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Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza, All Subtypes, and Newcastle Disease; Additional Restrictions

Justification of Changes

4/10/2018

This ICR is being submitted as a nonsubstantive change to a currently approved information collection.

The currently approved **VS 16-25** (Application For Approval Or Report of Inspection Of Establishment Handling Restricted Animal Byproducts Or Controlled Materials) form and **VS 16-26** (Agreement For Handling Restricted Imports Of Animal Byproducts And Controlled Materials) form is being replaced by the **VS 16-29** (Approved Establishment Request And Agreement To Handle Restricted Animal Byproducts (Hunting Trophies & Museum Specimens)) form. APHIS is continuing to collect the same information, but has decided to consolidate the information into one form.

With this change APHIS has also created the **VS 16-28** (Approved Warehouse Request And Agreement To Handle Restricted Animal Byproducts (Hunting Trophies & Museum Specimens)), which also includes the same information being collected from the approved VS 16-25 and VS 16-26, but has decided to separate the approved establishment content from the approved warehouse content.

The conclusion of these changes will streamline the information being collected from the public for their intended purposes, as well as streamline the processing of the information.

Once approved, APHIS will discontinue the use of the VS 16-25 and VS 16-26 forms.