

Message 001

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Does not open the delays - N'ouvre pas de délai - Kein Fristbeginn - Не се предвижда период на прекъсване - Nezahtuje prodlení - Fristerne indledes ikke - Καμμία έναρξη προθεσμίας - No abre el plazo - Viivituste perioodi ei avata - Määräaika ei ala tästä - Ne otvara razdoblje kašnjenja - Nem nyitja meg a késésekét - Non fa decorrere la mora - Atidējimai nepradedami - Atlikšanas laikposms nesākas - Ma jiftaħ il-perijodi ta' dewmien - Geen termijnbegin - Nie otwiera opóźnień - Não inicia o prazo - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare - Nezačína oneskorenia - Ne uvaja zamud - Inleder ingen frist - Ní osclaíonn sé na moilleanna

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2. Latvia

3A. Ekonomikas ministrija

3B. Zemkopības ministrijas Dzīvnieku veselības, audzēšanas, aizsardzības un pārtikas nekaitīguma departamenta Dzīvnieku veselības un veterinārā zāļu nodaļa

4. 2025/0755/LV - C30A - Veterinary services

5. Draft Cabinet Regulation on the procedure for the monitoring, control and eradication of caprine arthritis-encephalitis

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8. The draft Cabinet Regulation lays down the procedures for monitoring, control and eradication of caprine

arthritis-encephalitis (CAE) in Latvia. It creates a unified and manageable system to limit the spread of the disease and ensure animal health protection.

The requirements laid down in the draft will only apply to owners and keepers of caprine animals who wish to obtain and maintain the health status of their holding (M1, M2, or M3) in the future. The rules are not mandatory for everyone – they are voluntary, but necessary for the farm to be recognised as disease-free or cleared.

The draft defines:

- the procedure for assigning and maintaining the status of a holding (MP, M1, M2, M3);
- requirements for laboratory examination in the core herd and introduced animals;
- conditions for the use of the reproduction products;
- rules for the movement of animals between holdings and to events;
- the course of action in the event of suspected or confirmed disease;
- the responsibilities of the Latvian Rural Support Service and the Latvian Food and Veterinary Service in managing the status;
- transitional conditions for the period 2026-2027 allowing the status to be obtained under simplified requirements.

The regulation will contribute to the eradication of the disease, increase the transparency of the health of the holdings and support the competitiveness of the goat farming sector, while maintaining the principle that participation in the programme is voluntary and subject to the initiative of the animal holders themselves.

9. The draft Cabinet Regulation has been drawn up in order to lay down requirements for the monitoring, control and eradication of caprine arthritis-encephalitis, establishing a system for assigning health status to holdings (MP, M1, M2, M3 type holding status), as well as to provide for measures for the monitoring and eradication of caprine arthritis-encephalitis, which will contribute to the eradication of caprine arthritis-encephalitis and the improvement of animal health in those holdings where goat owners opt to participate, thereby protecting potential animal buyers in the field of animal trade.

10. Reference(s) to text: No text available

11. No

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13. No

14. No

15. Yes

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TBT aspects: No

SPS aspects: No

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