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FMD Vaccine Matching Strain Differentiation Report

Lab Reference WRL Batch Number:

Sender Details:

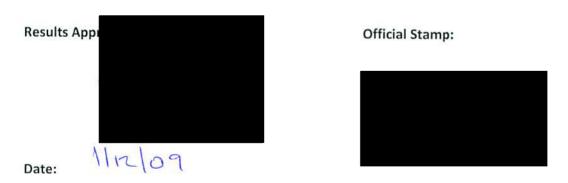
WRLFMD/2009/00039

Date Received: 31st July 2009 2009

Country of Origin: Botswana

Date Reported: 30th November 2009

Report no:	VNT			LPBE					
Vaccine:	VNT	Sat2 Eri	Sat2 Zim	ELISA	Sat2 Zim 7/83	Sat2 Zim 11/89	Sat2 Zam 3/81	Sat2 Bot 3/77	Sat2 Eritrea (Rea)
Sat2 Bot 6/2009	Mean	0.14	0.37	Mean	DNT	0.59	DNT	0.13	DNT



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Interpretation of Results

In the case of Virus Neutralisation Test (VNT):

- $r_1 = \ge 0.3$. Suggests that there is a close relationship between field isolate and vaccine strain. A potent vaccine containing the vaccine strain is likely to confer protection.
- r_1 = < 0.3. Suggests that the field isolate is so different from the vaccine strain that the vaccine is unlikely to protect

In the case of Liquid Phase Blocking Elisa (LPBE):

- r_1 = 0.4-1.0. Suggests that there is a close relationship between field isolate and vaccine strain. A potent vaccine containing the vaccine strain is likely to confer protection.
- r_1 = 0.2-0.39, Suggests that the field isolate is antigenically related to the vaccine strain. The vaccine strain might be suitable for use if no closer match can be found provided that a potent vaccine is used and animals are preferably immunised more than once.
- r_1 = <0.2. Suggests that the field isolate is so different from the vaccine strain that the vaccine is unlikely to protect.