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Re: Lifting the import suspension of poultry meat etc. from Turkey

Dear Dr Osman ÇAKIR,

Thank you for providing us with the relevant information on the control measures against the avian influenza outbreaks in Turkey.

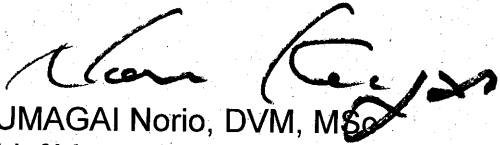
I am hereby pleased to inform you that the import suspension of meat and egg products derived from poultry (chicken, quail, ostrich, turkey, pheasant, guinea fowl and birds classified into anseriformes order) from Turkey has been lifted as of 5 October 2023, as a result of the assessment of the information provided.

Therefore, following commodities from Turkey have become eligible to be exported to Japan.

- a) Poultry meat derived from poultry slaughtered on and after 5 October 2023, and their products
- b) Eggs laid on and after 5 October 2023, and their products

Thank you for your cooperation on this matter.

Sincerely yours,


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