



Ref: CTO 2014 084 [1]

**Shuttle Stallion “MAKFI”: Annual Equine Influenza Vaccination**

**CTO direction to biosecurity inspectors for the clearance of the shuttle stallion “MAKFI”.**

Pursuant to section 27(1)(d)(iii) of the Biosecurity Act 1993 I, Marnie Thomas, Manager Animal Imports, Ministry for Primary Industries (under delegated authority), give the following directions for “MAKFI” to be given clearance in accordance with the following measures, different from those in the applicable import health standard for live horses from the European Union *HORANIIC.EU*.

Vaccination for equine influenza should be boosted at least annually. In the case of the stallion “MAKFI”, between 2009 and 2010 the vaccinations were done 366 days apart. It has been determined that this lapse does not compromise the stallion’s immunity for Equine Influenza.

The reason for directing clearance is that the biosecurity risks associated with this CTO direction have been assessed and are managed effectively.

This direction takes effect from the date of signing and is valid for the entry of “MAKFI” on permit number 2014053740 only.