

Animal Health (Emergency Measures for Outbreaks of Infectious Diseases) Order 2022
article 5

Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza- Declaration of infected place

This Declaration replaces the Declaration issued in Extraordinary Gazette No 26 under Notice 95 on 17 October 2025

1. On 17 October 2025 James Peter Wilson, Director of Natural Resources (“the Director”) made a Declaration under article 5(4) (declaration of infected place) of the Animal Health (Emergency Measures for Outbreaks of Infectious Diseases) Order 2022 (“**the Order**”). A certain area of the Gentoo penguin colony at Yorke Bay, as identified in the Declaration, was declared as an infected place.
2. This declaration replaces the declaration made on 17 October 2025.
3. The Director declares the area of Stanley Common known as the **entire Gentoo Penguin colony at Yorke Bay**, as depicted on map 1 in the Schedule, to be an infected place (“**the premises**”).
4. This declaration is made on the grounds that the Senior Veterinary Officer of the Falkland Islands Government has concluded that highly pathogenic avian influenza exists or has in the previous 56 days been present on the infected place.
5. While this declaration is in force, the restrictions or requirements in paragraphs 6 to 8, being measures to be taken to contain and limit the spread of disease, apply.
6. (1) The following must comply with biosecurity guidance during the period of operation of this declaration —
 - (a) any person entering or leaving the premises;
 - (b) any person who has charge of animals; and
 - (c) any person who is under the direction of a person mentioned in subparagraphs (a) and (b).
- (2) The biosecurity guidance can be found here: [Avian Influenza \(falklands.gov.fk\)](https://www.falklands.gov.fk/avian-influenza).
7. Any person in the premises must remain at least 10 metres away from any wildlife and must not enter the roped area as depicted by the blue and green lines on map 2 in the Schedule.
8. Any research that involves handling of wildlife (unless directly related to HPAI) must cease during the time this declaration is in force.
9. This declaration is in force until revoked by the Director in accordance with article 6(2) of the Order.

Date 01 December 2025

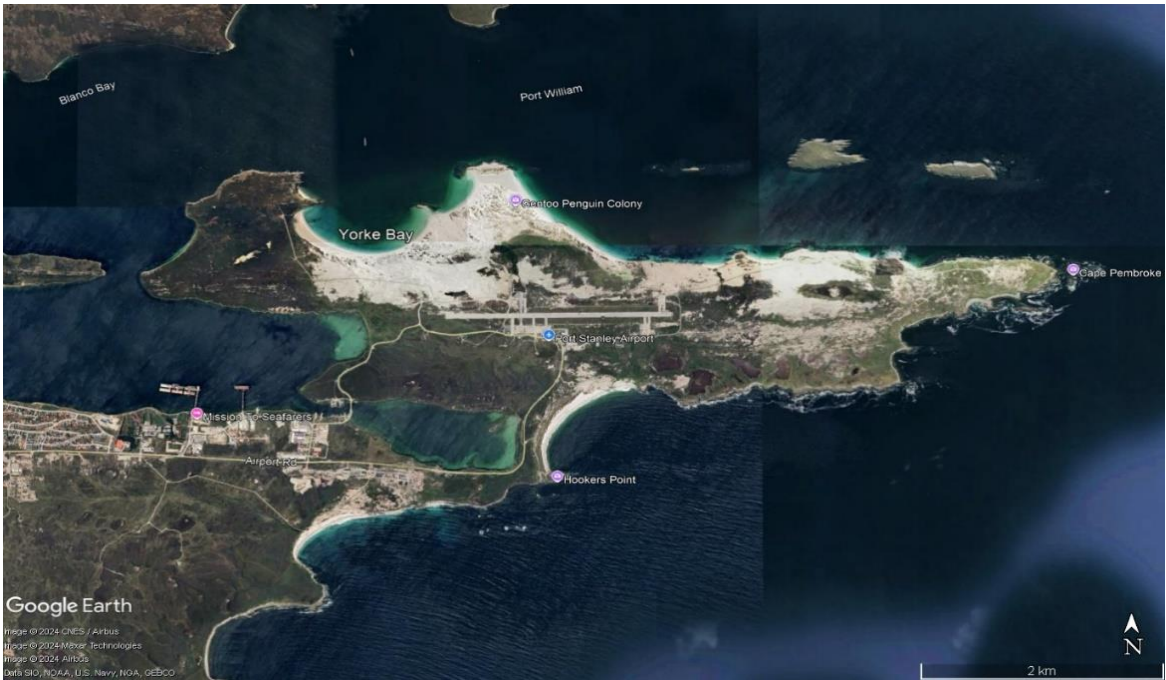
Signed



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SCHEDULE

Map 1



Map 2

