

ILT BIOSECURITY ADVISORY STAND DOWN

Waterloo County

Re: FARMER NOTIFICATION - ILT DISEASE ADVISORY October 24, 2017

January 3, 2018

On behalf of Ontario's four feather boards, the Feather Board Command Centre wishes to announce that the ILT biosecurity advisory that was issued to commercial poultry farmers and small flock growers in northeastern part of Waterloo County on October 24, 2017 has now been lifted.

This Waterloo County commercial layer pullet flock had been epidemiologically linked to a subsequent case in a commercial table egg layer flock in Oxford County. Re-vaccination has been effective in controlling both these incidents. Ongoing veterinary surveillance indicates no further signs of illness.

Normal biosecurity levels can be restored.

Farmers should continue to be very diligent in observing their flocks, monitoring mortalities and tracking feed and water consumption. If you suspect any signs of infectious disease, please contact your veterinarian and board immediately.

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