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REPORT

“The requirements of Chinese market on surveillance for shrimp diseases for export – Chances and Challenges for Vietnam shrimp export”

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1. The requirements on disease surveillance – Chances and Challenges for Vietnam shrimp export to China

“Aquaculture and packaging establishments must be placed under the management of the local veterinary authority, that conducts inspection and diagnosis tests of related diseases including IHHNV compliance with OIE standards, the inspecting results must meet the requirements. The clinical sign examination must be undertaken before export, there must be no clinical signs of infectious diseases and infection with parasite ”.

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Số: 601 /QLCL-CL1		Hà Nội, ngày 09 tháng 3 năm 2015	
V/v báo cáo về việc CQTQ Trung Quốc tạm ngừng nhập khẩu tôm sú sống của Việt Nam			
CỤC THỦY SẢN CÔNG VĂN ĐẾN Số: 469 Ngày 10/3/2015 Loại: A B (C)		Kính gửi: Bộ trưởng Bộ Nông nghiệp và PTNT	
Ngày 25/2/2015, Cục Quản lý Chất lượng Nông lâm sản và Thủy sản nhận được công hàm số TCO 085 ngày 12/02/2015 của Đại sứ quán Việt Nam tại Trung Quốc thông báo về việc Tổng cục Giám sát chất lượng, Kiểm nghiệm và Kiểm dịch Trung Quốc (AQSIQ) tạm ngừng nhập khẩu tôm sú từ Việt Nam do phát hiện 46 lô hàng tôm sú sống của Việt Nam xuất khẩu vào Trung Quốc phát hiện virus bệnh còi (MBV), bệnh hoại tử dưới vỏ và cơ quan tạo máu (IHHNV), bệnh đốm trắng (WBV) và virus gây hội chứng Taura (TBV); AQSIQ không đánh giá cao mức độ tin cậy đối với chứng thư do phía Việt Nam cấp, đồng thời thông báo về việc sẽ tiến hành đánh giá hệ thống kiểm soát vệ sinh an toàn động vật thủy sản của Việt Nam và yêu cầu phía Việt Nam cung cấp các thông tin liên quan tới hệ thống kiểm soát vệ sinh an toàn động vật thủy sản của Việt Nam trước ngày 15/3/2015 (văn bản kèm theo).			

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2. Outcomes of current and past actions to meet requirements on disease surveillance for export to China

a) The direction

- On January 18 2013, NAFIQAD issued the official letter No 94/QLCL-CL1 proposing DAH for corporation in surveillance for IHHNV in Monodon farming establishments.
- On June 6 2013, NAFIQAD issued the official letter No 936 /QLCL-CL1 sending to DAH on disease surveillance in monodon farming establishments for export.
- On June 14 2013, DAH sent the official letter No 999/TY-TS to require the agencies prompt implementation as stipulated in the official letter No 936 of NAFIQAD.

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a) The direction:

- On 19/07/2013 at Ho Chi Minh City , DAH organised the meeting on the harmonisation of sampling procedures , disease surveillance , laboratory test for IHHNV virus in shrimp exports to China .
- On 05/9/2013, DAH issued the Notification No. 1510/TB- TY- TS on the harmonisation of sampling procedures , disease surveillance , laboratory test for IHHNV virus in shrimp exports to China.
- On 08/10/2013 , in Ho Chi Minh City , DAH took the main responsibility and coordinated with the Regional for veterinary offices (RAHO) (laboratories), National center for veterinary diagnosis (NCVD) organised a conference on sampling procedures , diagnostic tests for aquatic diseases .

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b) Outcomes of disease surveillance:

+ RAHO VI received and tested a total of 186 samples, 95 samples were detected positive for IHHNV .

+ RAHO VII received and tested a total of 839 samples in which 362 samples were detected positive for IHHNV .

➔ The above samples were taken from 149 of the 115 pond farms , in farming areas of 04 provinces (Ca Mau , Bac Lieu, Ben Tre and TP . HCM)

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b) Outcomes of disease surveillance :

DAH sent NAFIQAD list of farms with negative laboratory test results for IHHNV .

➔ DAH has developed and will complete for submitting approval by the MARD the National Plan to monitor the important diseases in shrimp (including: White spot disease , AHPND, IHHNV, MBV (monodon slow growth) and Taura virus diseases) .

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c) Difficulties in disease surveillance as Chinese requirements.

- Active surveillance for IHHNV on shrimp diseases of most localities in Vietnam do not recently meet the requirements for monitoring of disease (due to funds? Infrastructure ? few Samples?)
- Enterprises do not comply with current regulations in the reporting and monitoring of aquatic animal diseases .

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3. The plan for reception of the Chinese Auditing team next period

- a) NAFIQAD responsibilities**
- b) DAH responsibilities**
- c) Responsibilities of enterprise in Vietnam**

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***The follow-up actions:**

- Promptly complete the procedures concerning to requests of China
- Development of surveillance program needs as Chinese requirements to be exchanged and harmonised among exporting enterprises because of high cost
- DAH will develop a surveillance program, propose funding from national budget, receiving source from fee of DAH, and provincial sub DAH to support the implementation of surveillance program. Besides the additional researches of international regulations on rights and obligations of OIE members in international trade

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Thanks for your listening!

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