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QUARANTINE ORDER NO. 158
BOVINE TUBERCULOSIS QUARANTINE

ISLAND OF MOLOKAI

Under Authority of Hawaii Revised Statutes (HRS) §142-6, the State of Hawaii Department of Agriculture hereby places all domestic, feral, and wild ungulates on Molokai under quarantine for bovine tuberculosis (bovine TB). Outbreaks of bovine TB occurred in cattle and swine herds in Central Molokai and West Molokai in 2021 and 2022. In addition, bovine TB has been historically endemic in East Molokai Axis deer, feral swine, and mongoose, with intermittent outbreaks occurring in East Molokai cattle herds over the past 80 years. This quarantine is necessary to prevent the further spread of bovine tuberculosis.

During this period of quarantine, the following restrictions shall apply:

1. Excluding domestic equine, no live ungulates on the entire island of Molokai shall be moved between premises on the island of Molokai or off the island without the prior approval and a prior permit, "Permit to Ship", FORM DC-8, issued by the State Veterinarian.
2. Excluding domestic equine, no livestock or wild ungulates shall be allowed to enter Molokai without the prior approval and a prior permit, "Permit to Ship", FORM DC-8, issued by the State Veterinarian. Wild ungulates shall also comply with any state or federal requirements and prohibitions for importation and movement.

This quarantine order does not regulate the hunting of feral and wild deer, antelope, pigs, sheep, and goats on the island of Molokai.

This quarantine order does not prohibit the slaughter, harvest, sale, or transportation of meat from livestock, feral or wild deer, antelope, pigs, sheep, and goats from the island of Molokai.

Dated in Honolulu, Hawaii
This 8th day of April, 2022


ISAAC M. MAEDA D.V.M.
Administrator/State Veterinarian

Approved:


PHYLLIS SHIMABUKURO-GEISER
Chairperson, Board of Agriculture

