



Ref: CTO 2014 031 [1]

**Dog: Microchip Number Not Present on Rabies Titre Report**

**CTO direction to biosecurity inspectors for the clearance of one dog (Permit to Import Number: 2014052752)**

Pursuant to section 27(1)(d)(iii) of the Biosecurity Act 1993 I, Marnie Thomas, Manager Animal Imports, Ministry for Primary Industries (under delegated authority), give the following directions for one dog to be given clearance in accordance with the following measures, different from those in the applicable Import Health Standard for Cats and Dogs (CATDOG.GEN 2013):

Equivalence from clauses 16 and 18(e) of the IHS: The accession number (R0427571) on the Kansas State University (KSU) and IDEXX rabies titre laboratory reports link directly to the microchip number of the dog (981 020 009 284 028) on the IDEXX report and allow full traceability.

The reason for directing clearance is that the biosecurity risks associated with this CTO direction have been assessed and are managed effectively.

This direction takes effect from the date of signing and continues in effect until amended or revoked.