



## World Veterinary Poultry Association

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Dear colleagues and friends,

The 16<sup>th</sup> Congress of the World Veterinary Poultry Association, to be held in Marrakesh Morocco, previously announced for September 2009, will now be held during the dates **8-12 NOVEMBER 2009**.

This change of dates was being made on the specific request of the Local Organizing Committee of the Moroccan Branch due to an unexpected problem related to the world financial crises and the availability of the convention centre.

The WVPA deeply regrets having to announce that such a change of arrangements was necessary, and apologises in advance for any inconvenience this postponing of the Congress might cause to any Member.

On behalf of the Local Organizing Committee and Executive Board of the WVPA, I assure you that all of us are working very hard to organise a successful Congress in Marrakesh, Morocco.

Thank you for your understanding.

Please inform all members of your national branch and all those people who might be interested in attending the Congress. The Congress homepage ([www.wvpc2009.org](http://www.wvpc2009.org)) gives all necessary information.

I am looking forward to meeting you in November.

Sincerely yours,  
Prof. Dr. H. M. Hafez  
President of WVPA