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**SUBJECT:** Expiration Date Extension for Erysipelothrix Rhusiopathiae Standard Reference Bacterin, IRP 529(05)

**I. PURPOSE**

The purpose of this document is to notify veterinary biologics manufacturers that the expiration date of Erysipelothrix Rhusiopathiae Standard Reference Bacterin, IRP 529(05) has been extended to April 30, 2013.

**II. BACKGROUND**

On June 26, 2008, CVB Notice 08-11 was published. That Notice announced the reinstatement of a new standard reference bacterin designated IRP 529(05) with a starting dilution of 1:3 (i.e. 1:3 dilution of the supplied material is considered undiluted for the purpose of calculation) and an expiration date of April 2, 2011.

**III. ACTION**

The use of Erysipelothrix Rhusiopathiae Standard Reference Bacterin, IRP 529(05) is extended with the publication of this Notice and continues as the current reference bacterin for conducting testing in accordance with Title 9, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 113.119 with an expiration date of April 30, 2013.

**IV. IMPLEMENTATION/ APPLICATION**

The Erysipelothrix Rhusiopathiae Standard Reference Bacterin, IRP 529(05), extension of the dating is effective immediately.



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