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OVS Note/2017/29

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BIP Manual – AMENDMENT TO ANNEX J

Purpose

1. To inform you of an amendment to Annex J of the BIP Manual.

Background

2. [OVS note 2017/21](#) issued on 14 September advised that a new version of the [BIP Manual](#) had been published. However, it has since come to our attention that there is an error in Annex J (channelled goods).

3. Annex J (see page 93) lists some of the commodities for which EU legislation requires consignments to be moved 'directly' from the BIP to the place of destination. Bone and bone products (excluding bone meal), horns and horn products (excluding horn meal) and hooves and hoof products (excluding hoof meal) are listed in this section. However, paragraph 4 of Annex XIV, Chapter II, Section 7 of Regulation (EU) No. 142/2011 (animal by-products) requires bone and bone products etc. to be transported from the BIP to the premises of destination in accordance with Article 8(4) Directive 97/78/EC (Veterinary Checks) procedures as already indicated on page 97. The entry should therefore be deleted from the list on page 93.

Action for OVSS

4. Please note the information above.

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