DISPOSITION OF EGGS FROM NON-QUARANTINED FLOCKS LOCATED WITHIN THE GENERAL QUARANTINE AREA SURROUNDING INFECTED FARMS

- All movement to and from the premises will be restricted. Transport of product and/or embargos must follow protocols that have been submitted to and approved by the DEM Division of Agriculture in advance.
- □ Eggs may not be moved until the flock has negative test results for Al.
- □ Eggs from non-quarantined flocks (flocks with no signs of AI and with negative test results) within the general quarantine area leaving the premise of origin <u>must</u> be accompanied by a permit for movement.
- A copy of negative test results from serology or virus detection testing (PCR or Virus Isolation), with the date of sample collection within 10 days prior to movement may be used as a permit.

The RI DEM Division of Agriculture reserves the right to amend the above mentioned requirements for Avian Influenza with the goal of any changes still being to prevent, contain and eliminate the disease. Changes to the general guidelines of the protocol may result from information including, but not limited to, virus strain, pathogenicity, morbidity and mortality, movement of birds and products, and additional epidemiological information obtained as a result of avian influenza investigations.