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OIE Delegate

Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for submitting the Kudu sample from the Motopi area of Botswana. The serological tests have now been completed and our results are shown below. We have also carried out RT-PCR examination of the sample with negative results for FMDV RNA.

Test Results of 1 Kudu samples received from Botswana on 25th January 2003

Your Reference	WRL Reference	Description of Sample	Serotyping Result by ELISA	Remarks
Matsiloje location Motopi area	BOT 20/2003	Kudu	NVD***	Negative after two passages in both BTY* and IB-RS-2** cells

* BTY: Primary bovine thyroid cells
** IB-RS-2: Continuous pig kidney cell line
*** NVD: No virus detected

Yours sincerely

[REDACTED]
Head: World Reference Laboratory for FMD

Cc: [REDACTED]