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**COMMISSION IMPLEMENTING DECISION (EU) 2025/323**

**of 11 February 2025**

**concerning certain emergency measures relating to foot and mouth disease in Germany and  
repealing Implementing Decision (EU) 2025/186**

*(notified under document C(2025) 1015)*

**(Only the German text is authentic)**

**(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') <sup>(1)</sup>, and in particular Article 259(1), point (c), thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Foot and mouth disease is an infectious viral disease affecting animals in the mammal order of Artiodactyla and can have a severe impact on the concerned animal population and the profitability of farming causing disturbance to movements of consignments of those animals and products thereof within the Union and exports to third countries.
- (2) In the event of an outbreak of foot and mouth disease in animals of listed species, there is a serious risk of the spread of that disease to other establishments keeping animals of listed species.
- (3) Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/687 <sup>(2)</sup> supplements the rules for the control of the listed diseases referred to in Article 9(1), points (a), (b) and (c), of Regulation (EU) 2016/429, and defined as category A, B and C diseases in Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2018/1882 <sup>(3)</sup>. In particular, Articles 21 and 22 of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/687 provide for the establishment of a restricted zone in the event of an outbreak of a category A disease, including foot and mouth disease, and for certain measures to be applied therein. Article 21(1) of that Delegated Regulation provides that the restricted zone is to comprise a protection zone, a surveillance zone, and, if necessary, further restricted zones around or adjacent to the protection and surveillance zones.
- (4) Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2025/186 <sup>(4)</sup> was adopted on the basis of Regulation (EU) 2016/429, and it lays down certain emergency measures relating to infection with foot and mouth disease virus in Germany in response to the outbreak confirmed on 10 January 2025 in the federal state of Brandenburg, close to that state's border with the federal state of Berlin. More particularly, Implementing Decision (EU) 2025/186 provides that the protection and surveillance zones to be established by Germany in the federal state of Brandenburg, in accordance with Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/687, following that outbreak are to comprise at least the areas listed in the Annex to that Implementing Decision.

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

<sup>(2)</sup> Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/687 of 17 December 2019 supplementing Regulation (EU) 2016/429 of the European Parliament and the Council, as regards rules for the prevention and control of certain listed diseases (OJ L 174, 3.6.2020, p. 64, ELI: [http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg\\_del/2020/687/oj](http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg_del/2020/687/oj)).

<sup>(3)</sup> Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2018/1882 of 3 December 2018 on the application of certain disease prevention and control rules to categories of listed diseases and establishing a list of species and groups of species posing a considerable risk for the spread of those listed diseases (OJ L 308, 4.12.2018, p. 21, ELI: [http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg\\_impl/2018/1882/oj](http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg_impl/2018/1882/oj)).

<sup>(4)</sup> Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2025/186 of 24 January 2025 concerning certain emergency measures relating to foot and mouth disease in Germany and repealing Implementing Decision (EU) 2025/87 (OJ L, 2025/186, 28.1.2025, ELI: [http://data.europa.eu/eli/dec\\_impl/2025/186/oj](http://data.europa.eu/eli/dec_impl/2025/186/oj)).

- (5) Since the adoption of Implementing Decision (EU) 2025/186, the emergency measures to be applied in the restricted zones, and the timeline for their implementation, have been reviewed. As a consequence, the duration of those measures needs to be extended. Therefore, the areas listed as protection and surveillance zones for Germany, should be defined both spatially and temporally in Annex I to this Implementing Decision, in order to prevent the spread of the disease in Germany and to the rest of the Union, as well as to third countries. Providing for clarity on the exact scope of these areas, as well as on the measures to be applied therein, by setting them out in a legal act of the Union is also required in order to avoid unjustified disruptions in the movements of animals and products in the Union, as well as to third countries.
- (6) Furthermore, considering that the ongoing epidemiological investigation is still being conducted by the competent authority of Germany, and pending its conclusion, and in order to avoid any unjustified disruptions as regards the movements of animals and products in the Union, as well as to third countries, it is appropriate to apply further measures, namely those that are applicable to further restricted zones, as provided for in Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/687, following the expiry of the emergency measures in the surveillance zone (the further measures). The further measures should be applied in an area defined both spatially and temporally in relation to the protection and surveillance zones foreseen before.
- (7) Accordingly, in order to prevent any unnecessary disturbance to trade within the Union and to avoid any unjustified barriers to trade by third countries, it is necessary to rapidly review at Union level the measures applicable in the restricted zones for foot and mouth disease, which comprise protection and surveillance zones, as well as to provide for further measures to be applied, in the federal states of Berlin and Brandenburg in Germany in collaboration with that Member State.
- (8) Implementing Decision (EU) 2025/186 should, therefore, be repealed and replaced by this Decision.
- (9) The measures provided for in this Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Standing Committee on Plants, Animals, Food and Feed,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

#### *Article 1*

Germany shall ensure that:

- (a) restricted zones, which comprise protection and surveillance zones are established immediately by the competent authority of that Member State in accordance with Article 21 of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/687, and under the conditions laid down in that Article;
- (b) the protection and surveillance zones referred to in point (a) comprise at least the areas listed in Annex I to this Decision;
- (c) the measures required to be applied in the protection, and surveillance zones, are applied at least until the dates listed in Annex I to this Decision.

#### *Article 2*

Germany shall apply the measures which are applicable to further restricted zones, as provided for in Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/687, in the area listed in Annex II to this Decision, and until the dates set out therein.

#### *Article 3*

Implementing Decision (EU) 2025/186 is repealed.

*Article 4*

This Decision is addressed to the Federal Republic of Germany.

Done at Brussels, 11 February 2025.

*For the Commission*  
Olivér VÁRHELYI  
*Member of the Commission*

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## ANNEX I

**Restricted zones established around the confirmed outbreak**

| ADIS reference number of the outbreak | Areas established as protection and surveillance zones, part of the restricted zones in Germany referred to in Article 1                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Date until applicable |
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| DE-FMD-2025-00001                     | <p><u>Protection zone for outbreak DE-FMD-2025-00001:</u></p> <p>Brandenburg:</p> <p>Landkreis Märkisch-Oderland:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— Gemeinde Hoppegarten mit der Gemarkung Hönow,</li> </ul> <p>Landkreis Barnim:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— Gemeinde Ahrensfelde mit den Gemarkungen Eiche und Mehrow.</li> </ul> <p>Berlin:</p> <p>Teile des Bezirks Marzahn-Hellersdorf :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— nördlich begrenzt durch die Stadtgrenze entlang der Landsberger Chaussee später Berliner Straße bis zur Mahlsdorfer Straße,</li> <li>— östlich begrenzt von der Mahlsdorfer Straße südlich entlang der Stadtgrenze bis zur Riesaer Straße,</li> <li>— südlich begrenzt von der Riesaer Straße bis Alice-Salomon-Platz, weiter entlang der Hellersdorfer Straße bis zur Einmündung Neue Grottkauer Straße über Märkischer Garten/Feldberger Ring bis zum Fluss Neue Wuhle,</li> <li>— westlich begrenzt durch den Fluss Neue Wuhle in nördlicher Richtung bis Landsberger Allee/Stadtgrenze</li> </ul> | 11.2.2025             |
|                                       | <p><u>Surveillance zone for outbreak DE-FMD-2025-00001:</u></p> <p>Brandenburg:</p> <p>Landkreis Märkisch-Oderland:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— Gemeinde Hoppegarten den Gemarkungen Dahlwitz-Hoppegarten und Münchehofe,</li> <li>— Gemeinde Neuenhagen bei Berlin,</li> <li>— Gemeinde Fredersdorf-Vogelsdorf,</li> <li>— Gemeinde Petershagen/Eggersdorf,</li> <li>— Gemeinde Altlandsberg mit den Gemarkungen Altlandsberg, Bruchmühle, Buchholz und Wegendorf, Landkreis Barnim:</li> <li>— Gemeinde Ahrensfelde mit den Gemarkungen Ahrensfelde, Lindenberg und Blumberg,</li> <li>— Gemeinde Werneuchen mit den Gemarkungen Werneuchen, Krummensee, Seefeld und Löhme,</li> <li>— Gemeinde Panketal mit der Gemarkung Schwanebeck,</li> <li>— Stadt Bernau bei Berlin mit der Gemarkung Birkholz und der Ortslage Helenenau der Gemarkung Börnicke,</li> </ul> <p>Landkreis Oder-Spree:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— Gemeinde Schöneiche bei Berlin mit der Gemarkung Schöneiche bei Berlin.</li> </ul>                              | 11.2.2025             |

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|                                       | <p>Berlin:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— Bezirk Marzahn-Hellersdorf, sofern nicht bereits Teil der Schutzzone,</li> <li>— Bezirk Lichtenberg,</li> <li>— Teile des Bezirks Pankow, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— nördlich begrenzt vom Ingwäonenweg 32 Berlin, weiter Straße 73 bis Strömannstraße, Strömannstraße bis Straße 72, Straße 72 bis Alt Karow 51,</li> <li>— östlich begrenzt durch die Bezirksgrenze, ab Bernauer Straße Stadtgrenze,</li> <li>— südlich begrenzt von der Herbert Baum Straße bis Jüdischer Friedhof Weißensee, kompletter Jüdischer Friedhof Weißensee,</li> <li>— westlich begrenzt durch Alt Karow bis Straße 52, Straße 52 bis Straße 45, Straße 45 bis Straße 47, Straße 47 bis Karower Damm, Karower Damm bis Alt-Blankenburg, Alt Blankenburg bis Krugstege - Heinersdorfer Straße, Heinerstdorfer Straße bis Heinersdorfer Graben, Heinersdorfer Graben bis Muspelsteig, Muspelsteig bis Haakonweg, Haakonweg bis Darßer Straße, Darßer Straße bis Roelckestraße, Roelckestraße bis Rennbahnstraße, Rennbahnstraße bis Parkstraße, Parkstraße bis Berliner Straße, Berliner Straße bis Herbert-Baum Straße,</li> </ul> </li> <li>— Teile des Bezirks Treptow-Köpenick, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— nördlich begrenzt durch die Landesgrenze zu Brandenburg (Landkreis Märkisch-Oderland) sowie im nordwestlichen Verlauf durch die Bezirksgrenze zu Marzahn-Hellersdorf (Forstflächen Jagen 321 sowie Jagen 465),</li> <li>— südwestlich begrenzt von der Genovevastraße, dem Däumlingsweg sowie den Forstflächen Jagen 319 und 320,</li> <li>— südlich begrenzt durch die S- und Regional-Bahn Trasse,</li> <li>— südöstlich begrenzt durch die Schöneicher Straße, Schöneicher Landstraße sowie die Landesgrenze zu Brandenburg (Landkreis Oder-Spree).</li> </ul> </li> </ul> |                                 |
|                                       | <p><u>Surveillance zone for outbreak DE-FMD-2025-00001:</u></p> <p>Brandenburg:</p> <p>Landkreis Märkisch-Oderland:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— Gemeinde Hoppegarten mit den Gemarkungen Hönow, Dahlwitz-Hoppegarten und Münchehofe,</li> <li>— Gemeinde Neuenhagen bei Berlin,</li> <li>— Gemeinde Fredersdorf-Vogelsdorf,</li> <li>— Gemeinde Petershagen/Eggersdorf,</li> <li>— Gemeinde Altlandsberg mit den Gemarkungen Altlandsberg, Bruchmühle, Buchholz und Wegendorf,</li> </ul> <p>Landkreis Barnim:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— Gemeinde Ahrensfelde mit den Gemarkungen Eiche, Mehrow, Ahrensfelde, Lindenberg und Blumberg,</li> <li>— Gemeinde Werneuchen mit den Gemarkungen Werneuchen, Krummensee, Seefeld und Löhme,</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | <p>12.2.2025-<br/>24.2.2025</p> |

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## ANNEX II

| Description of the area referred to in Article 2                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | Date until applicable           |
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| <p>Brandenburg:</p> <p>Diejenigen Teile des Bundeslands Brandenburg, die innerhalb eines Umkreises von sechs Kilometern um folgende ETRS89-Koordinaten liegen: Breitengrad 52.563232, Längengrad 13.634274.</p> <p>Landkreis Märkisch-Oderland:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— Gemeinde Hoppegarten mit der Gemarkung Hönow und Teilen der Gemarkung Dahlwitz-Hoppegarten,</li> <li>— Gemeinde Neuenhagen bei Berlin mit Teilen der Gemarkung Neuenhagen bei Berlin,</li> <li>— Gemeinde Altlandsberg mit Teilen der Gemarkung Altlandsberg,</li> </ul> <p>Landkreis Barnim:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— Gemeinde Ahrensfelde mit den Gemarkungen Eiche und Mehrow sowie mit Teilen der Gemarkungen Ahrensfelde und Blumberg,</li> <li>— Gemeinde Werneuchen mit Teilen der Gemarkungen Krummensee und Seefeld,</li> <li>— Gemeinde Panketal mit Teilen der Gemarkung Schwanebeck,</li> </ul> <p>Berlin:</p> <p>Bezirk Lichtenberg:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— Im Osten: Landesgrenze Berlin-Brandenburg, bzw. Bezirksgrenze zum Bezirk Marzahn-Hellersdorf,</li> <li>— Im Norden: Landesgrenze Berlin-Brandenburg,</li> <li>— Im Westen: Entlang des Gleisverlaufs der S-Bahnlinie 75 von S Pölchastr. Richtung Blankenburg folgend,</li> <li>— Im Süden Bezirksgrenze zu Marzahn Hellersdorf,</li> </ul> <p>Bezirk Marzahn-Hellersdorf:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— Im Norden: Beginnend S-Bahnhof Gehrenseestr. der Hohenschönhauser Str. und dann der Ahrensfelder Chaussee als Bezirksgrenze in Richtung Norden folgend bis Kreuzung Märkische Allee/Landesgrenze, dann weiter auf der Landesgrenze nach Süden bis Landsberger Allee, weiter nach Osten über Landsberger Chaussee und Berliner Str. bis zur Mahlsdorfer Str.,</li> <li>— Im Osten: Von der Mahlsdorfer Str. südlich entlang der Stadtgrenze bis zur Riesaer Str.,</li> <li>— Im Süden: Von der Riesaer Str. bis Alice-Salomon-Platz, weiter entlang der Hellersdorfer Straße bis zur Einmündung Cecilienstr., weiter auf der Celilienstr. bis Blumberger Damm, dann dem Blumberger Damm nördlich folgend bis Kreuzung Landsberger Allee, der Landsberger Allee westlich folgend bis Bezirksgrenze S-Bahnlinie 75,</li> <li>— Im Westen: S-Bahnlinie 75 von der Landsberger Allee entlang Bezirksgrenze bis S-Bahnhof Gehrenseestr</li> </ul> | <p>25.2.2025-<br/>11.4.2025</p> |