

An overview of PVS engagement: South Africa

1ST OIE PVS PATHWAY ORIENTATION TRAINING WORKSHOP
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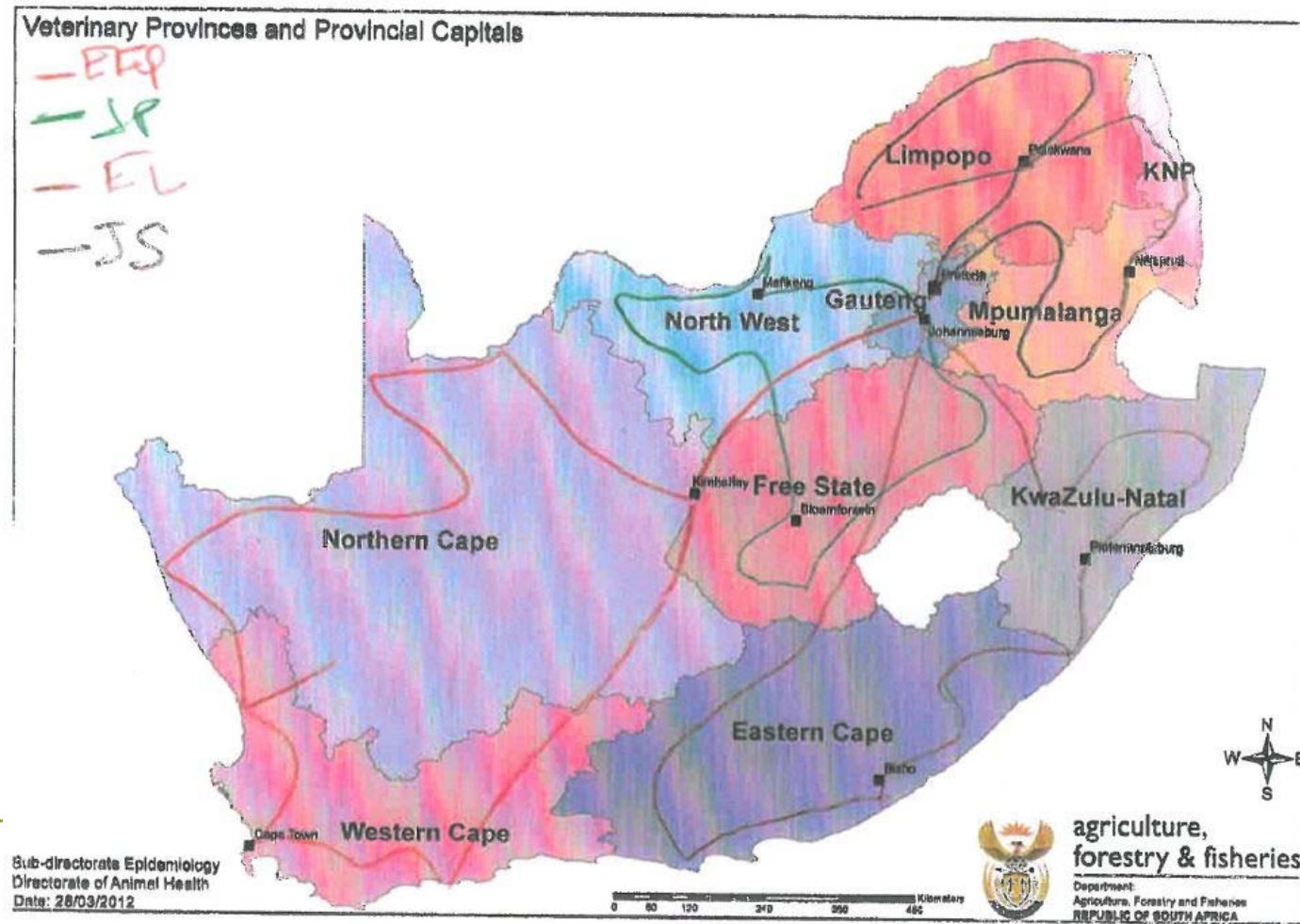


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The OIE PVS of South Africa

- The PVS was conducted on the 1st to 19th October 2012
- The PVS was endorsed by the Parliamentary Portfolio Committee on Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries.



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Outcomes of the PVS evaluation

Item evaluated	Mean Score out of 5	Good	Areas to improve	Responsibility to improve
Human, Physical & financial resources	3.643	Staffing and competency of staff	Chain of command	Other
Technical authority and capability	3.412	Laboratories	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Vet medicine control Disease prevention and control. Animal identification 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Other DAFF and other DAFF and other



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Interaction with interested parties	3.571	Communication	Participation of procedures in joint programs	DAFF and Other
Access to markets	4.5	Zoning Certification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Implementation of legislation and regulations 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> DAFF and other



Outcome of the PVS evaluation – Important facts that have to be noted

- The responsibility of a Veterinary Services is not only the mandate of DAFF.
- An independent PVS audit provided:
 - A clear motivation for all stakeholders to work together to improve Veterinary Services
 - Provided an unbiased input to political principals on resource needs of Veterinary Services
 - Provided trade partners with information on the efficiency of the RSA export system of animals and animal products



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OIE GAP analysis of South Africa

- The GAP analysis took place from 16 to 27 June 2014
- This provided more detailed information on the aspects that were evaluated during the PVS evaluation.
- Veterinary Services were included in a combined evaluation (WHO/OIE/FAO) of the International Health Regulations core capacities of South Africa.



ACTIONS TAKEN AFTER THE PVS AND GAP ANALYSIS

- A Veterinary Strategy was developed and signed off in 2017.
- The aim of this strategy is:
 - To provide a science based, socially responsive and coherent veterinary services, that manages disease risks associated with animals, their products while ensuring the welfare of animals and securing food safety for the consumers
- All role-players were consulted and involved in the drafting of the Veterinary Strategy



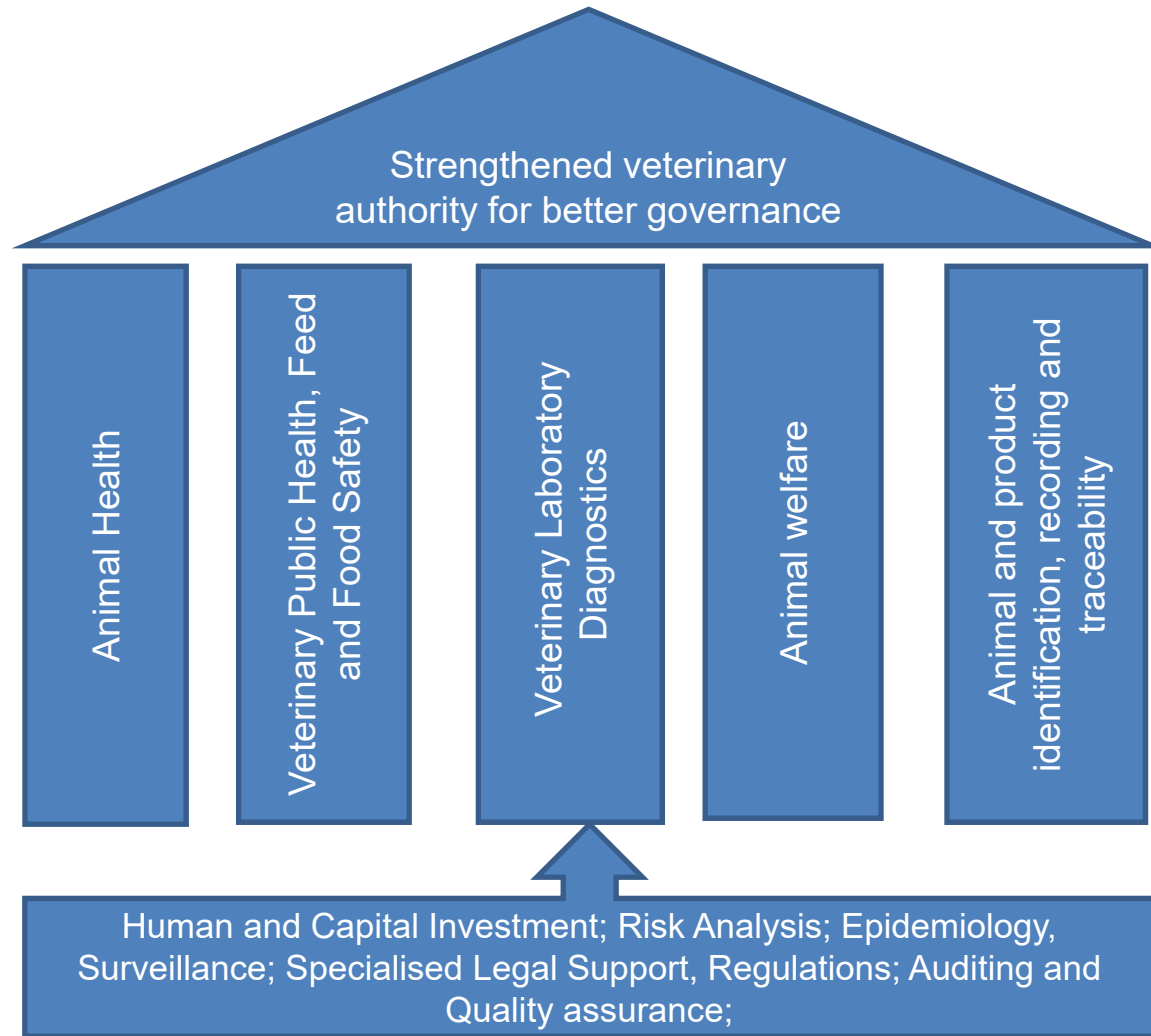
CONSULTATIONS

Consultations were held with stakeholders to receive inputs on the veterinary strategy

Dates	Provinces
18-22 January 2016	Gauteng
9-11 February 2016	Free State North West KwaZulu-Natal
16-18 February 2016	Western Cape Northern Cape Eastern Cape
7-9 March 2016	Limpopo Mpumalanga



PILLARS of The Veterinary Strategy



Tangible Impact

- Collaboration with Stakeholders
 - Fence maintenance
 - Trade facilitation
 - Independent Meat Inspection
- Working relationship with Private Veterinarians
 - Brucella control
 - Disease reporting
 - Animal identification
 - Authorisation of Private Vets
- Collaboration with other Departments
 - One Health



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