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Subject:

African swine fever in Estonia – one outbreak in a farm and three wild

boar found dead located respectively in Parts III and II of the Annex to

Commission Implementing Decision 2014/709/EU

Message:

Please find attached information from the Estonian authorities regarding the confirmation of African swine fever (ASF) in one farm located in Viljandi county, Tarvastu parish. In addition, ASF was also confirmed in three dead wild boar that were found in Parnu county, Saarde parish.

Measures in line with Council Directive 2002/60/EC are being implemented. The protection and surveillance zones have already been established around the outbreak and are shown in the attached maps.

Please note that this farm is located in the restricted area listed in Part III of the Annex to Commission Implementing Decision 2014/709/EU. The dead wild boar were, found in the restricted area listed in Part II of this same Annex.

I will keep you informed about further developments.

Yours faithfully

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