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PUBLIC HEALTH ORDINANCE, CAP. 49

NOTICE PROHIBITING THE IMPORTATION AND LANDING OF POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS ORIGINATING FROM SOUTH AFRICA

Due to the outbreak of avian influenza in South Africa and to prevent the introduction of the disease into St Helena, I, Lisa Phillips, Governor of St Helena, by virtue of section 55(1) of the Public Health Ordinance, Cap. 49, prohibit the importation and landing of the following products originating, produced or packaged in South Africa with effect from 5 July 2017 until further notice:

- (a) All bird eggs (whether fresh for consumption or fertilized for incubation);
- (b) All raw meat of all bird species;
- (c) All raw offal from all bird species:

Paragraphs (b) and (c) do not apply to any frozen meat or offal imported or landed before 10 July 2017 as long as the packaging of such meat or offal indicates that it was frozen at the producer's facility and it has remained frozen since it left that facility.

Take notice that under section 55(2) of the Public Health Ordinance, Cap. 49, any person who contravenes the provisions of this notice commits an offence and is liable to prosecution.

Dated this 5th day of July 2017.

Lisa Phillips
Governor