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Livestock Zimbabwe Update: 5th February 2021

OVERVIEW

The Honourable Minister of Lands, Agriculture, Fisheries, Water and Rural Resettlement, Dr Anxious Masuka, met with stakeholders of the Zimbabwe Fish Producers Association (ZFPA) on 2nd February to discuss the map the way forward of the newly established of the Department of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources. ZFPA are excited about this development and look forward to supporting the institutionalisation of the Department.

The Livestock and Meat Advisory Council and it allied Associations congratulates Dr Jairus Machakwa on his appointment as Director, Veterinary Field Services, with effect from January 2021.

Zimbabwe Herd Book

The Tuli Cattle Society have been working with similar societies in the SADC region to establish the Tuli Cattle Society of Southern Africa. The draft constitution has been drawn up for review and comment before being formally adopted. This is a welcome initiative which will firmly position the Tuli as a breed of choice for indigenous, well-adapted genetics.

Zimbabwe Commercial Rabbit Breeders Association

ZiCORBA has launched a monthly e-newsletter called "Bunny World", which gives an overview of the state of the rabbit industry in Zimbabwe. In the first issue of the newsletter, the Association outlines steps being taken to address challenges facing the rabbit industry in Zimbabwe.

ZiCORBA members are set to benefit from 160 pure bred rabbits that were recently imported into the country from South Africa. Of these, a total of 120 does (female rabbits) are expected to produce more than 1,000 off-spring which will be given to members to improve their breeds.

The President of the Association, Regis Nyamakanga, has been appointed to the Board of Governors of the Livestock and Meat Advisory Council.



LIT
Livestock Identification Trust



MPAZ
Meat Processors
Association
of Zimbabwe



PPAZ
FISH PRODUCERS' ASSOCIATION OF ZIMBABWE



SMA
Stockfeed Manufacturers Association



Zimbabwe
Association
of
Abattoirs



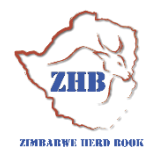
ZIMBABWE ASSOCIATION OF DAIRY FARMERS
ZADF



ZFPA
Zimbabwe
Fish Producers
Association



ZIMBABWE FREE RANGE
POULTRY ASSOCIATION



ZHB
ZIMBABWE HERD BOOK



ZPA



ZQAP
Zimbabwe Quality Assured Pork

Livestock Diary: February 2021

Wednesday 17th Council Meeting of the Zimbabwe Poultry Association
Friday 19th Open Meeting of the Zimbabwe Fish Producers Association
Tuesday 23rd Open Meeting of the Pig Producers Association of Zimbabwe
Thursday 25th Open Meeting of the Zimbabwe Association of Abattoirs

Enclosures

- Issue No 1 of "Bunny World", e-newsletter of the Zimbabwe Commercial Rabbit Breeders Association