

Institute of Veterinary, Animal and Biomedical Sciences

PATHOLOGY REPORT

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Department of Conservation
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St Arnaud

Species: Avian-WL (1)	Sex: Female	Age: Adult	Breed: Kea
ID: LN-1076 CEEJAY	At Risk:	Affected:	Dead: 1
Owner: Department of Conservation		Prev. Accn.:	Type: Post Mortem

HISTORY

Possible exposure to 1080- transmitter indicates the bird died 06/12/2014, found 23/12/2014 The bird was frozen over the Christmas period.

GROSS FINDINGS

The bird weighed 870 grams and was in good body condition.
The internal organs were in a fairly advanced state of decomposition.
The gizzard contained a moderate amount of seed-like material and the koilin was stained bright green.
No other abnormalities were noted on gross postmortem.

CLINICAL PATHOLOGY

Muscle 1080 level and liver lead level pending.

PROVISIONAL DIAGNOSIS

Possible 1080 exposure

COMMENTS

This bird was in good body condition and there were no signs of external trauma. The lining of the stomach was bright green which could indicate the presence of the dyed 1080 bait.
Muscle 1080 level and liver lead level are pending.

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