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National Agriculture Quarantine & Inspection Authority Act 1997

**VARIATION OF PROHIBITION AND RESTRICTIONS OF IMPORTATION OF ALL UNCOOKED
POULTRY PRODUCTS FROM AUSTRALIA AND LIFTING OF BAN**

I, Hon. Assik Tommy Tomscoll, MP, Minister for Agriculture and Livestock, by virtue of the powers conferred to me by Section 32(g) of the *National Quarantine Inspections Authority (NAQIA) Act 1997* of the prohibition and restriction of the importation of all uncooked Poultry Products from Australia until such time a dialog and protocols are established with PNG and the Australia Department of Agriculture, and the variation via Gazettal No. 824 dated 17th December, 2015 and the further variation via Gazettal No.43 dated 2nd February, 2016 that requires importers to meet New Biosecurity standards are all lifted to allow imports of poultry products including eggs from New Zealand, Australia, Singapore, Malaysia, Thailand, Philippines, Vietnam and China and the subject importation country visits.

Dated this 14th day of June, 2017.

T. TOMSCOLL,
Minister for Agriculture and Livestock.