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## **FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE: UPDATE THURSDAY 27 SEPTEMBER, 7.00PM.**

Here is the latest information on the foot and mouth disease outbreak in GB.

### **Disease Situation**

There are still seven infected premises, the last of which was confirmed on Monday.

The 3 km Temporary Control Zone established near Windsor, Berkshire has been lifted.

### **Licencing Update**

On veterinary advice, the Scottish Ministers are allowing two further relaxations of the movement regime, with effect from 00.01 hrs on 28 September.

Three drop-offs (two intermediate and one final destination, making three in total) will now be allowed in the licence for animals moving from the Scottish Islands to premises on the mainland.

The general licence for movement of animals to slaughter is also being relaxed to allow three pickups of animals en route to a single slaughterhouse or collecting centre, rather than the single pickup (direct) movement which has been required up to now.

For details of movements allowed please see [www.scotland.gov.uk/footandmouth/licences](http://www.scotland.gov.uk/footandmouth/licences)

### **Next Update**

Friday 28 September

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