Draft Order laid before Parliament under section 73(2) of the Anti-terrorism, Crime and Security Act 2001, for approval by resolution of each House of Parliament.

DRAFT STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2007 No.

PREVENTION AND SUPPRESSION OF TERRORISM

The Schedule 5 to the Anti-terrorism, Crime and Security Act 2001 (Modification) Order 2007

Made - - - -

Coming into force - -

This Order is made in exercise of the powers conferred by section 58(2) of the Anti-terrorism, Crime and Security Act 2001(**1**).

The Secretary of State is satisfied that the pathogens and toxins which this Order will add to Schedule 5 to that Act could be used in an act of terrorism to endanger life or cause serious harm to human health.

A draft of this Order has been laid before, and approved by resolution of, each House of Parliament in accordance with section 73(2) of that Act.

Accordingly, the Secretary of State makes the following Order:

1. This Order may be cited as the Schedule 5 to the Anti-terrorism, Crime and Security Act 2001 (Modification) Order 2007 and shall come into force on the expiry of 14 days beginning with the day on which it was made.

2. Schedule 5 to the Anti-terrorism, Crime and Security Act 2001 (pathogens and toxins) is modified as follows.

3. In the list of viruses each of the following entries is added at the appropriate place in alphabetical order:

Dobrava/Belgrade virus

Everglades virus

Getah virus

Guanarito virus

Hendra virus (Equine morbillivirus)

(**1**) 2001 c.24.

Herpes simiae (B virus)

Influenza viruses (pandemic strains)

Kyasanur Forest virus

Louping ill virus

Mayaro virus

Middleburg virus

Mobala virus

Mucambo virus

Murray Valley encephalitis virus

Ndumu virus

Nipah virus

Omsk haemorrhagic fever virus

Polio virus

Powassan virus

Rabies virus

Rocio virus

Sabia virus

Sagiyama virus

Sin Nombre virus

St Louis encephalitis virus

West Nile fever virus.

4. In the list of rickettsiae—

(a) the entry in respect of Bartonella quintana (Rochalimea quintana, Rickettsia quintana) is omitted, and

(b) there is added at the end of the list the following entry—

Rickettsia typhi (mooseri).

5. In the list of bacteria each of the following entries is added at the appropriate place in alphabetical order:

Brucella canis

Clostridium perfringens

Enterohaemorrhagic Escherichia coli, serotype 0157 and verotoxin producing strains

Multiple-drug resistant Salmonella paratyphi

Mycobacterium tuberculosis

Salmonella paratyphi A, B, C

Shigella boydii

Shigella flexneri.

6. After the list of bacteria there is added the following list:

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Cladophialophora bantiana

Cryptococcus neoformans."