GBM	P1		31.10.2025	
GB-2.403	POU, RAT	N, P1		31.10.2025	
	GBM	P1		31.10.2025	
GB-2.404	POU, RAT	N, P1		31.10.2025	
	GBM	P1		31.10.2025	
GB-2.405	POU, RAT	N, P1		31.10.2025	
	GBM	P1		31.10.2025	
GB-2.406	POU, RAT	N, P1		1.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		1.11.2025	

GB-2.407	POU, RAT	N, P1		1.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		1.11.2025	
GB-2.408	POU, RAT	N, P1		2.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		2.11.2025	
GB-2.409	POU, RAT	N, P1		3.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		3.11.2025	
GB-2.410	POU, RAT	N, P1		3.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		3.11.2025	
GB-2.411	POU, RAT	N, P1		4.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		4.11.2025	
GB-2.412	POU, RAT	N, P1		5.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		5.11.2025	
GB-2.413	POU, RAT	N, P1		6.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		6.11.2025	
GB-2.414	POU, RAT	N, P1		6.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		6.11.2025	
GB-2.415	POU, RAT	N, P1		7.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		7.11.2025	
GB-2.416	POU, RAT	N, P1		7.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		7.11.2025	
GB-2.417	POU, RAT	N, P1		7.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		7.11.2025	
GB-2.418	POU, RAT	N, P1		7.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		7.11.2025'	

(e) in the entry for the United States, the following rows for the zones US-2.1100 to US-2.1112 are added after the row for the zone US-2.1099:

US-2.1100	POU, RAT	N, P1		21.10.2025	
	GBM	P1		21.10.2025	
US-2.1101	POU, RAT	N, P1		28.10.2025	
	GBM	P1		28.10.2025	
US-2.1102	POU, RAT	N, P1		27.10.2025	
	GBM	P1		27.10.2025	
US-2.1103	POU, RAT	N, P1		28.10.2025	
	GBM	P1		28.10.2025	
US-2.1104	POU, RAT	N, P1		29.10.2025	
	GBM	P1		29.10.2025	
US-2.1105	POU, RAT	N, P1		29.10.2025	
	GBM	P1		29.10.2025	
US-2.1106	POU, RAT	N, P1		31.10.2025	
	GBM	P1		31.10.2025	

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US-2.1107	POU, RAT	N, P1		3.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		3.11.2025	
US-2.1108	POU, RAT	N, P1		3.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		3.11.2025	
US-2.1109	POU, RAT	N, P1		3.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		3.11.2025	
US-2.1110	POU, RAT	N, P1		5.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		5.11.2025	
US-2.1111	POU, RAT	N, P1		4.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		4.11.2025	
US-2.1112	POU, RAT	N, P1		6.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		6.11.2025'	

Fylgiskjal 2.**COMMISSION IMPLEMENTING REGULATION (EU) 2025/2410****of 24 November 2025****amending Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 as regards the entries for Canada, the United Kingdom and the United States in the lists of third countries, territories, or zones thereof authorised for the entry into the Union of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds****(Text with EEA relevance)**

THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union,

Having regard to Regulation (EU) 2016/429 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 March 2016 on transmissible animal diseases and amending and repealing certain acts in the area of animal health ('Animal Health Law')⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 230(1), Article 232(1), point (b), and Article 232(3), point (b) thereof.

Whereas:

- (1) Regulation (EU) 2016/429 provides that consignments of animals, germinal products and products of animal origin from third countries or territories are only to be allowed to enter into the Union if the third countries or territories concerned are listed in accordance with Article 230(1) of that Regulation.
- (2) Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692⁽²⁾ lays down the animal health requirements that consignments of certain species and categories of animals, germinal products and products of animal origin, from third countries, territories, or zones thereof, or compartments thereof in the case of aquaculture animals, must comply with in order to enter the Union.
- (3) Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404⁽³⁾ lays down the lists of third countries, territories, or zones thereof, from which the entry into the Union of the species and categories of animals, germinal products and products of animal origin, falling within the scope of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692, is permitted. Those lists and certain general rules concerning those lists are set out in Annexes I to XXII to that Implementing Regulation.
- (4) More particularly, Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 set out the lists of third countries, territories, or zones thereof, authorised for the entry into the Union, respectively, of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds.
- (5) Canada has notified the Commission of three new outbreaks of highly pathogenic avian influenza (HPAI) in poultry in the provinces of Alberta, British Columbia, and Saskatchewan, which were confirmed between 6 November 2025 and 12 November 2025 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).
- (6) The United Kingdom has notified the Commission of nine new outbreaks of HPAI in poultry in the counties of Norfolk, South Yorkshire, Suffolk, and Worcestershire, in England, in the county of South Lanarkshire, in Scotland, and in the counties of Pembrokeshire and Powys, in Wales, which were confirmed between 8 November 2025 and 19 November 2025 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 84, 31.3.2016, p. 1, ELI: <http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg/2016/429/oj>.

⁽²⁾ Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692 of 30 January 2020 supplementing Regulation (EU) 2016/429 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards rules for entry into the Union, and the movement and handling after entry of consignments of certain animals, germinal products and products of animal origin (OJ L 174, 3.6.2020, p. 379, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg_del/2020/692/oj).

⁽³⁾ Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 of 24 March 2021 laying down the lists of third countries, territories or zones thereof from which the entry into the Union of animals, germinal products and products of animal origin is permitted in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2016/429 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 114, 31.3.2021, p. 1, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg_impl/2021/404/oj).

- (7) The United States has notified the Commission of 23 new outbreaks of HPAI in poultry in the states of Indiana, Michigan, and Washington, which were confirmed between 4 November 2025 and 13 November 2025 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).
- (8) Following those recent outbreaks of HPAI, the veterinary authorities of Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States established restricted zones of at least 10 km around the affected establishments and implemented a stamping-out policy to control the presence of HPAI and limit the spread of that disease.
- (9) Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States have submitted information to the Commission on the epidemiological situation on their respective territories and the measures they have taken to prevent the further spread of HPAI following those recent HPAI outbreaks.
- (10) That information has been evaluated by the Commission. In view of the animal health situation in the areas under restrictions established by the veterinary authorities of Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States, the entry into the Union of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds from the areas concerned by the new outbreaks in those third countries should be suspended in order to protect the animal health status of the Union, taking into account the dates when the outbreaks were confirmed. Therefore, the entries for those third countries in the tables set out in Section B of Part 1 and in Part 2 of Annex V, and the table set out in Section B of Part 1 of Annex XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 should be amended accordingly.
- (11) In addition, Canada and the United Kingdom have provided updated information to the Commission in relation to the epidemiological situation on their respective territories as regards earlier outbreaks of HPAI that gave rise to the suspension of the entry into the Union of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds, as set out in the table in Section B of Part 1 of Annex V, and in the table in Section B of Part 1 of Annex XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404.
- (12) On 20 October 2025 Canada submitted updated information on the animal health situation and the measures it has taken in relation to an outbreak of HPAI in poultry in the province of Quebec, which was confirmed on 15 September 2025 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).
- (13) On 12 November 2025, the United Kingdom submitted updated information on the animal health situation and the measures it has taken in relation to an outbreak of HPAI in poultry in the county of Cumbria, in England, which was confirmed on 28 September 2025 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).
- (14) Canada and the United Kingdom informed the Commission that, following those earlier outbreaks of HPAI, they have implemented a stamping out policy in order to control and limit the spread of that disease, and they have also completed the requisite cleaning and disinfection following the implementation of the stamping out policy in the infected poultry establishments.
- (15) The Commission has evaluated the information submitted by Canada and the United Kingdom and considers that they have provided appropriate guarantees that the animal health situation that had given rise to the suspension of the entry of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds into the Union from the affected zones in those third countries, as set out in the table in Section B of Part 1 of Annex V, and in the table in Section B of Part 1 of Annex XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404, no longer represents a threat to animal or public health in the Union, and that, consequently, the entry into the Union of those consignments from those affected zones of Canada and the United Kingdom, from which entry into the Union had been suspended, should be re-authorised. Therefore, the entries for Canada and the United Kingdom in those tables in those Annexes should be amended accordingly.
- (16) Taking into account the new HPAI outbreaks in Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States, and in order to avoid any unnecessary disruption in trade with Canada and the United Kingdom, the amendments to be made to Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 by this Regulation should take effect as a matter of urgency.
- (17) The measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Committee on Plants, Animals, Food and Feed,

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HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 are amended in accordance with the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day following that of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Union*.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 24 November 2025.

For the Commission
The President
Ursula VON DER LEYEN

ANNEX

Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 are amended as follows:

(1) Annex V is amended as follows:

(a) in Part 1, Section B is amended as follows:

(i) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.272 is replaced by the following:

'CA Canada	CA-2.272	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		15.9.2025	13.11.2025'
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(ii) in the entry for Canada, the following rows for the zones CA-2.306, CA-2.307 and CA-2.308 are added after the row for the zone CA-2.305:

'CA Canada	CA-2.306	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		6.11.2025	
	CA-2.307		N, P1		12.11.2025	
	CA-2.308		N, P1		8.11.2025'	

(iii) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the row for the zone GB-2.393 is replaced by the following:

'GB United Kingdom	GB-2.393	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		28.9.2025	6.11.2025'
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(iv) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the following rows for the zones GB-2.419 to GB-2.427 are added after the row for the zone GB-2.418:

'GB United Kingdom	GB-2.419	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		8.11.2025	
	GB-2.420		N, P1		9.11.2025	
	GB-2.421		N, P1		12.11.2025	
	GB-2.422		N, P1		12.11.2025	
	GB-2.423		N, P1		13.11.2025	
	GB-2.424		N, P1		14.11.2025	
	GB-2.425		N, P1		14.11.2025	
	GB-2.426		N, P1		18.11.2025	
	GB-2.427		N, P1		19.11.2025'	

(v) in the entry for the United States, the following rows for the zones US-2.1113 to US-2.1135 are added after the row for the zone US-2.1112:

'US United States	US-2.1113	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		6.11.2025	
	US-2.1114		N, P1		10.11.2025	
	US-2.1115		N, P1		4.11.2025	
	US-2.1116		N, P1		5.11.2025	
	US-2.1117		N, P1		5.11.2025	

	US-2.1118		N, P1		5.11.2025	
	US-2.1119		N, P1		6.11.2025	
	US-2.1120		N, P1		6.11.2025	
	US-2.1121		N, P1		7.11.2025	
	US-2.1122		N, P1		7.11.2025	
	US-2.1123		N, P1		7.11.2025	
	US-2.1124		N, P1		12.11.2025	
	US-2.1125		N, P1		12.11.2025	
	US-2.1126		N, P1		12.11.2025	
	US-2.1127		N, P1		12.11.2025	
	US-2.1128		N, P1		12.11.2025	
	US-2.1129		N, P1		12.11.2025	
	US-2.1130		N, P1		12.11.2025	
	US-2.1131		N, P1		12.11.2025	
	US-2.1132		N, P1		12.11.2025	
	US-2.1133		N, P1		12.11.2025	
	US-2.1134		N, P1		13.11.2025	
	US-2.1135		N, P1		13.11.2025'	

(b) Part 2 is amended as follows:

(i) in the entry for Canada, the following descriptions of the zones CA-2.306, CA-2.307 and CA-2.308 are added after the row for the zone CA-2.305:

'Canada	CA-2.306	Alberta – Latitude 52.79, Longitude -113.84 The municipalities involved are: 3 km PZ: Blackfalds, Crestomere and Ponoka 10 km SZ: Blackfalds, Crestomere, Falun, Ponoka, Rimbey, and Westeros, Wetaskiwin
	CA-2.307	Saskatchewan – Latitude 52.31, Longitude -106.66 The municipalities involved are: 3 km PZ: Corman Park, Martensville, and Saskatoon 10 km SZ: Corman Park, Dalmeny, Martensville, Saskatoon and Warman
	CA-2.308	British Columbia- Latitude 49.17, Longitude -123.09 Fraser Valley Regionalization Zone 1. The municipalities involved are: Burnaby, Delta, New Westminster, Richmond, Tsawwassen, and Vancouver'

(ii) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the following description of the zones GB-2.419 to GB-2.427 are added after the description of the zone GB-2.418:

'United Kingdom	GB-2.419	near Hallow, Malvern Hills, Worcestershire, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N52.26 and Long: W2.27
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	GB-2.420	near Welshpool, Powys, Wales, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N52.62 and Long: W3.13
	GB-2.421	near Lanark, South Lanarkshire, Scotland, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N55.70 and Long: W3.73
	GB-2.422	near Woodbridge, East Suffolk, Suffolk, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates N52.13 and Long: E1.28
	GB-2.423	near Poringland, South Norfolk, Norfolk, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N52.56 and Long: E1.33
	GB-2.424	near Swaffham, Breckland, Norfolk, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N52.63 and Long: E0.73
	GB-2.425	near Thorne, Doncaster, South Yorkshire, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N53.62 and Long: W1.00
	GB-2.426	near Milford Haven, Pembrokeshire, Wales, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N51.73 and Long: W5.05
	GB-2.427	near Lawshall, Babergh, Suffolk, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N52.16 and Long: E0.72'

- (iii) in the entry for the United States, the following descriptions of the zones US-2.1113 to US-2.1135 are added after the description of the zone US-2.1112:

United States	US-2.1113	State of Washington Snohomish 11 Snohomish County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 122.2351048°W 48.0447061°N)
	US-2.1114	State of Michigan Allegan 02 Allegan County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.8098667°W 42.8288478°N)
	US-2.1115	State of Indiana Elkhart 10 Elkhart County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.6693425°W 41.6801002°N)
	US-2.1116	State of Indiana LaGrange 08 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.5457122°W 41.6703465°N)

US-2.1117	State of Indiana LaGrange 10 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.6395624°W 41.6355876°N)
US-2.1118	State of Indiana LaGrange 09 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.5859983°W 41.6544713°N)
US-2.1119	State of Indiana LaGrange 11 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.5942467°W 41.6663620°N)
US-2.1120	State of Indiana Elkhart 11 Elkhart County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.6878214°W 41.6571826°N)
US-2.1121	State of Indiana LaGrange 12 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.5882007°W 41.6567615°N)
US-2.1122	State of Indiana LaGrange 13 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.6394799°W 41.6472074°N)
US-2.1123	State of Indiana LaGrange 14 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.5648278°W 41.6678387°N)
US-2.1124	State of Indiana LaGrange 15 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.6041250°W 41.6397435°N)
US-2.1125	State of Indiana LaGrange 16 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.5952827°W 41.6436425°N)
US-2.1126	State of Indiana LaGrange 18 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.6393783°W 41.6548373°N)
US-2.1127	State of Indiana LaGrange 19 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.4707331°W 41.6740780°N)
US-2.1128	State of Indiana LaGrange 20 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.4331026°W 41.6798436°N)

US-2.1129	State of Indiana LaGrange 21 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.4624138°W 41.6664071°N)
US-2.1130	State of Indiana LaGrange 22 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.5952374°W 41.6696621°N)
US-2.1131	State of Indiana LaGrange 24 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.6052061°W 41.6416636°N)
US-2.1132	State of Indiana LaGrange 25 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates:85.6220656°W 41.6546453°N)
US-2.1133	State of Indiana LaGrange 26 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.4836603°W 41.6235302°N)
US-2.1134	State of Indiana LaGrange 17 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.6404326°W 41.6401376°N)
US-2.1135	State of Indiana LaGrange 23 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.5208141°W 41.6973233°N)

(2) in Annex XIV, in Part 1, Section B is amended as follows:

(a) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.272 is replaced by the following:

'CA Canada	CA-2.272	POU, RAT	N, P1		15.9.2025	13.11.2025
		GBM	P1		15.9.2025	13.11.2025'

(b) in the entry for Canada, the following rows for the zones CA-2.306, CA-2.307 and CA-2.308 are added after the row for the zone CA-2.305:

'CA Canada	CA-2.306	POU, RAT	N, P1		6.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		6.11.2025	
	CA-2.307	POU, RAT	N, P1		12.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		12.11.2025	
	CA-2.308	POU, RAT	N, P1		8.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		8.11.2025'	

(c) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the row for the zone GB-2.393 is replaced by the following:

'GB United Kingdom	GB-2.393	POU, RAT	N, P1		28.9.2025	6.11.2025
		GBM	P1		28.9.2025	6.11.2025'

- (d) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the following rows for the zones GB-2.419 to GB-2.427 are added after the row for the zone GB-2.418:

GB United Kingdom	GB-2.419	POU, RAT	N, P1		8.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		8.11.2025	
	GB-2.420	POU, RAT	N, P1		9.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		9.11.2025	
	GB-2.421	POU, RAT	N, P1		12.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		12.11.2025	
	GB-2.422	POU, RAT	N, P1		12.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		12.11.2025	
	GB-2.423	POU, RAT	N, P1		13.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		13.11.2025	
	GB-2.424	POU, RAT	N, P1		14.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		14.11.2025	
	GB-2.425	POU, RAT	N, P1		14.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		14.11.2025	
	GB-2.426	POU, RAT	N, P1		18.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		18.11.2025	
	GB-2.427	POU, RAT	N, P1		19.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		19.11.2025'	

- (e) in the entry for the United States, the following rows for the zones US-2.1113 to US-2.1135 are added after the row for the zone US-2.1112:

US United States	US-2.1113	POU, RAT	N, P1		6.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		6.11.2025	
	US-2.1114	POU, RAT	N, P1		10.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		10.11.2025	
	US-2.1115	POU, RAT	N, P1		4.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		4.11.2025	
	US-2.1116	POU, RAT	N, P1		5.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		5.11.2025	
	US-2.1117	POU, RAT	N, P1		5.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		5.11.2025	
	US-2.1118	POU, RAT	N, P1		5.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		5.11.2025	
	US-2.1119	POU, RAT	N, P1		6.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		6.11.2025	
	US-2.1120	POU, RAT	N, P1		6.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		6.11.2025	
	US-2.1121	POU, RAT	N, P1		7.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		7.11.2025	

US-2.1122	POU, RAT	N, P1		7.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		7.11.2025	
US-2.1123	POU, RAT	N, P1		7.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		7.11.2025	
US-2.1124	POU, RAT	N, P1		12.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		12.11.2025	
US-2.1125	POU, RAT	N, P1		12.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		12.11.2025	
US-2.1126	POU, RAT	N, P1		12.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		12.11.2025	
US-2.1127	POU, RAT	N, P1		12.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		12.11.2025	
US-2.1128	POU, RAT	N, P1		12.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		12.11.2025	
US-2.1129	POU, RAT	N, P1		12.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		12.11.2025	
US-2.1130	POU, RAT	N, P1		12.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		12.11.2025	
US-2.1131	POU, RAT	N, P1		12.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		12.11.2025	
US-2.1132	POU, RAT	N, P1		12.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		12.11.2025	
US-2.1133	POU, RAT	N, P1		12.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		12.11.2025	
US-2.1134	POU, RAT	N, P1		13.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		13.11.2025	
US-2.1135	POU, RAT	N, P1		13.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		13.11.2025'	

Fylgiskjal 3.**COMMISSION IMPLEMENTING REGULATION (EU) 2025/2515****of 8 December 2025****amending Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 as regards the entries for Canada, the United Kingdom and the United States in the lists of third countries, territories, or zones thereof authorised for the entry into the Union of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds****(Text with EEA relevance)**

THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union,

Having regard to Regulation (EU) 2016/429 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 March 2016 on transmissible animal diseases and amending and repealing certain acts in the area of animal health ('Animal Health Law')⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 230(1), Article 232(1), point (b) and Article 232(3), point (b) thereof.

Whereas:

- (1) Regulation (EU) 2016/429 provides that consignments of animals, germinal products and products of animal origin from third countries or territories are only to be allowed to enter into the Union if the third countries or territories concerned are listed in accordance with Article 230(1) of that Regulation.
- (2) Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692⁽²⁾ lays down the animal health requirements that consignments of certain species and categories of animals, germinal products and products of animal origin, from third countries, territories, or zones thereof, or compartments thereof in the case of aquaculture animals, must comply with in order to enter the Union.
- (3) Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404⁽³⁾ lays down the lists of third countries, territories, or zones thereof, from which the entry into the Union of the species and categories of animals, germinal products and products of animal origin, falling within the scope of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692, is permitted. Those lists and certain general rules concerning those lists are set out in Annexes I to XXII to that Implementing Regulation.
- (4) More particularly, Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 set out the lists of third countries, territories, or zones thereof, authorised for the entry into the Union, respectively, of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds.
- (5) Canada has notified the Commission of nine new outbreaks of highly pathogenic avian influenza (HPAI) in poultry in the provinces of Alberta, British Columbia, Ontario, Quebec, and Saskatchewan, which were confirmed between 14 November 2025 and 29 November 2025 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 84, 31.3.2016, p. 1, ELI: <http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg/2016/429/oj>.

⁽²⁾ Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692 of 30 January 2020 supplementing Regulation (EU) 2016/429 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards rules for entry into the Union, and the movement and handling after entry of consignments of certain animals, germinal products and products of animal origin (OJ L 174, 3.6.2020, p. 379, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg_del/2020/692/oj).

⁽³⁾ Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 of 24 March 2021 laying down the lists of third countries, territories or zones thereof from which the entry into the Union of animals, germinal products and products of animal origin is permitted in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2016/429 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 114, 31.3.2021, p. 1, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg_impl/2021/404/oj).

- (6) The United Kingdom has notified the Commission of nine new outbreaks of HPAI in poultry in the counties of Cambridgeshire, Cumbria, East Riding of Yorkshire, Kent, Lincolnshire, Norfolk, and Somerset, in England, which were confirmed between 19 November 2025 and 30 November 2025 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).
- (7) The United States has notified the Commission of 35 new outbreaks of HPAI in poultry in the states of Indiana, Michigan, North Carolina, and South Dakota, which were confirmed between 12 November 2025 and 26 November 2025 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).
- (8) Following those recent outbreaks of HPAI, the veterinary authorities of Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States established restricted zones of at least 10 km around the affected establishments and implemented a stamping-out policy to control the presence of HPAI and limit the spread of that disease.
- (9) Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States have submitted information to the Commission on the epidemiological situation on their respective territories and the measures they have taken to prevent the further spread of HPAI following those recent HPAI outbreaks.
- (10) That information has been evaluated by the Commission. In view of the animal health situation in the areas under restrictions established by the veterinary authorities of Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States, the entry into the Union of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds from the areas concerned by the new outbreaks in those third countries should be suspended in order to protect the animal health status of the Union, taking into account the dates when the outbreaks were confirmed. Therefore, the entries for those third countries in the tables set out in Section B of Part 1 and in Part 2 of Annex V, and the table set out in Section B of Part 1 of Annex XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 should be amended accordingly.
- (11) In addition, Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States have provided updated information to the Commission in relation to the epidemiological situation on their respective territories as regards earlier outbreaks of HPAI that gave rise to the suspension of the entry into the Union of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds, as set out in the table in Section B of Part 1 of Annex V, and in the table in Section B of Part 1 of Annex XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404.
- (12) On 18 November 2025, 19 November 2025, 23 November 2025, and 26 November 2025, Canada submitted updated information on the animal health situation and the measures it has taken in relation to seven outbreaks of HPAI in poultry in the provinces of Alberta, Ontario, Quebec, and Saskatchewan, which were confirmed between 15 September 2025 and 16 October 2025 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).
- (13) On 2 December 2025, the United Kingdom submitted updated information on the animal health situation and the measures it has taken in relation to three outbreaks of HPAI in poultry in the county Cumbria, in England and the county of Denbighshire, in Wales, which were confirmed on 18 October 2025 and 25 October 2025 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).
- (14) On 26 November 2025, the United States submitted updated information on the animal health situation and the measures it has taken in relation to nine outbreaks of HPAI in poultry in the states of Minnesota, Montana, North Dakota, and South Dakota, which were confirmed between 4 September 2025 and 25 September 2025 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).
- (15) Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States informed the Commission that, following those earlier outbreaks of HPAI, they have implemented a stamping out policy in order to control and limit the spread of that disease, and they have also completed the requisite cleaning and disinfection following the implementation of the stamping out policy in the infected poultry establishments.

- (16) The Commission has evaluated the information submitted by Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States and considers that they have provided appropriate guarantees that the animal health situation that had given rise to the suspension of the entry of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds into the Union from the affected zones in those third countries, as set out in the table in Section B of Part 1 of Annex V, and in the table in Section B of Part 1 of Annex XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404, no longer represents a threat to animal or public health in the Union, and that, consequently, the entry into the Union of those consignments from those affected zones of Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States, from which entry into the Union had been suspended, should be re-authorised. Therefore, the entries for Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States in those tables in those Annexes should be amended accordingly.
- (17) Taking into account the new HPAI outbreaks in Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States, and in order to avoid any unnecessary disruption in trade with those third countries, the amendments to be made to Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 by this Regulation should take effect as a matter of urgency.
- (18) The measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Committee on Plants, Animals, Food and Feed,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 are amended in accordance with the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day following that of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Union*.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 8 December 2025.

For the Commission
The President
Ursula VON DER LEYEN

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ANNEX

Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 are amended as follows:

(1) Annex V is amended as follows:

(a) in Part 1, Section B is amended as follows:

(i) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.271 is replaced by the following:

'CA Canada	CA-2.271	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		15.9.2025	3.12.2025';
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(ii) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.273 is replaced by the following:

'CA Canada	CA-2.273	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		1.10.2025	30.11.2025';
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(iii) in the entry for Canada, the rows for the zones CA-2.275 and CA-2.276 are replaced by the following:

'CA Canada	CA-2.275	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		7.10.2025	23.11.2025
	CA-2.276		N, P1		8.10.2025	26.11.2025';

(iv) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.279 is replaced by the following:

'CA Canada	CA-2.279	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		12.10.2025	29.11.2025';
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(v) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.284 is replaced by the following:

'CA Canada	CA-2.284	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		15.10.2025	1.12.2025';
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(vi) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.287 is replaced by the following:

'CA Canada	CA-2.287	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		16.10.2025	1.12.2025';
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- (vii) in the entry for Canada, the following rows for the zones CA-2.309 to CA-2.317 are added after the row for the zone CA-2.308:

'CA Canada	CA-2.309	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		14.11.2025	
	CA-2.310		N, P1		16.11.2025	
	CA-2.311		N, P1		18.11.2025	
	CA-2.312		N, P1		14.11.2025	
	CA-2.313		N, P1		19.11.2025	
	CA-2.314		N, P1		21.11.2025	
	CA-2.315		N, P1		26.11.2025	
	CA-2.316		N, P1		26.11.2025	
	CA-2.317		N, P1		29.11.2025';	

- (viii) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the rows for the zones GB-2.395 and GB-2.396 are replaced by the following:

'GB United Kingdom	GB-2.395	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		18.10.2025	2.12.2025
	GB-2.396		N, P1		25.10.2025	1.12.2025';

- (ix) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the row for the zone GB-2.398 is replaced by the following:

'GB United Kingdom	GB-2.398	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		25.10.2025	2.12.2025';
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- (x) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the rows for the zones GB-2.428 to GB-2.436 are added after the row for the zone GB-2.427:

'GB United Kingdom	GB-2.428	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		19.11.2025	
	GB-2.429		N, P1		23.11.2025	
	GB-2.430		N, P1		23.11.2025	
	GB-2.431		N, P1		24.11.2025	
	GB-2.432		N, P1		25.11.2025	
	GB-2.433		N, P1		25.11.2025	
	GB-2.434		N, P1		27.11.2025	
	GB-2.435		N, P1		29.11.2025	
	GB-2.436		N, P1		30.11.2025';	

(xi) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1044 is replaced by the following:

'US United States	US-2.1044	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		4.9.2025	17.11.2025';
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(xii) in the entry for the United States, the rows for the zones US-2.1049 and US-2.1050 are replaced by the following:

'US United States	US-2.1049	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		10.9.2025	15.11.2025
	US-2.1050		N, P1		11.9.2025	7.11.2025';

(xiii) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1053 is replaced by the following:

'US United States	US-2.1053	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		16.9.2025	30.10.2025';
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(xiv) in the entry for the United States, the rows for the zones US-2.1056 to US-2.1060 are replaced by the following:

'US United States	US-2.1056	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		22.9.2025	28.11.2025
	US-2.1057		N, P1		23.9.2025	28.11.2025
	US-2.1058		N, P1		24.9.2025	3.11.2025
	US-2.1059		N, P1		26.9.2025	10.11.2025
	US-2.1060		N, P1		25.9.2025	28.11.2025';

(xv) in the entry for the United States, the following rows for the zones US-2.1136 to US-2.1170 are added after the row for the zone US-2.1135:

'US United States	US-2.1136	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		12.11.2025	
	US-2.1137		N, P1		12.11.2025	
	US-2.1138		N, P1		12.11.2025	
	US-2.1139		N, P1		13.11.2025	
	US-2.1140		N, P1		13.11.2025	
	US-2.1141		N, P1		13.11.2025	
	US-2.1142		N, P1		17.11.2025	
	US-2.1143		N, P1		17.11.2025	
	US-2.1144		N, P1		17.11.2025	
	US-2.1145		N, P1		17.11.2025	
	US-2.1146		N, P1		17.11.2025	

US-2.1147	N, P1	17.11.2025
US-2.1148	N, P1	18.11.2025
US-2.1149	N, P1	18.11.2025
US-2.1150	N, P1	18.11.2025
US-2.1151	N, P1	18.11.2025
US-2.1152	N, P1	18.11.2025
US-2.1153	N, P1	19.11.2025
US-2.1154	N, P1	24.11.2025
US-2.1155	N, P1	21.11.2025
US-2.1156	N, P1	26.11.2025
US-2.1157	N, P1	26.11.2025
US-2.1158	N, P1	21.11.2025
US-2.1159	N, P1	21.11.2025
US-2.1160	N, P1	21.11.2025
US-2.1161	N, P1	21.11.2025
US-2.1162	N, P1	21.11.2025
US-2.1163	N, P1	21.11.2025
US-2.1164	N, P1	21.11.2025
US-2.1165	N, P1	21.11.2025
US-2.1166	N, P1	21.11.2025
US-2.1167	N, P1	21.11.2025
US-2.1168	N, P1	21.11.2025
US-2.1169	N, P1	24.11.2025
US-2.1170	N, P1	24.11.2025

(b) Part 2 is amended as follows:

- (i) in the entry for Canada, the following descriptions of the zones CA-2.309 to CA-2.317 are added after the row for the zone CA-2.308:

‘Canada	CA-2.309	Ontario – Latitude 42.97, Longitude -81.62 The municipalities involved are: 3km PZ: Strathroy and Strathroy-Caradoc 10km SZ: Adelaide-Metcalf, Appin, Ilderton, Kerwood, Melbourne, Middlesex Centre, Mount Bridges, Southwest Middlesex, Strathroy, and Strathroy-Caradoc
	CA-2.310	Alberta – Latitude 49.83, Longitude -112.61 The municipalities involved are: 3km PZ: Coaldale, Cranford, and Lethbridge 10km SZ: Chin, Coaldale, Cranford, Lethbridge, and Taber
	CA-2.311	Quebec – Latitude 48.11, Longitude -77.83 The municipalities involved are: 3km PZ: Val d’Or 10km SZ: Val d’Or

	CA-2.312	Saskatchewan – Latitude 52.53, Longitude -106.05 The municipalities involved are: 3km PZ: Alvena and Fish Creek 10km SZ: Aberdeen, Alvena, Carpenter, Fish Creek, and Grant
	CA-2.313	Alberta – Latitude 53.62, Longitude -112.96 The municipalities involved are: 3km PZ: Ardrossan and Strathcona 10km SZ: Ardrossan, Fort Saskatchewan, Josephburg, and Strathcona
	CA-2.314	Alberta – Latitude 49.78, Longitude -112.15 The municipalities involved are: 3km PZ: Taber 10km SZ: Taber
	CA-2.315	Ontario – Latitude 42.91, Longitude -81.61 The municipalities involved are: 3km PZ: Mount Brydges, Strathroy, and Strathroy-Caradoc 10km SZ: Adelaide-Metcalf, Komoka, Melbourne, Middlesex Centre, Mount Brydges, Muncey, Southwest Middlesex, Strathroy, and Strathroy-Caradoc
	CA-2.316	British Columbia – Latitude 52.06, Longitude -122.15 The municipalities involved are: 3km PZ: Cariboo and Williams Lake 10km SZ: Cariboo and Williams Lake
	CA-2.317	Ontario – Latitude 42.95, Longitude -81.64 The municipalities involved are: 3km PZ: Mount Brydges, Strathroy, and Strathroy-Caradoc 10km SZ: Adelaide-Metcalf, Delaware, Ilderton, Komoka, Melbourne, Middlesex Centre, Mount Brydges, Muncey, Southwest Middlesex, Strathroy, and Strathroy-Caradoc;

- (ii) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the following description of the zones GB-2.428 to GB-2.436 are added after the description of the zone GB-2.427:

United Kingdom	GB-2.428	near Driffield, Bridlington and The Wolds, East Riding of Yorkshire, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates N54.03 and Long: W0.33
	GB-2.429	near Swaffham, Breckland, Norfolk, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N52.63 and Long: E0.73
	GB-2.430	near Gainsborough, West Lindsey, Lincolnshire, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N53.45 and Long: W0.73

	GB-2.431	near Dalton-in-Furness, Westmorland and Furness, Cumbria, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N54.18 and Long: W3.17
	GB-2.432	near Mundford, Breckland, Norfolk, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N52.53 and Long: E0.66
	GB-2.433	near Lydd, Folkstone and Hythe, Kent, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N50.93 and Long: E0.92
	GB-2.434	near Ely, East Cambridgeshire, Cambridgeshire, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N52.38 and Long: E0.22
	GB-2.435	near Ashcott, Wells and Mendip Hills, Somerset, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N51.13, Long: W2.79
	GB-2.436	near Mundford, Breckland, Norfolk, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N52.54, Long: E0.66;

- (iii) in the entry for the United States, the following descriptions of the zones US-2.1136 to US-2.1170 are added after the description of the zone US-2.1035:

United States	US-2.1136	State of Michigan Ottawa 13 Ottawa County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 86.0015719°W 43.0321655°N)
	US-2.1137	State of Michigan Ottawa 14 Ottawa County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 86.0578045°W 42.9456629°N)
	US-2.1138	State of Michigan Ottawa 15 Ottawa County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 86.0661846°W 42.9514637°N)
	US-2.1139	State of Indiana Elkhart 12 Elkhart County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.6439552°W 41.6502778°N)
	US-2.1140	State of Indiana LaGrange 27 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.4914943°W 41.6548106°N)
	US-2.1141	State of Indiana LaGrange 28 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.4820340°W 41.6932589°N)

US-2.1142	State of Indiana LaGrange 29 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.4758152°W 41.7457674°N)
US-2.1143	State of Indiana LaGrange 30 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.4514623°W 41.6521761°N)
US-2.1144	State of Indiana LaGrange 31 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.5881239°W 41.6901510°N)
US-2.1145	State of Indiana LaGrange 32 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.5815713°W 41.6604507°N)
US-2.1146	State of Indiana LaGrange 33 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.5207263°W 41.6858334°N)
US-2.1147	State of Indiana Elkhart 13 Elkhart County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.6818118°W 41.6657518°N)
US-2.1148	State of Indiana Elkhart 14 Elkhart County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.6509306°W 41.7191075°N)
US-2.1149	State of Indiana LaGrange 34 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.5598054°W 41.6471385°N)
US-2.1150	State of Indiana LaGrange 35 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.5070964°W 41.7453010°N)
US-2.1151	State of Indiana LaGrange 36 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.5932597°W 41.6452122°N)
US-2.1152	State of North Carolina Wayne 07 Wayne County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 77.9513487°W 35.3369570°N)
US-2.1153	State of South Dakota Edmunds 14 Edmunds County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 99.0011969°W 45.4651880°N)

US-2.1154	State of South Dakota Edmunds 15 Edmunds County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 99.1308661°W 45.4350642°N)
US-2.1155	State of North Carolina Wayne 08 Wayne County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 77.9084021°W 35.2877794°N)
US-2.1156	State of North Carolina Wayne 09 Wayne County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 77.9256596°W 35.3324121°N)
US-2.1157	State of North Carolina Wayne 10 Wayne County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 77.9259407°W 35.3295922°N)
US-2.1158	State of Indiana LaGrange 37 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.5078348°W 41.7577709°N)
US-2.1159	State of Indiana LaGrange 38 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.5074963°W 41.7480110°N)
US-2.1160	State of Indiana LaGrange 39 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.4296291°W 41.6745033°N)
US-2.1161	State of Indiana LaGrange 40 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.4832362°W 41.7396084°N)
US-2.1162	State of Indiana Elkhart 15 Elkhart County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.6780987°W 41.6569015°N)
US-2.1163	State of Indiana LaGrange 41 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.3454232°W 41.7006132°N)
US-2.1164	State of Indiana LaGrange 42 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.5057809°W 41.7636505°N)
US-2.1165	State of Indiana LaGrange 43 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.4310729°W 41.6652836°N)

	US-2.1166	State of Indiana LaGrange 44 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.4881298°W 41.6551402°N)
	US-2.1167	State of Indiana LaGrange 45 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.4808199°W 41.7059786°N)
	US-2.1168	State of Indiana LaGrange 46 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.3425794°W 41.7010129°N)
	US-2.1169	State of Indiana LaGrange 47 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.5832066°W 41.6945903°N)
	US-2.1170	State of Indiana LaGrange 48 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.4870081°W 41.6562701°N);

(2) in Annex XIV, in Part 1, Section B is amended as follows:

(a) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.271 is replaced by the following:

'CA Canada	CA-2.271	POU, RAT	N, P1		15.9.2025	3.12.2025
		GBM	P1		15.9.2025	3.12.2025';

(b) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.273 is replaced by the following:

'CA Canada	CA-2.273	POU, RAT	N, P1		1.10.2025	30.11.2025
		GBM	P1		1.10.2025	30.11.2025';

(c) in the entry for Canada, the rows for the zones CA-2.275 and CA-2.276 are replaced by the following:

'CA Canada	CA-2.275	POU, RAT	N, P1		7.10.2025	23.11.2025
		GBM	P1		7.10.2025	23.11.2025
	CA-2.276	POU, RAT	N, P1		8.10.2025	26.11.2025
		GBM	P1		8.10.2025	26.11.2025';

(d) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.279 is replaced by the following:

'CA Canada	CA-2.279	POU, RAT	N, P1		12.10.2025	29.11.2025
		GBM	P1		12.10.2025	29.11.2025';

(e) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.284 is replaced by the following:

'CA Canada	CA-2.284	POU, RAT	N, P1		15.10.2025	1.12.2025
		GBM	P1		15.10.2025	1.12.2025';

(f) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.287 is replaced by the following:

'CA Canada	CA-2.287	POU, RAT	N, P1		16.10.2025	1.12.2025
		GBM	P1		16.10.2025	1.12.2025';

(g) in the entry for Canada, the following rows for the zones CA-2.309 to CA-2.317 are added after the row for the zone CA-2.308:

'CA Canada	CA-2.309	POU, RAT	N, P1		14.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		14.11.2025	
	CA-2.310	POU, RAT	N, P1		16.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		16.11.2025	
	CA-2.311	POU, RAT	N, P1		18.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		18.11.2025	
	CA-2.312	POU, RAT	N, P1		14.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		14.11.2025	
	CA-2.313	POU, RAT	N, P1		19.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		19.11.2025	
	CA-2.314	POU, RAT	N, P1		21.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		21.11.2025	
	CA-2.315	POU, RAT	N, P1		26.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		26.11.2025	
	CA-2.316	POU, RAT	N, P1		26.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		26.11.2025	
	CA-2.317	POU, RAT	N, P1		29.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		29.11.2025';	

- (h) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the rows for the zones GB-2.395 and GB-2.396 are replaced by the following:

'GB United Kingdom	GB-2.395	POU, RAT	N, P1		18.10.2025	2.12.2025
		GBM	P1		18.10.2025	2.12.2025
	GB-2.396	POU, RAT	N, P1		25.10.2025	1.12.2025
		GBM	P1		25.10.2025	1.12.2025';

- (i) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the row for the zone GB-2.398 is replaced by the following:

'GB United Kingdom	GB-2.398	POU, RAT	N, P1		25.10.2025	2.12.2025
		GBM	P1		25.10.2025	2.12.2025';

- (j) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the following rows for the zones GB-2.428 to GB-2.436 are added after the row for the zone GB-2.427:

'GB United Kingdom	GB-2.428	POU, RAT	N, P1		19.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		19.11.2025	
	GB-2.429	POU, RAT	N, P1		23.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		23.11.2025	
	GB-2.430	POU, RAT	N, P1		23.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		23.11.2025	
	GB-2.431	POU, RAT	N, P1		24.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		24.11.2025	
	GB-2.432	POU, RAT	N, P1		25.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		25.11.2025	
	GB-2.433	POU, RAT	N, P1		25.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		25.11.2025	
	GB-2.434	POU, RAT	N, P1		27.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		27.11.2025	
	GB-2.435	POU, RAT	N, P1		29.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		29.11.2025	
	GB-2.436	POU, RAT	N, P1		30.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		30.11.2025';	

- (k) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1044 is replaced by the following:

'US United States	US-2.1044	POU, RAT	N, P1		4.9.2025	17.11.2025
		GBM	P1		4.9.2025	17.11.2025';

- (l) in the entry for the United States, the rows for the zones US-2.1049 and US-2.1050 are replaced by the following:

US United States	US-2.1049	POU, RAT	N, P1		10.9.2025	15.11.2025
		GBM	P1		10.9.2025	15.11.2025
	US-2.1050	POU, RAT	N, P1		11.9.2025	7.11.2025
		GBM	P1		11.9.2025	7.11.2025';

- (m) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1053 is replaced by the following:

US United States	US-2.1053	POU, RAT	N, P1		16.9.2025	30.10.2025
		GBM	P1		16.9.2025	30.10.2025';

- (n) in the entry for the United States, the rows for the zones 2.1056 to US-2.1060 are replaced by the following:

US United States	US-2.1056	POU, RAT	N, P1		22.9.2025	28.11.2025
		GBM	P1		22.9.2025	28.11.2025
	US-2.1057	POU, RAT	N, P1		23.9.2025	28.11.2025
		GBM	P1		23.9.2025	28.11.2025
	US-2.1058	POU, RAT	N, P1		24.9.2025	3.11.2025
		GBM	P1		24.9.2025	3.11.2025
	US-2.1059	POU, RAT	N, P1		26.9.2025	10.11.2025
		GBM	P1		26.9.2025	10.11.2025
	US-2.1060	POU, RAT	N, P1		25.9.2025	28.11.2025
		GBM	P1		25.9.2025	28.11.2025';

- (o) in the entry for the United States, the following rows for the zones US-2.1136 to US-2.1170 are added after the row for the zone US-2.1135:

US United States	US-2.1136	POU, RAT	N, P1		12.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		12.11.2025	
	US-2.1137	POU, RAT	N, P1		12.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		12.11.2025	
	US-2.1138	POU, RAT	N, P1		12.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		12.11.2025	
	US-2.1139	POU, RAT	N, P1		13.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		13.11.2025	
	US-2.1140	POU, RAT	N, P1		13.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		13.11.2025	

US-2.1141	POU, RAT	N, P1		13.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		13.11.2025	
US-2.1142	POU, RAT	N, P1		17.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		17.11.2025	
US-2.11343	POU, RAT	N, P1		17.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		17.11.2025	
US-2.1144	POU, RAT	N, P1		17.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		17.11.2025	
US-2.1145	POU, RAT	N, P1		17.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		17.11.2025	
US-2.1146	POU, RAT	N, P1		17.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		17.11.2025	
US-2.1147	POU, RAT	N, P1		17.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		17.11.2025	
US-2.1148	POU, RAT	N, P1		18.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		18.11.2025	
US-2.1149	POU, RAT	N, P1		18.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		18.11.2025	
US-2.1150	POU, RAT	N, P1		18.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		18.11.2025	
US-2.1151	POU, RAT	N, P1		18.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		18.11.2025	
US-2.1152	POU, RAT	N, P1		18.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		18.11.2025	
US-2.1153	POU, RAT	N, P1		19.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		19.11.2025	
US-2.1154	POU, RAT	N, P1		24.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		24.11.2025	
US-2.1155	POU, RAT	N, P1		21.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		21.11.2025	
US-2.1156	POU, RAT	N, P1		26.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		26.11.2025	
US-2.1157	POU, RAT	N, P1		26.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		26.11.2025	

US-2.1158	POU, RAT	N, P1		21.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		21.11.2025	
US-2.1159	POU, RAT	N, P1		21.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		21.11.2025	
US-2.1160	POU, RAT	N, P1		21.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		21.11.2025	
US-2.1161	POU, RAT	N, P1		21.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		21.11.2025	
US-2.1162	POU, RAT	N, P1		21.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		21.11.2025	
US-2.1163	POU, RAT	N, P1		21.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		21.11.2025	
US-2.1164	POU, RAT	N, P1		21.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		21.11.2025	
US-2.1165	POU, RAT	N, P1		21.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		21.11.2025	
US-2.1166	POU, RAT	N, P1		21.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		21.11.2025	
US-2.1167	POU, RAT	N, P1		21.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		21.11.2025	
US-2.1168	POU, RAT	N, P1		21.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		21.11.2025	
US-2.1169	POU, RAT	N, P1		24.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		24.11.2025	
US-2.1170	POU, RAT	N, P1		24.11.2025	
	GBM	P1		24.11.2025	

Fylgiskjal 4.**COMMISSION IMPLEMENTING REGULATION (EU) 2025/2658****of 23 December 2025****amending Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 as regards the entries for Canada, the United Kingdom and the United States in the lists of third countries, territories, or zones thereof authorised for the entry into the Union of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds****(Text with EEA relevance)**

THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union,

Having regard to Regulation (EU) 2016/429 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 March 2016 on transmissible animal diseases and amending and repealing certain acts in the area of animal health ('Animal Health Law')⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 230(1), Article 232(1), point (b) and Article 232(3), point (b) thereof.

Whereas:

- (1) Regulation (EU) 2016/429 provides that consignments of animals, germinal products and products of animal origin from third countries or territories are only to be allowed to enter into the Union if the third countries or territories concerned are listed in accordance with Article 230(1) of that Regulation.
- (2) Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692⁽²⁾ lays down the animal health requirements that consignments of certain species and categories of animals, germinal products and products of animal origin, from third countries, territories, or zones thereof, or compartments thereof in the case of aquaculture animals, must comply with in order to enter the Union.
- (3) Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404⁽³⁾ lays down the lists of third countries, territories, or zones thereof, from which the entry into the Union of the species and categories of animals, germinal products and products of animal origin, falling within the scope of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692, is permitted. Those lists and certain general rules concerning those lists are set out in Annexes I to XXII to that Implementing Regulation.
- (4) More particularly, Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 set out the lists of third countries, territories, or zones thereof, authorised for the entry into the Union, respectively, of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds.
- (5) Canada has notified the Commission of five new outbreaks of highly pathogenic avian influenza (HPAI) in poultry in the provinces of Alberta, British Columbia, Ontario, and Quebec, which were confirmed between 24 November 2025 and 15 December 2025 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 84, 31.3.2016, p. 1, ELI: <http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg/2016/429/oj>.

⁽²⁾ Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692 of 30 January 2020 supplementing Regulation (EU) 2016/429 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards rules for entry into the Union, and the movement and handling after entry of consignments of certain animals, germinal products and products of animal origin (OJ L 174, 3.6.2020, p. 379, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg_del/2020/692/oj).

⁽³⁾ Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 of 24 March 2021 laying down the lists of third countries, territories or zones thereof from which the entry into the Union of animals, germinal products and products of animal origin is permitted in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2016/429 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 114, 31.3.2021, p. 1, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg_impl/2021/404/oj).

- (6) The United Kingdom has notified the Commission of four new outbreaks of HPAI in poultry in the counties of Kent, Gloucestershire, and Lincolnshire, in England, and in the county of Midlothian, in Scotland, which were confirmed between 13 December 2025 and 18 December 2025 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).
- (7) The United States has notified the Commission of eight new outbreaks of HPAI in poultry in the states of Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Minnesota, North Dakota, Texas, and Washington, which were confirmed on 9 December 2025 and 15 December 2025 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).
- (8) Following those recent outbreaks of HPAI, the veterinary authorities of Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States established restricted zones of at least 10 km around the affected establishments and implemented a stamping-out policy to control the presence of HPAI and limit the spread of that disease.
- (9) Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States have submitted information to the Commission on the epidemiological situation on their respective territories and the measures they have taken to prevent the further spread of HPAI following those recent HPAI outbreaks.
- (10) That information has been evaluated by the Commission. In view of the animal health situation in the areas under restrictions established by the veterinary authorities of Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States, the entry into the Union of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds from the areas concerned by the new outbreaks in those third countries should be suspended in order to protect the animal health status of the Union, taking into account the dates when the outbreaks were confirmed. Therefore, the entries for those third countries in the tables set out in Section B of Part 1 and in Part 2 of Annex V, and the table set out in Section B of Part 1 of Annex XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 should be amended accordingly.
- (11) In addition, Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States have provided updated information to the Commission in relation to the epidemiological situation on their respective territories as regards earlier outbreaks of HPAI that gave rise to the suspension of the entry into the Union of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds, as set out in the table in Section B of Part 1 of Annex V, and in the table in Section B of Part 1 of Annex XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404.
- (12) On 1 December 2025, 5 December 2025, 15 December 2025, and 17 December 2025, Canada submitted updated information on the animal health situation and the measures it has taken in relation to five outbreaks of HPAI in poultry in the provinces of Alberta, British Columbia, Manitoba, and Quebec, which were confirmed between 31 December 2024 and 6 November 2025 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).
- (13) On 18 December 2025, the United Kingdom submitted updated information on the animal health situation and the measures it has taken in relation to an outbreak of HPAI in poultry in the county of East Sussex, in England, which was confirmed on 31 October 2025 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).
- (14) On 17 December 2025, the United States submitted updated information on the animal health situation and the measures it has taken in relation to 16 outbreaks of HPAI in poultry in the states of Georgia, Iowa, Minnesota, Pennsylvania, South Dakota, Utah, Washington, and Wisconsin, which were confirmed between 16 September 2025 and 28 October 2025 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).
- (15) Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States have informed the Commission that, following those earlier outbreaks of HPAI, they have implemented a stamping out policy in order to control and limit the spread of that disease, and they have also completed the requisite cleaning and disinfection following the implementation of the stamping out policy in the infected poultry establishments.

- (16) The Commission has evaluated the information submitted by Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States and considers that they have provided appropriate guarantees that the animal health situation that had given rise to the suspension of the entry of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds into the Union from the affected zones, as set out in the table in Section B of Part 1 of Annex V, and in the table in Section B of Part 1 of Annex XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404, no longer represents a threat to animal or public health in the Union, and that, consequently, the entry into the Union of those consignments from the affected zones of Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States, from which entry into the Union had been suspended, should be re-authorised. Therefore, the entries for Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States in those tables in those Annexes should be amended accordingly.
- (17) Taking into account the new HPAI outbreaks in Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States, and in order to avoid any unnecessary disruption in trade with those third countries, the amendments to be made to Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 by this Regulation should take effect as a matter of urgency.
- (18) The measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Committee on Plants, Animals, Food and Feed,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 are amended in accordance with the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day following that of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Union*.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 23 December 2025.

For the Commission
The President
Ursula VON DER LEYEN

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ANNEX

Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 are amended as follows:

(1) Annex V is amended as follows:

(a) in Part 1, Section B is amended as follows:

(i) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.254 is replaced by the following:

'CA Canada	CA-2.254	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		31.12.2024	13.12.2025';
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(ii) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.285 is replaced by the following:

'CA Canada	CA-2.285	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		15.10.2025	17.12.2025';
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(iii) in the entry for Canada, the rows for the zones CA-2.304, CA-2.305 and CA-2.306 are replaced by the following:

'CA Canada	CA-2.304	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		4.11.2025	17.12.2025
	CA-2.305		N, P1		4.11.2025	19.12.2025
	CA-2.306		N, P1		6.11.2025	20.12.2025';

(iv) in the entry for Canada, the following rows for the zones CA-2.320 to CA-2.324 are added after the row for the zone CA-2.319:

'CA Canada	CA-2.320	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		24.11.2025	
	CA-2.321		N, P1		12.12.2025	
	CA-2.322		N, P1		15.12.2025	
	CA-2.323		N, P1		5.12.2025	
	CA-2.324		N, P1		11.12.2025';	

(v) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the row for the zone GB-2.404 is replaced by the following:

'GB United Kingdom	GB-2.404	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		31.10.2025	17.12.2025';
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- (vi) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the rows for the zones GB-2.442 to GB-2.445 are added after the row for the zone GB-2.441:

‘GB United Kingdom	GB-2.442	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		13.12.2025	
	GB-2.443		N, P1		14.12.2025	
	GB-2.444		N, P1		18.12.2025	
	GB-2.445		N, P1		18.12.2025’;	

- (vii) in the entry for the United States, the rows for the zones US-2.1054 and US-2.1055 are replaced by the following:

‘US United States	US-2.1054	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		16.9.2025	1.12.2025
	US-2.1055		N, P1		22.9.2025	1.12.2025’;

- (viii) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1062 is replaced by the following:

‘US United States	US-2.1062	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		25.9.2025	7.12.2025’;
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- (ix) in the entry for the United States, the rows for the zones US-2.1065 and US-2.1066 are replaced by the following:

‘US United States	US-2.1065	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		29.9.2025	7.12.2025
	US-2.1066		N, P1		1.10.2025	15.12.2025’;

- (x) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1068 is replaced by the following:

‘US United States	US-2.1068	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		2.10.2025	7.12.2025’;
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- (xi) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1078 is replaced by the following:

‘US United States	US-2.1078	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		9.10.2025	12.12.2025’;
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(xii) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1092 is replaced by the following:

'US United States	US-2.1092	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		20.10.2025	8.12.2025';
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(xiii) in the entry for the United States, the rows for the zones US-2.1096 to US-2.1101 are replaced by the following:

'US United States	US-2.1096	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		22.10.2025	8.12.2025
	US-2.1097		N, P1		23.10.2025	8.12.2025
	US-2.1098		N, P1		24.10.2025	8.12.2025
	US-2.1099		N, P1		24.10.2025	4.12.2025
	US-2.1100		N, P1		21.10.2025	14.12.2025
	US-2.1101		N, P1		28.10.2025	6.12.2025';

(xiv) in the entry for the United States, the following rows for the zones US-2.1196 to US-2.1203 are added after the row for the zone US-2.1195:

'US United States	US-2.1196	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		9.12.2025	
	US-2.1197		N, P1		9.12.2025	
	US-2.1198		N, P1		9.12.2025	
	US-2.1199		N, P1		12.12.2025	
	US-2.1200		N, P1		12.12.2025	
	US-2.1201		N, P1		15.12.2025	
	US-2.1202		N, P1		15.12.2025	
	US-2.1203		N, P1		15.12.2025';	

(b) Part 2 is amended as follows:

(i) in the entry for Canada, the following descriptions of the zones CA-2.320 to CA-2.324 are added after the row for the zone CA-2.319:

'Canada	CA-2.320	Alberta – Latitude 55.12, Longitude -118.89 The municipalities involved are: 3km PZ: Grand Prairie 10km SZ: Grand Prairie, Greenview, Grovedale, and Wembley
	CA-2.321	Quebec – Latitude 45.51, Longitude -72.64 The municipalities involved are: 3km PZ: Roxton Pond and Sainte-Cécile-de-Milton 10km SZ: Granby, Roxton, Roxton Pond, Saint-Joachim-de-Shefford, Saint-Pie, Saint-Valériende-Milton, Sainte-Cécile-de-Milton, and Shefford

	CA-2.322	Ontario – Latitude 43.76, Longitude -80.95 The municipalities involved are: 3km PZ: Atwood, Listowel, North Perth, and Perth 10km SZ: Atwood, Bluevale, Brussels, Ethel, Gowanstown, Gorrie, Howick, Huron East, Kurtzville, Listowel, North Perth, and Perth
	CA-2.323	Alberta – Latitude 50.7, Longitude -111.81 The municipalities involved are: 3km PZ: Duchess and Newell 10km SZ: Brooks, Duchess, and Newell
	CA-2.324	British Columbia – Latitude 49.7, Longitude -125.06 The municipalities involved are: 3km PZ: Comox, Courtenay, and Pentledge 10km SZ: Comox, Courtenay, Cumberland, and Pentledge;

- (ii) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the following descriptions of the zones GB-2.442 to GB-2.445 are added after the description of the zone GB-2.441:

United Kingdom	GB-2.442	near Newington, Swale, Kent, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N52.92 and Long: E0.86
	GB-2.443	near Welton, West Lindsey, Lincolnshire, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N53.33 and Long: W0.47
	GB-2.444	near Brockworth, Tewkesbury, Gloucestershire, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N51.85 and Long: W2.14
	GB-2.445	near Penicuik, Scottish Borders, Scotland, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N54.78 and Long: W3.14;

- (iii) in the entry for the United States, the following descriptions of the zones US-2.1196 to US-2.1203 are added after the description of the zone US-2.1195:

United States	US-2.1196	State of North Dakota Richland 03 Richland County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 96.9594063°W 46.1486108°N)
	US-2.1197	State of Indiana Elkhart 19 Elkhart County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.6417518°W 41.6026183°N)
	US-2.1198	State of Minnesota Waseca 05 Waseca County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 93.4246199°W 43.9740844°N)

US-2.1199	State of Kentucky Jessamine 01 Jessamine County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 84.4559206°W 37.9469146°N)
US-2.1200	State of Washington Lewis 02 Lewis County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 122.8525985°W 46.5725737°N)
US-2.1201	State of Indiana Noble 03 Noble County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.6110669°W 41.5761553°N)
US-2.1202	State of Texas Shelby 01 Shelby County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 94.2443028°W 31.8575980°N)
US-2.1203	State of Kansas Smith 01 Smith County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 98.8530634°W 39.7305429°N);

(2) in Annex XIV, in Part 1, Section B is amended as follows:

(a) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.254 is replaced by the following:

CA Canada	CA-2.254	POU, RAT	N, P1		21.12.2024	13.12.2025
		GBM	P1		21.12.2024	13.12.2025;

(b) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.285 is replaced by the following:

CA Canada	CA-2.285	POU, RAT	N, P1		15.10.2025	17.12.2025
		GBM	P1		15.10.2025	17.12.2025;

(c) in the entry for Canada, the rows for the zones CA-2.304, CA-2.305 and CA-2.306 are replaced by the following:

CA Canada	CA-2.304	POU, RAT	N, P1		4.11.2025	17.12.2025
		GBM	P1		4.11.2025	17.12.2025
	CA-2.305	POU, RAT	N, P1		4.11.2025	19.12.2025
		GBM	P1		4.11.2025	19.12.2025
	CA-2.306	POU, RAT	N, P1		6.11.2025	20.12.2025
		GBM	P1		6.11.2025	20.12.2025;

- (d) in the entry for Canada, the following rows for the zones CA-2.320 to CA-2.324 are added after the row for the zone CA-2.319:

‘CA Canada	CA-2.320	POU, RAT	N, P1		24.11.2025	
		GBM	P1		24.11.2025	
	CA-2.321	POU, RAT	N, P1		12.12.2025	
		GBM	P1		12.12.2025	
	CA-2.322	POU, RAT	N, P1		15.12.2025	
		GBM	P1		15.12.2025	
	CA-2.323	POU, RAT	N, P1		5.12.2025	
		GBM	P1		5.12.2025	
	CA-2.324	POU, RAT	N, P1		11.12.2025	
		GBM	P1		11.12.2025’;	

- (e) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the row for the zone GB-2.404 is replaced by the following:

‘GB United Kingdom	GB-2.404	POU, RAT	N, P1		31.10.2025	17.12.2025
		GBM	P1		31.10.2025	17.12.2025’;

- (f) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the following rows for the zones GB-2.442 to GB-2.445 are added after the row for the zone GB-2.441:

‘GB United Kingdom	GB-2.442	POU, RAT	N, P1		13.12.2025	
		GBM	P1		13.12.2025	
	GB-2.443	POU, RAT	N, P1		14.12.2025	
		GBM	P1		14.12.2025	
	GB-2.444	POU, RAT	N, P1		18.12.2025	
		GBM	P1		18.12.2025	
	GB-2.445	POU, RAT	N, P1		18.12.2025	
		GBM	P1		18.12.2025’;	

- (g) in the entry for the United States, the rows for the zones US-2.1054 and US-2.1055 are replaced by the following:

‘US United States	US-2.1054	POU, RAT	N, P1		16.9.2025	1.12.2025
		GBM	P1		16.9.2025	1.12.2025
	US-2.1055	POU, RAT	N, P1		22.9.2025	1.12.2025
		GBM	P1		22.9.2025	1.12.2025’;

(h) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1062 is replaced by the following:

US United States	US-2.1062	POU, RAT	N, P1		25.9.2025	7.12.2025
		GBM	P1		25.9.2025	7.12.2025';

(i) in the entry for the United States, the rows for the zones US-2.1065 and US-2.1066 are replaced by the following:

US United States	US-2.1065	POU, RAT	N, P1		29.9.2025	7.12.2025
		GBM	P1		29.9.2025	7.12.2025
	US-2.1066	POU, RAT	N, P1		1.10.2025	15.12.2025
		GBM	P1		1.10.2025	15.12.2025';

(j) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1068 is replaced by the following:

US United States	US-2.1068	POU, RAT	N, P1		2.10.2025	7.12.2025
		GBM	P1		2.10.2025	7.12.2025';

(k) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1078 is replaced by the following:

US United States	US-2.1078	POU, RAT	N, P1		9.10.2025	12.12.2025
		GBM	P1		9.10.2025	12.12.2025';

(l) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1092 is replaced by the following:

US United States	US-2.1092	POU, RAT	N, P1		9.10.2025	12.12.2025
		GBM	P1		9.10.2025	12.12.2025';

(m) in the entry for the United States, the rows for the zones US-2.1096 to US-2.1101 are replaced by the following:

US United States	US-2.1096	POU, RAT	N, P1		22.10.2025	8.12.2025
		GBM	P1		22.10.2025	8.12.2025
	US-2.1097	POU, RAT	N, P1		23.10.2025	8.12.2025
		GBM	P1		23.10.2025	8.12.2025
	US-2.1098	POU, RAT	N, P1		24.10.2025	8.12.2025
		GBM	P1		24.10.2025	8.12.2025

US-2.1099	POU, RAT	N, P1		24.10.2025	4.12.2025
	GBM	P1		24.10.2025	4.12.2025
US-2.1100	POU, RAT	N, P1		21.10.2025	14.12.2025
	GBM	P1		21.10.2025	14.12.2025
US-2.1101	POU, RAT	N, P1		28.10.2025	6.12.2025
	GBM	P1		28.10.2025	6.12.2025;

(n) in the entry for the United States, the following rows for the zones US-2.1196 to US-2.1203 are added after the row for the zone US-2.1195:

US United States	US-2.1196	POU, RAT	N, P1		9.12.2025	
		GBM	P1		9.12.2025	
	US-2.1197	POU, RAT	N, P1		9.12.2025	
		GBM	P1		9.12.2025	
	US-2.1198	POU, RAT	N, P1		9.12.2025	
		GBM	P1		9.12.2025	
	US-2.1199	POU, RAT	N, P1		12.12.2025	
		GBM	P1		12.12.2025	
	US-2.1200	POU, RAT	N, P1		12.12.2025	
		GBM	P1		12.12.2025	
	US-2.1201	POU, RAT	N, P1		15.12.2025	
		GBM	P1		15.12.2025	
	US-2.1202	POU, RAT	N, P1		15.12.2025	
		GBM	P1		15.12.2025	
	US-2.1203	POU, RAT	N, P1		15.12.2025	
		GBM	P1		15.12.2025.	

Fylgiskjal 5.**COMMISSION IMPLEMENTING REGULATION (EU) 2026/227****of 26 January 2026****amending Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 as regards the entries for Canada, the United Kingdom and the United States in the lists of third countries, territories, or zones thereof authorised for the entry into the Union of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds****(Text with EEA relevance)**

THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union,

Having regard to Regulation (EU) 2016/429 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 March 2016 on transmissible animal diseases and amending and repealing certain acts in the area of animal health ('Animal Health Law')⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 230(1), Article 232(1), point (b) and Article 232(3), point (b) thereof.

Whereas:

- (1) Regulation (EU) 2016/429 provides that consignments of animals, germinal products and products of animal origin from third countries or territories are only to be allowed to enter into the Union if the third countries or territories concerned are listed in accordance with Article 230(1) of that Regulation.
- (2) Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692⁽²⁾ lays down the animal health requirements that consignments of certain species and categories of animals, germinal products and products of animal origin, from third countries, territories, or zones thereof, or compartments thereof in the case of aquaculture animals, must comply with in order to enter the Union.
- (3) Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404⁽³⁾ lays down the lists of third countries, territories, or zones thereof, from which the entry into the Union of the species and categories of animals, germinal products and products of animal origin, falling within the scope of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692, is permitted. Those lists and certain general rules concerning those lists are set out in Annexes I to XXII to that Implementing Regulation.
- (4) More particularly, Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 set out the lists of third countries, territories, or zones thereof, authorised for the entry into the Union, respectively, of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds.
- (5) Canada has notified the Commission of two new outbreaks of highly pathogenic avian influenza (HPAI) in poultry in the province of Quebec, which were confirmed on 15 January 2026 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).
- (6) The United Kingdom has notified the Commission of four new outbreaks of HPAI in poultry in the counties of Suffolk and Yorkshire, in England, and in the council area of Scottish Borders, in Scotland, which were confirmed between 13 January 2026 and 19 January 2026 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 84, 31.3.2016, p. 1, ELI: <http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg/2016/429/oj>.

⁽²⁾ Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692 of 30 January 2020 supplementing Regulation (EU) 2016/429 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards rules for entry into the Union, and the movement and handling after entry of consignments of certain animals, germinal products and products of animal origin (OJ L 174, 3.6.2020, p. 379, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg_del/2020/692/oj).

⁽³⁾ Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 of 24 March 2021 laying down the lists of third countries, territories or zones thereof from which the entry into the Union of animals, germinal products and products of animal origin is permitted in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2016/429 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 114, 31.3.2021, p. 1, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg_impl/2021/404/oj).

- (7) The United States has notified the Commission of four new outbreaks of HPAI in poultry in the states of Colorado and Minnesota, which were confirmed between 14 January 2026 and 16 January 2026 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).
- (8) Following those recent outbreaks of HPAI, the veterinary authorities of Canada, the United Kingdom and the United States established restricted zones of at least 10 km around the affected establishments and implemented a stamping-out policy to control the presence of HPAI and limit the spread of that disease.
- (9) Canada, the United Kingdom and the United States have submitted information to the Commission on the epidemiological situation on their respective territories and the measures they have taken to prevent the further spread of HPAI following those recent HPAI outbreaks.
- (10) That information has been evaluated by the Commission. In view of the animal health situation in the areas under restrictions established by the veterinary authorities of Canada, the United Kingdom and the United States, the entry into the Union of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds from the areas concerned by the new outbreaks in those third countries should be suspended in order to protect the animal health status of the Union, taking into account the dates when the outbreaks were confirmed. Therefore, the entries for Canada, the United Kingdom and the United States in the tables set out in Section B of Part 1 and in Part 2 of Annex V, and the table set out in Section B of Part 1 of Annex XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 should be amended accordingly.
- (11) In addition, the United Kingdom has provided updated information to the Commission in relation to the epidemiological situation on its territory as regards earlier outbreaks of HPAI that gave rise to the suspension of the entry into the Union of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds, as set out in the table in Section B of Part 1 of Annex V, and in the table in Section B of Part 1 of Annex XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404.
- (12) On 15 January 2026, 20 January 2026, and 21 January 2026, the United Kingdom submitted updated information on the animal health situation and the measures it has taken in relation to three outbreaks of HPAI in poultry in the counties of Norfolk, North Yorkshire and Worcestershire, in England, which were confirmed on 7 November 2025 and 8 November 2025 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).
- (13) The United Kingdom has informed the Commission that, following those earlier outbreaks of HPAI, it has implemented a stamping out policy in order to control and limit the spread of that disease, and it has also completed the requisite cleaning and disinfection following the implementation of the stamping out policy in the infected poultry establishments.
- (14) The Commission has evaluated the information submitted by the United Kingdom, and considers that it has provided appropriate guarantees that the animal health situation that had given rise to the suspension of the entry of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds into the Union from the affected zones, as set out in the table in Section B of Part 1 of Annex V, and in the table in Section B of Part 1 of Annex XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404, no longer represents a threat to animal or public health in the Union, and that, consequently, the entry into the Union of those consignments from the affected zones of the United Kingdom, from which entry into the Union had been suspended, should be re-authorised. Therefore, the entries for the United Kingdom in those tables in those Annexes should be amended accordingly.
- (15) Taking into account the new HPAI outbreaks in Canada, the United Kingdom and the United States, and in order to avoid any unnecessary disruption in trade with the United Kingdom, the amendments to be made to Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 by this Regulation should take effect as a matter of urgency.
- (16) The measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Committee on Plants, Animals, Food and Feed,

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HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 are amended in accordance with the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day following that of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Union*.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 26 January 2026.

For the Commission
The President
Ursula VON DER LEYEN

ANNEX

Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021.404 are amended as follows:

(1) Annex V is amended as follows:

(a) in Part 1, Section B is amended as follows:

(i) in the entry for Canada, the following rows for the zones CA-2.326 and CA-2.327 are added after the row for the zone CA-2.325:

‘CA Canada	CA-2.326	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		15.1.2026	
	CA-2.327		N, P1		15.1.2026’	

(ii) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the row for the zone GB-2.416 is replaced by the following:

‘GB United Kingdom	GB-2.416	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		7.11.2025	20.1.2026’
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(iii) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the rows for the zones GB-2.418 and GB-2.419 are replaced by the following:

‘GB United Kingdom	GB-2.418	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		7.11.2025	21.1.2026
	GB-2.419		N, P1		8.11.2025	15.1.2026’

(iv) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the rows for the zones GB-2.460 to GB-2.463 are added after the row for the zone GB-2.459:

‘GB United Kingdom	GB-2.460	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		13.1.2026	
	GB-2.461		N, P1		13.1.2026	
	GB-2.462		N, P1		15.1.2026	
	GB-2.463		N, P1		19.1.2026’	

(v) in the entry for the United States, the following rows for the zones US-2.1237 to US-2.1240 are added after the row for the zone US-2.1236:

‘US United States	US-2.1237	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		14.1.2026	
	US-2.1238		N, P1		15.1.2026	
	US-2.1239		N, P1		15.1.2026	
	US-2.1240		N, P1		16.1.2026’	

(b) Part 2 is amended as follows:

(i) in the entry for Canada, the following descriptions of the zones CA-2.326 and CA-2.327 are added after the row for the zone CA-2.325:

'Canada	CA-2.326	Quebec – Latitude 46.03, Longitude -72.08 The municipalities involved are: 3km PZ: Arthabaska, Saint-Albert, Sainte-Clotilde-de-Horton, Saint-Samuel, Saint-Valère 10km SZ: Arthabaska, Saint-Albert, Saint-Christophe-d'Arthabaska, Sainte-Clotilde-de-Horton, Sainte-Élizabeth-de-Warwick, Sainte-Eulalie, Sainte-Séraphine, Saint-Rosaire, Saint-Samuel, Saint-Valère, Victoriaville, and Warwick
	CA-2.327	Quebec – Latitude 45.25, Longitude -73.47 The municipalities involved are: 3km PZ: Les-Jardins-de-Napierville, Napierville, Saint-Cyprien-de-Napierville, and Saint-Jacques-le-Mineur 10km SZ: Les-Jardins-de-Napierville, Napierville, Saint-Blaise-sur-Richelieu, Saint-Cyprien-de-Napierville, Saint-Édouard, Saint-Valentin, Saint-Jacques-le-Mineur, Saint-Jeansur-Richelieu, Saint-Mathieu, Saint-Michel, Saint-Philippe, Saint-Patrice-de-Sherrington, and Saint-Valentin'

(ii) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the following descriptions of the zones GB-2.460 to GB-2.463 are added after the description of the zone GB-2.459:

'United Kingdom	GB-2.460	near York, Yorkshire, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N53.92 and Long: W1.06
	GB-2.461	near Penicuik, Scottish Borders, Scotland, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N55.76 and Long: W3.21
	GB-2.462	near York, Yorkshire, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N53.93 and Long: W0.94
	GB-2.463	near Bacton, Mid Suffolk, Suffolk, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N52.27 and Long: E0.98'

(iii) in the entry for the United States, the following descriptions of the zones US-2.1237 to US-2.1240 are added after the description of the zone US-2.1236:

'United States	US-2.1237	State of Colorado Logan 01 Logan County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 103.3725733°W 40.5760000°N)
	US-2.1238	State of Minnesota Stearns 28 Stearns County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 94.7810157°W 45.8168730°N)

	US-2.1239	State of Minnesota Meeker 22 Meeker County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 94.7355080°W 45.2254718°N)
	US-2.1240	State of Minnesota Meeker 23 Meeker County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 94.6698436°W 45.3284092°N)

(2) in Annex XIV, in Part 1, Section B is amended as follows:

(a) in the entry for Canada, the following rows for the zones CA-2.326 and CA-2.327 are added after the row for the zone CA-2.325:

'CA Canada	CA-2.326	POU, RAT	N, P1		15.1.2026	
		GBM	P1		15.1.2026	
	CA-2.327	POU, RAT	N, P1		15.1.2026	
		GBM	P1		15.1.2026'	

(b) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the row for the zone GB-2.416 is replaced by the following:

'GB United Kingdom	GB-2.416	POU, RAT	N, P1		7.11.2025	20.1.2026
		GBM	P1		7.11.2025	20.1.2026'

(c) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the rows for the zones GB-2.418 and GB-2.419 are replaced by the following:

'GB United Kingdom	GB-2.418	POU, RAT	N, P1		7.11.2025	21.1.2026
		GBM	P1		7.11.2025	21.1.2026
	GB-2.419	POU, RAT	N, P1		8.11.2025	15.1.2026
		GBM	P1		8.11.2025	15.1.2026'

(d) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the following rows for the zones GB-2.460 to GB-2.463 are added after the row for the zone GB-2.459:

'GB United Kingdom	GB-2.460	POU, RAT	N, P1		13.1.2026	
		GBM	P1		13.1.2026	
	GB-2.461	POU, RAT	N, P1		13.1.2026	
		GBM	P1		13.1.2026	
	GB-2.462	POU, RAT	N, P1		15.1.2026	
		GBM	P1		15.1.2026	
	GB-2.463	POU, RAT	N, P1		19.1.2026	
		GBM	P1		19.1.2026'	

- (e) in the entry for the United States, the following rows for the zones US-2.1237 to US-2.1240 are added after the row for the zone US-2.1236:

‘US United States	US-2.1237	POU, RAT	N, P1		14.1.2026	
		GBM	P1		14.1.2026	
	US-2.1238	POU, RAT	N, P1		15.1.2026	
		GBM	P1		15.1.2026	
	US-2.1239	POU, RAT	N, P1		15.1.2026	
		GBM	P1		15.1.2026	
	US-2.1240	POU, RAT	N, P1		16.1.2026	
		GBM	P1		16.1.2026’	

Fylgiskjal 6.**COMMISSION IMPLEMENTING REGULATION (EU) 2026/173****of 20 January 2026****amending Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 as regards the entries for Canada, the United Kingdom and the United States in the lists of third countries, territories, or zones thereof authorised for the entry into the Union of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds****(Text with EEA relevance)**

THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union,

Having regard to Regulation (EU) 2016/429 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 March 2016 on transmissible animal diseases and amending and repealing certain acts in the area of animal health ('Animal Health Law')⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 230(1), Article 232(1), point (b) and Article 232(3), point (b) thereof.

Whereas:

- (1) Regulation (EU) 2016/429 provides that consignments of animals, germinal products and products of animal origin from third countries or territories are only to be allowed to enter into the Union if the third countries or territories concerned are listed in accordance with Article 230(1) of that Regulation.
- (2) Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692⁽²⁾ lays down the animal health requirements that consignments of certain species and categories of animals, germinal products and products of animal origin, from third countries, territories, or zones thereof, or compartments thereof in the case of aquaculture animals, must comply with in order to enter the Union.
- (3) Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404⁽³⁾ lays down the lists of third countries, territories, or zones thereof, from which the entry into the Union of the species and categories of animals, germinal products and products of animal origin, falling within the scope of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692, is permitted. Those lists and certain general rules concerning those lists are set out in Annexes I to XXII to that Implementing Regulation.
- (4) More particularly, Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 set out the lists of third countries, territories, or zones thereof, authorised for the entry into the Union, respectively, of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds.
- (5) The United Kingdom has notified the Commission of four new outbreaks of highly pathogenic avian influenza (HPAI) in poultry in the county of Nottinghamshire, in England, and in the council areas of Perth and Kinross and Scottish Borders, in Scotland, which were confirmed between 31 December 2025 and 11 January 2026 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 84, 31.3.2016, p. 1, ELI: <http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg/2016/429/oj>.

⁽²⁾ Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692 of 30 January 2020 supplementing Regulation (EU) 2016/429 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards rules for entry into the Union, and the movement and handling after entry of consignments of certain animals, germinal products and products of animal origin (OJ L 174, 3.6.2020, p. 379, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg_del/2020/692/oj).

⁽³⁾ Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 of 24 March 2021 laying down the lists of third countries, territories or zones thereof from which the entry into the Union of animals, germinal products and products of animal origin is permitted in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2016/429 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 114, 31.3.2021, p. 1, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg_impl/2021/404/oj).

- (6) The United States has notified the Commission of 19 new outbreaks of HPAI in poultry in the states of Arkansas, California, Delaware, Georgia, Indiana, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, New York, North Carolina, and Pennsylvania, which were confirmed between 29 December 2025 and 13 January 2026 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).
- (7) Following those recent outbreaks of HPAI, the veterinary authorities of the United Kingdom and the United States established restricted zones of at least 10 km around the affected establishments and implemented a stamping-out policy to control the presence of HPAI and limit the spread of that disease.
- (8) The United Kingdom and the United States have submitted information to the Commission on the epidemiological situation on their respective territories and the measures they have taken to prevent the further spread of HPAI following those recent HPAI outbreaks.
- (9) That information has been evaluated by the Commission. In view of the animal health situation in the areas under restrictions established by the veterinary authorities of the United Kingdom and the United States, the entry into the Union of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds from the areas concerned by the new outbreaks in those third countries should be suspended in order to protect the animal health status of the Union, taking into account the dates when the outbreaks were confirmed. Therefore, the entries for those third countries in the tables set out in Section B of Part 1 and in Part 2 of Annex V, and the table set out in Section B of Part 1 of Annex XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 should be amended accordingly.
- (10) In addition, Canada and the United Kingdom have provided updated information to the Commission in relation to the epidemiological situation on their respective territories as regards earlier outbreaks of HPAI that gave rise to the suspension of the entry into the Union of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds, as set out in the table in Section B of Part 1 of Annex V, and in the table in Section B of Part 1 of Annex XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404.
- (11) On 15 December 2025, 6 January 2026, and 12 January 2026, Canada submitted updated information on the animal health situation and the measures it has taken in relation to five outbreaks of HPAI in poultry in the provinces of British Columbia, Manitoba, and Saskatchewan, which were confirmed between 22 October 2025 and 1 December 2025 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).
- (12) On 13 January 2026, the United Kingdom submitted updated information on the animal health situation and the measures it has taken in relation to an outbreak of HPAI in poultry in the council area of South Lanarkshire, in Scotland, which was confirmed on 12 November 2025 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).
- (13) Canada and the United Kingdom have informed the Commission that, following those earlier outbreaks of HPAI, they have implemented a stamping out policy in order to control and limit the spread of that disease, and they have also completed the requisite cleaning and disinfection following the implementation of the stamping out policy in the infected poultry establishments.
- (14) The Commission has evaluated the information submitted by Canada and the United Kingdom, and considers that they have provided appropriate guarantees that the animal health situation that had given rise to the suspension of the entry of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds into the Union from the affected zones, as set out in the table in Section B of Part 1 of Annex V, and in the table in Section B of Part 1 of Annex XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404, no longer represents a threat to animal or public health in the Union, and that, consequently, the entry into the Union of those consignments from the affected zones of Canada and the United Kingdom, from which entry into the Union had been suspended, should be re-authorised. Therefore, the entries for Canada and the United Kingdom in those tables in those Annexes should be amended accordingly.
- (15) Taking into account the new HPAI outbreaks in the United Kingdom and the United States, and in order to avoid any unnecessary disruption in trade with Canada and the United Kingdom, the amendments to be made to Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 by this Regulation should take effect as a matter of urgency.

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- (16) The measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Committee on Plants, Animals, Food and Feed,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 are amended in accordance with the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day following that of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Union*.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 20 January 2026.

For the Commission
The President
Ursula VON DER LEYEN

ANNEX

Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 are amended as follows:

(1) Annex V is amended as follows:

(a) in Part 1, Section B is amended as follows:

(i) in the entry for Canada, the rows for the zones CA-2.292 and CA-2.293 are replaced by the following:

‘CA Canada	CA-2.292	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		22.10.2025	14.1.2026
	CA-2.293		N, P1		22.10.2025	14.1.2026’;

(ii) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.295 is replaced by the following:

‘CA Canada	CA-2.295	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		28.10.2025	10.1.2026’;
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(iii) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.307 is replaced by the following:

‘CA Canada	CA-2.307	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		12.11.2025	10.1.2026’;
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(iv) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.318 is replaced by the following:

‘CA Canada	CA-2.318	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		1.12.2025	10.1.2025’;
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(v) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the row for the zone GB-2.421 is replaced by the following:

‘GB United Kingdom	GB-2.421	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		12.11.2025	13.1.2026’;
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(vi) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the rows for the zones GB-2.456 to GB-2.459 are added after the row for the zone GB-2.455:

‘GB United Kingdom	GB-2.456	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		31.12.2025	
	GB-2.457		N, P1		5.1.2026	
	GB-2.458		N, P1		8.1.2026	
	GB-2.459		N, P1		11.1.2026’;	

- (vii) in the entry for the United States, the following rows for the zones US-2.1218 to US-2.1236 are added after the row for the zone US-2.1217:

'US United States	US-2.1218	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		29.12.2025	
	US-2.1219		N, P1		8.1.2026	
	US-2.1220		N, P1		31.12.2025	
	US-2.1221		N, P1		2.1.2026	
	US-2.1222		N, P1		2.1.2026	
	US-2.1223		N, P1		6.1.2026	
	US-2.1224		N, P1		2.1.2026	
	US-2.1225		N, P1		2.1.2026	
	US-2.1226		N, P1		2.1.2026	
	US-2.1227		N, P1		2.1.2026	
	US-2.1228		N, P1		7.1.2026	
	US-2.1229		N, P1		5.1.2026	
	US-2.1230		N, P1		6.1.2026	
	US-2.1231		N, P1		9.1.2026	
	US-2.1232		N, P1		9.1.2026	
	US-2.1233		N, P1		12.1.2026	
	US-2.1234		N, P1		12.1.2026	
US-2.1235	N, P1		13.1.2026			
US-2.1236	N, P1		13.1.2026;			

- (b) Part 2 is amended as follows:

- (i) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the following descriptions of the zones GB-2.456 to GB-2.459 are added after the description of the zone GB-2.455:

'United Kingdom	GB-2.456	near Newark-on-Trent, Newark and Sherwood, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N53.09 and Long: W0.90
	GB-2.457	near Blairgowrie, Perth and Kinross, Scotland, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N56.72 and Long: W3.43
	GB-2.458	near Newark-on-Trent, Newark and Sherwood, England, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N53.12 and Long: W0.77
	GB-2.459	near Penicuik, Scottish Borders, Scotland, GB the area contained with a circle of a radius of 10 km, centred on WGS84 dec, coordinates Lat: N52.13 and Long: E1.28;

- (ii) in the entry for the United States, the following descriptions of the zones US-2.1218 to US-2.1236 are added after the description of the zone US-2.1217:

United States	US-2.1218	State of Pennsylvania Lancaster 48 Lancaster County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 76.2182181°W 40.2966908°N)
	US-2.1219	State of Pennsylvania Lehigh 09 Lehigh County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 75.5374499°W 40.6342488°N)
	US-2.1220	State of Nebraska Butler 03 Butler County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 97.1516427°W 41.2963652°N)
	US-2.1221	State of Kansas Nemaha 01 Nemaha County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 96.0246418°W 39.9602633°N)
	US-2.1222	State of Kansas Anderson 03 Anderson County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 95.3777451°W 38.4564845°N)
	US-2.1223	State of Kansas Pottawatomie 02 Pottawatomie County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 96.4404324°W 39.3243821°N)
	US-2.1224	State of Arkansas Prairie 02 Prairie County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 91.4135664°W 34.6979697°N)
	US-2.1225	State of California Butte 05 Butte County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 121.6220145°W 39.4683346°N)
	US-2.1226	State of New York Queens 20 Queens County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 73.8110491°W 40.7686723°N)
	US-2.1227	State of North Carolina Sampson 03 Sampson County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 78.3671020°W 35.0527509°N)
US-2.1228	State of North Carolina Sampson 04 Sampson County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 78.2970334°W 35.0024484°N)	

	US-2.1229	State of Missouri Texas 01 Texas County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 91.7962470°W 37.5354452°N)
	US-2.1230	State of Indiana LaGrange 67 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.5918894°W 41.6873614°N)
	US-2.1231	State of New York Bronx 05 Bronx County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 73.8531701°W 40.9190500°N)
	US-2.1232	State of Pennsylvania Philadelphia 03 Philadelphia County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 75.1068985°W 40.0789418°N)
	US-2.1233	State of Kansas Pratt 01 Pratt County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 98.7984492°W 37.8431137°N)
	US-2.1234	State of Minnesota Meeker 21 Meeker County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 94.7544608°W 45.3591599°N)
	US-2.1235	State of Delaware Kent 08 Kent County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 75.3664130°W 39.0923244°N)
	US-2.1236	State of Georgia Walker 01 Walker County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.1349257°W 34.7294249°N);

(2) in Annex XIV, in Part 1, Section B is amended as follows:

(a) in the entry for Canada, the rows for the zones CA-2.292 and CA-2.293 are replaced by the following:

CA Canada	CA-2.292	POU, RAT	N, P1		22.10.2025	14.1.2026
		GBM	P1		22.10.2025	14.1.2026
	CA-2.293	POU, RAT	N, P1		22.10.2025	14.1.2026
		GBM	P1		22.10.2025	14.1.2026;

(b) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.295 is replaced by the following:

CA Canada	CA-2.295	POU, RAT	N, P1		28.10.2025	10.1.2026
		GBM	P1		28.10.2025	10.1.2026;

- (c) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.307 is replaced by the following:

‘CA Canada	CA-2.307	POU, RAT	N, P1		12.11.2025	10.1.2026
		GBM	P1		12.11.2025	10.1.2026;

- (d) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.318 is replaced by the following:

‘CA Canada	CA-2.318	POU, RAT	N, P1		1.12.2025	10.1.2025
		GBM	P1		1.12.2025	10.1.2025;

- (e) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the row for the zone GB-2.421 is replaced by the following:

‘GB United Kingdom	GB-2.421	POU, RAT	N, P1		12.11.2025	13.1.2026
		GBM	P1		12.11.2025	13.1.2026;

- (f) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the following rows for the zones GB-2.456 to GB-2.459 are added after the row for the zone GB-2.455:

‘GB United Kingdom	GB-2.456	POU, RAT	N, P1		31.12.2025	
		GBM	P1		31.12.2025	
	GB-2.457	POU, RAT	N, P1		5.1.2026	
		GBM	P1		5.1.2026	
	GB-2.458	POU, RAT	N, P1		8.1.2026	
		GBM	P1		8.1.2026	
	GB-2.459	POU, RAT	N, P1		11.1.2026	
		GBM	P1		11.1.2026;	

- (g) in the entry for the United States, the following rows for the zones US-2.1218 to US-2.1236 are added after the row for the zone US-2.1217:

‘US United States	US-2.1218	POU, RAT	N, P1		29.12.2025	
		GBM	P1		29.12.2025	
	US-2.1219	POU, RAT	N, P1		8.1.2026	
		GBM	P1		8.1.2026	
	US-2.1220	POU, RAT	N, P1		31.12.2025	
		GBM	P1		31.12.2025	
	US-2.1221	POU, RAT	N, P1		2.1.2026	
		GBM	P1		2.1.2026	
	US-2.1222	POU, RAT	N, P1		2.1.2026	
		GBM	P1		2.1.2026	
	US-2.1223	POU, RAT	N, P1		6.1.2026	
		GBM	P1		6.1.2026	
	US-2.1224	POU, RAT	N, P1		2.1.2026	
		GBM	P1		2.1.2026	

US-2.1225	POU, RAT	N, P1		2.1.2026	
	GBM	P1		2.1.2026	
US-2.1226	POU, RAT	N, P1		2.1.2026	
	GBM	P1		2.1.2026	
US-2.1227	POU, RAT	N, P1		2.1.2026	
	GBM	P1		2.1.2026	
US-2.1228	POU, RAT	N, P1		7.1.2026	
	GBM	P1		7.1.2026	
US-2.1229	POU, RAT	N, P1		5.1.2026	
	GBM	P1		5.1.2026	
US-2.1230	POU, RAT	N, P1		6.1.2026	
	GBM	P1		6.1.2026	
US-2.1231	POU, RAT	N, P1		9.1.2026	
	GBM	P1		9.1.2026	
US-2.1232	POU, RAT	N, P1		9.1.2026	
	GBM	P1		9.1.2026	
US-2.1233	POU, RAT	N, P1		12.1.2026	
	GBM	P1		12.1.2026	
US-2.1234	POU, RAT	N, P1		12.1.2026	
	GBM	P1		12.1.2026	
US-2.1235	POU, RAT	N, P1		13.1.2026	
	GBM	P1		13.1.2026	
US-2.1236	POU, RAT	N, P1		13.1.2026	
	GBM	P1		13.1.2026',	

Fylgiskjal 7.**COMMISSION IMPLEMENTING REGULATION (EU) 2026/281****of 2 February 2026****amending Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 as regards the entries for Canada, the United Kingdom and the United States in the lists of third countries, territories, or zones thereof authorised for the entry into the Union of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds****(Text with EEA relevance)**

THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union,

Having regard to Regulation (EU) 2016/429 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 March 2016 on transmissible animal diseases and amending and repealing certain acts in the area of animal health ('Animal Health Law')⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 230(1), Article 232(1), point (b) and Article 232(3), point (b) thereof.

Whereas:

- (1) Regulation (EU) 2016/429 provides that consignments of animals, germinal products and products of animal origin from third countries or territories are only to be allowed to enter into the Union if the third countries or territories concerned are listed in accordance with Article 230(1) of that Regulation.
- (2) Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692⁽²⁾ lays down the animal health requirements that consignments of certain species and categories of animals, germinal products and products of animal origin, from third countries, territories, or zones thereof, or compartments thereof in the case of aquaculture animals, must comply with in order to enter the Union.
- (3) Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404⁽³⁾ lays down the lists of third countries, territories, or zones thereof, from which the entry into the Union of the species and categories of animals, germinal products and products of animal origin, falling within the scope of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692, is permitted. Those lists and certain general rules concerning those lists are set out in Annexes I to XXII to that Implementing Regulation.
- (4) More particularly, Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 set out the lists of third countries, territories, or zones thereof, authorised for the entry into the Union, respectively, of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds.
- (5) The United States has notified the Commission of six new outbreaks of highly pathogenic avian influenza (HPAI) in poultry in the states of Georgia, Indiana, Iowa, Montana, New Jersey, and Pennsylvania, which were confirmed on 22 January 2026 and 23 January 2026 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 84, 31.3.2016, p. 1, ELI: <http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg/2016/429/oj>.

⁽²⁾ Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/692 of 30 January 2020 supplementing Regulation (EU) 2016/429 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards rules for entry into the Union, and the movement and handling after entry of consignments of certain animals, germinal products and products of animal origin (OJ L 174, 3.6.2020, p. 379, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg_del/2020/692/oj).

⁽³⁾ Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 of 24 March 2021 laying down the lists of third countries, territories or zones thereof from which the entry into the Union of animals, germinal products and products of animal origin is permitted in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2016/429 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 114, 31.3.2021, p. 1, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg_impl/2021/404/oj).

- (6) Following those recent outbreaks of HPAI, the veterinary authority of the United States established restricted zones of at least 10 km around the affected establishments and implemented a stamping-out policy to control the presence of HPAI and limit the spread of that disease.
- (7) The United States has submitted information to the Commission on the epidemiological situation on its territory and the measures it has taken to prevent the further spread of HPAI following those recent HPAI outbreaks.
- (8) That information has been evaluated by the Commission. In view of the animal health situation in the areas under restrictions established by the veterinary authority of the United States, the entry into the Union of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds from the areas concerned by the new outbreaks in that third country should be suspended in order to protect the animal health status of the Union, taking into account the dates when the outbreaks were confirmed. Therefore, the entries for the United States in the tables set out in Section B of Part 1 and in Part 2 of Annex V, and the table set out in Section B of Part 1 of Annex XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 should be amended accordingly.
- (9) In addition, Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States have provided updated information to the Commission in relation to the epidemiological situation on their respective territories as regards earlier outbreaks of HPAI that gave rise to the suspension of the entry into the Union of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds, as set out in the table in Section B of Part 1 of Annex V, and in the table in Section B of Part 1 of Annex XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404.
- (10) On 12 January 2026, Canada submitted updated information on the animal health situation and the measures it has taken in relation to two outbreaks of HPAI in poultry in the province of Quebec, which were confirmed on 18 November 2025 and 12 December 2025 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).
- (11) On 23 January 2026 and 26 January 2026, the United Kingdom submitted updated information on the animal health situation and the measures it has taken in relation to four outbreaks of HPAI in poultry in the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk, in England, which were confirmed on 26 October 2025 and 7 November 2025 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).
- (12) On 22 January 2026, the United States submitted updated information on the animal health situation and the measures it has taken in relation to 24 outbreaks of HPAI in poultry in the states of Arkansas, Kansas, Minnesota, New York, North Dakota, South Dakota, Tennessee, and Utah, which were confirmed between 29 September 2025 and 2 January 2026 by laboratory analysis (RT-PCR).
- (13) Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States have informed the Commission that, following those earlier outbreaks of HPAI, they have implemented a stamping out policy in order to control and limit the spread of that disease, and they have also completed the requisite cleaning and disinfection following the implementation of the stamping out policy in the infected poultry establishments.
- (14) The Commission has evaluated the information submitted by Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States, and considers that they have provided appropriate guarantees that the animal health situation that had given rise to the suspension of the entry of consignments of poultry and germinal products of poultry, and of fresh meat of poultry and game birds into the Union from the affected zones, as set out in the table in Section B of Part 1 of Annex V, and in the table in Section B of Part 1 of Annex XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404, no longer represents a threat to animal or public health in the Union, and that, consequently, the entry into the Union of those consignments from the affected zones of those third countries, from which entry into the Union had been suspended, should be re-authorised. Therefore, the entries for Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States in those tables in those Annexes should be amended accordingly.
- (15) Taking into account the new HPAI outbreaks in the United States and in order to avoid any unnecessary disruption in trade with Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States, the amendments to be made to Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 by this Regulation should take effect as a matter of urgency.

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- (16) The measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Committee on Plants, Animals, Food and Feed,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 are amended in accordance with the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day following that of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Union*.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 2 February 2026.

For the Commission
The President
Ursula VON DER LEYEN

ANNEX

Annexes V and XIV to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/404 are amended as follows:

(1) Annex V is amended as follows:

(a) in Part 1, Section B is amended as follows:

(i) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.311 is replaced by the following:

'CA Canada	CA-2.311	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		18.11.2025	28.1.2026;
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(ii) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.321 is replaced by the following:

'CA Canada	CA-2.321	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		12.12.2025	26.1.2026;
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(iii) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the row for the zones GB-2.399 and GB-2.400 are replaced by the following:

'GB United Kingdom	GB-2.399	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		26.10.2025	25.1.2026
	GB-2.400		N, P1		29.10.2025	23.1.2026;

(iv) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the row for the zone GB-2.406 is replaced by the following:

'GB United Kingdom	GB-2.406	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		1.11.2025	23.1.2026;
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(v) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the row for the zone GB-2.415 is replaced by the following:

'GB United Kingdom	GB-2.415	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		7.11.2025	25.1.2026;
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(vi) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1061 is replaced by the following:

'US United States	US-2.1061	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		26.9.2025	3.1.2026;
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- (vii) in the entry for the United States, the rows for the zones US-2.1063 and US-2.1064 are replaced by the following:

‘US United States	US-2.1063	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		30.9.2025	18.1.2026
	US-2.1064		N, P1		30.9.2025	25.1.2026’;

- (viii) in the entry for the United States, the rows for the zones US-2.1071 to US-2.1077 are replaced by the following:

‘US United States	US-2.1071	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		7.10.2025	29.12.2025
	US-2.1072		N, P1		8.10.2025	25.1.2026
	US-2.1073		N, P1		8.10.2025	25.1.2026
	US-2.1074		N, P1		9.10.2025	29.12.2025
	US-2.1075		N, P1		9.10.2025	29.12.2025
	US-2.1076		N, P1		8.10.2025	11.1.2026
	US-2.1077		N, P1		8.10.2025	11.1.2026’;

- (ix) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1079 is replaced by the following:

‘US United States	US-2.1079	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		14.10.2025	12.1.2026’;
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- (x) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1081 is replaced by the following:

‘US United States	US-2.1081	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		14.10.2025	4.1.2026’;
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- (xi) in the entry for the United States, the rows for the zones US-2.1094 and US-2.1095 are replaced by the following:

‘US United States	US-2.1094	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		22.10.2025	25.1.2026
	US-2.1095		N, P1		22.10.2025	17.1.2026’;

- (xii) in the entry for the United States, the rows for the zones US-2.1107 and US-2.1108 are replaced by the following:

‘US United States	US-2.1107	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		3.11.2025	7.1.2026
	US-2.1108		N, P1		3.11.2025	12.1.2026’;

(xiii) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1153 is replaced by the following:

US United States	US-2.1153	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		19.11.2025	2.1.2026;
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(xiv) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1179 is replaced by the following:

US United States	US-2.1179	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		5.12.2025	14.1.2026;
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(xv) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1204 is replaced by the following:

US United States	US-2.1204	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		5.12.2025	15.1.2026;
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(xvi) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1208 is replaced by the following:

US United States	US-2.1208	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		23.12.2025	29.1.2026;
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(xvii) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1212 is replaced by the following:

US United States	US-2.1212	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		23.12.2025	20.1.2026;
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(xviii) in the entry for the United States, the rows for the zones US-2.1214 and US-2.1215 are replaced by the following:

US United States	US-2.1214	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		23.12.2025	26.1.2026
	US-2.1215		N, P1		29.12.2025	26.1.2026;

(xix) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1221 is replaced by the following:

US United States	US-2.1221	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		2.1.2026	30.1.2026;
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(xx) in the entry for the United States, the following rows for the zones US-2.1241 to US-2.1246 are added after the row for the zone US-2.1240:

US United States	US-2.1241	BPP, BPR, DOC, DOR, SP, SR, POU-LT20, HEP, HER, HE-LT20	N, P1		22.1.2026	
	US-2.1242		N, P1		22.1.2026	
	US-2.1243		N, P1		23.1.2026	
	US-2.1244		N, P1		23.1.2026	
	US-2.1245		N, P1		23.1.2026	
	US-2.1246		N, P1		23.1.2026;	

(b) in Part 2, in the entry for the United States, the following descriptions of the zones US-2.1241 to US-2.1246 are added after the description of the zone US-2.1240:

United States	US-2.1241	State of Pennsylvania Lancaster 49 Lancaster County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 76.5809829°W 40.1685291°N)
	US-2.1242	State of New Jersey Burlington 01 Burlington County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 74.6400667°W 40.0414066°N)
	US-2.1243	State of Georgia Walker 02 Walker County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.1208834°W 34.7614528°N)
	US-2.1244	State of Indiana LaGrange 68 LaGrange County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 85.5074963°W 41.7480110°N)
	US-2.1245	State of Iowa Kossuth 04 Kossuth County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 94.1046726°W 43.3769102°N)
	US-2.1246	State of Montana Carbon 01 Carbon County: A circular zone of a 10 km radius starting with North point (GPS coordinates: 108.9574554°W 45.3326735°N);

(2) in Annex XIV, in Part 1, Section B is amended as follows:

(a) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.311 is replaced by the following:

CA Canada	CA-2.311	POU, RAT	N, P1		18.11.2025	28.1.2026
		GBM	P1		18.11.2025	28.1.2026;

(b) in the entry for Canada, the row for the zone CA-2.321 is replaced by the following:

CA Canada	CA-2.321	POU, RAT	N, P1		12.12.2025	26.1.2026
		GBM	P1		12.12.2025	26.1.2026;

- (c) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the rows for the zones GB-2.399 and GB-2.400 are replaced by the following:

'GB United Kingdom	GB-2.399	POU, RAT	N, P1		26.10.2025	25.1.2026
		GBM	P1		26.10.2025	25.1.2026
	GB-2.400	POU, RAT	N, P1		29.10.2025	23.1.2026
		GBM	P1		29.10.2025	23.1.2026';

- (d) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the row for the zone GB-2.406 is replaced by the following:

'GB United Kingdom	GB-2.406	POU, RAT	N, P1		1.11.2025	23.1.2026
		GBM	P1		1.11.2025	23.1.2026';

- (e) in the entry for the United Kingdom, the row for the zone GB-2.415 is replaced by the following:

'GB United Kingdom	GB-2.415	POU, RAT	N, P1		7.11.2025	25.1.2026
		GBM	P1		7.11.2025	25.1.2026';

- (f) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1061 is replaced by the following:

'US United States	US-2.1061	POU, RAT	N, P1		26.9.2025	3.1.2026
		GBM	P1		26.9.2025	3.1.2026';

- (g) in the entry for the United States, the rows for the zones US-2.1063 and US-2.1064 are replaced by the following:

'US United States	US-2.1063	POU, RAT	N, P1		30.9.2025	18.1.2026
		GBM	P1		30.9.2025	18.1.2026
	US-2.1064	POU, RAT	N, P1		30.9.2025	25.1.2026
		GBM	P1		30.9.2025	25.1.2026';

- (h) in the entry for the United States, the rows for the zones US-2.1071 to US-2.1077 are replaced by the following:

'US United States	US-2.1071	POU, RAT	N, P1		7.10.2025	29.12.2025
		GBM	P1		7.10.2025	29.12.2025
	US-2.1072	POU, RAT	N, P1		8.10.2025	25.1.2026
		GBM	P1		8.10.2025	25.1.2026
	US-2.1073	POU, RAT	N, P1		8.10.2025	25.1.2026
		GBM	P1		8.10.2025	25.1.2026
	US-2.1074	POU, RAT	N, P1		9.10.2025	29.12.2025
		GBM	P1		9.10.2025	29.12.2025
	US-2.1075	POU, RAT	N, P1		9.10.2025	29.12.2025
		GBM	P1		9.10.2025	29.12.2025

	US-2.1076	POU, RAT	N, P1		8.10.2025	11.1.2026
		GBM	P1		8.10.2025	11.1.2026
	US-2.1077	POU, RAT	N, P1		8.10.2025	11.1.2026
		GBM	P1		8.10.2025	11.1.2026';

- (i) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1079 is replaced by the following:

'US United States	US-2.1079	POU, RAT	N, P1		14.10.2025	12.1.2026
		GBM	P1		14.10.2025	12.1.2026';

- (j) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1081 is replaced by the following:

'US United States	US-2.1081	POU, RAT	N, P1		14.10.2025	4.1.2026
		GBM	P1		14.10.2025	4.1.2026';

- (k) in the entry for the United States, the rows for the zones US-2.1094 and US-2.1095 are replaced by the following:

'US United States	US-2.1094	POU, RAT	N, P1		22.10.2025	25.1.2026
		GBM	P1		22.10.2025	25.1.2026
	US-2.1095	POU, RAT	N, P1		22.10.2025	17.1.2026
		GBM	P1		22.10.2025	17.1.2026';

- (l) in the entry for the United States, the rows for the zones US-2.1107 and US-2.1108 are replaced by the following:

'US United States	US-2.1107	POU, RAT	N, P1		3.11.2025	7.1.2026
		GBM	P1		3.11.2025	7.1.2026
	US-2.1108	POU, RAT	N, P1		3.11.2025	12.1.2026
		GBM	P1		3.11.2025	12.1.2026';

- (m) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1153 is replaced by the following:

'US United States	US-2.1153	POU, RAT	N, P1		19.11.2025	2.1.2026
		GBM	P1		19.11.2025	2.1.2026';

- (n) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1179 is replaced by the following:

'US United States	US-2.1179	POU, RAT	N, P1		5.12.2025	14.1.2026
		GBM	P1		5.12.2025	14.1.2026';

- (o) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1204 is replaced by the following:

'US United States	US-2.1204	POU, RAT	N, P1		5.12.2025	15.1.2026
		GBM	P1		5.12.2025	15.1.2026';

- (p) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1208 is replaced by the following:

‘US United States	US-2.1208	POU, RAT	N, P1		23.12.2025	29.1.2026
		GBM	P1		23.12.2025	29.1.2026’;

- (q) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1212 is replaced by the following:

‘US United States	US-2.1212	POU, RAT	N, P1		23.12.2025	20.1.2026
		GBM	P1		23.12.2025	20.1.2026’;

- (r) in the entry for the United States, the rows for the zones US-2.1214 and US-2.1215 are replaced by the following:

‘US United States	US-2.1214	POU, RAT	N, P1		23.12.2025	26.1.2026
		GBM	P1		23.12.2025	26.1.2026
	US-2.1215	POU, RAT	N, P1		29.12.2025	26.1.2026
		GBM	P1		29.12.2025	26.1.2026’;

- (s) in the entry for the United States, the row for the zone US-2.1221 is replaced by the following:

‘US United States	US-2.1221	POU, RAT	N, P1		2.1.2026	30.1.2026
		GBM	P1		2.1.2026	30.1.2026’;

- (t) in the entry for the United States, the following rows for the zones US-2.1241 to US-2.1246 are added after the row for the zone US-2.1240:

‘US United States	US-2.1241	POU, RAT	N, P1		22.1.2026	
		GBM	P1		22.1.2026	
	US-2.1242	POU, RAT	N, P1		22.1.2026	
		GBM	P1		22.1.2026	
	US-2.1243	POU, RAT	N, P1		23.1.2026	
		GBM	P1		23.1.2026	
	US-2.1244	POU, RAT	N, P1		23.1.2026	
		GBM	P1		23.1.2026	
	US-2.1245	POU, RAT	N, P1		23.1.2026	
		GBM	P1		23.1.2026	
	US-2.1246	POU, RAT	N, P1		23.1.2026	
		GBM	P1		23.1.2026’.	