



6 February 2020

(20-0924)

Page: 1/1

Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

Original: English

## NOTIFICATION OF EMERGENCY MEASURES

### *Addendum*

The following communication, received on 5 February 2020, is being circulated at the request of the Delegation of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.

---

#### The Saudi Ministry of Environment, Water and Agriculture lifts the temporary ban on the importation of livestock originating from Sudan

The Saudi Ministry of Environment, Water and Agriculture issued Decision No. 113356/1291/1441 dated 15 October 2019 (16/02/1441 H) entitled "Temporary Ban on the Importation of Livestock originating from Sudan", due to the outbreak Rift Valley Fever (RVF) in Sudan. The Ministry of Environment, Water and Agriculture has subsequently issued Decision No. 1441/1291/371009 dated 27 January 2020 (02/06/1441 AH), lifting the temporary ban on the importation of Livestock originating from Sudan, with condition of implementing approved veterinarian technical health conditions.

Based on study and evaluation the health situation and in compliance with the OIE Terrestrial Animal Health Code, Chapter 8.15, the risk of Livestock from Sudan is negligible.

#### **This addendum concerns a:**

- ☐ Modification of final date for comments
- ☐ Modification of content and/or scope of previously notified regulation
- ☐ Withdrawal of regulation
- ☐ Change in period of application of measure
- ☒ Other: Lifting of the import ban.

**Agency or authority designated to handle comments:** ☐ National Notification Authority, ☒ National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:

**Text(s) available from:** ☐ National Notification Authority, ☒ National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:

Ministry of Environment, Water and Agriculture  
Livestock Risk Assessment Department  
Eastern Ring Road, Exit 12, Riyadh 11195  
Kingdom of Saudi Arabia  
Tel: +(966 11) 404 4292  
+(966 11) 401 6666  
E-mail: [anml.rsk@mewa.gov.sa](mailto:anml.rsk@mewa.gov.sa)  
Website: <http://www.moa.gov.sa/public/portal>

---