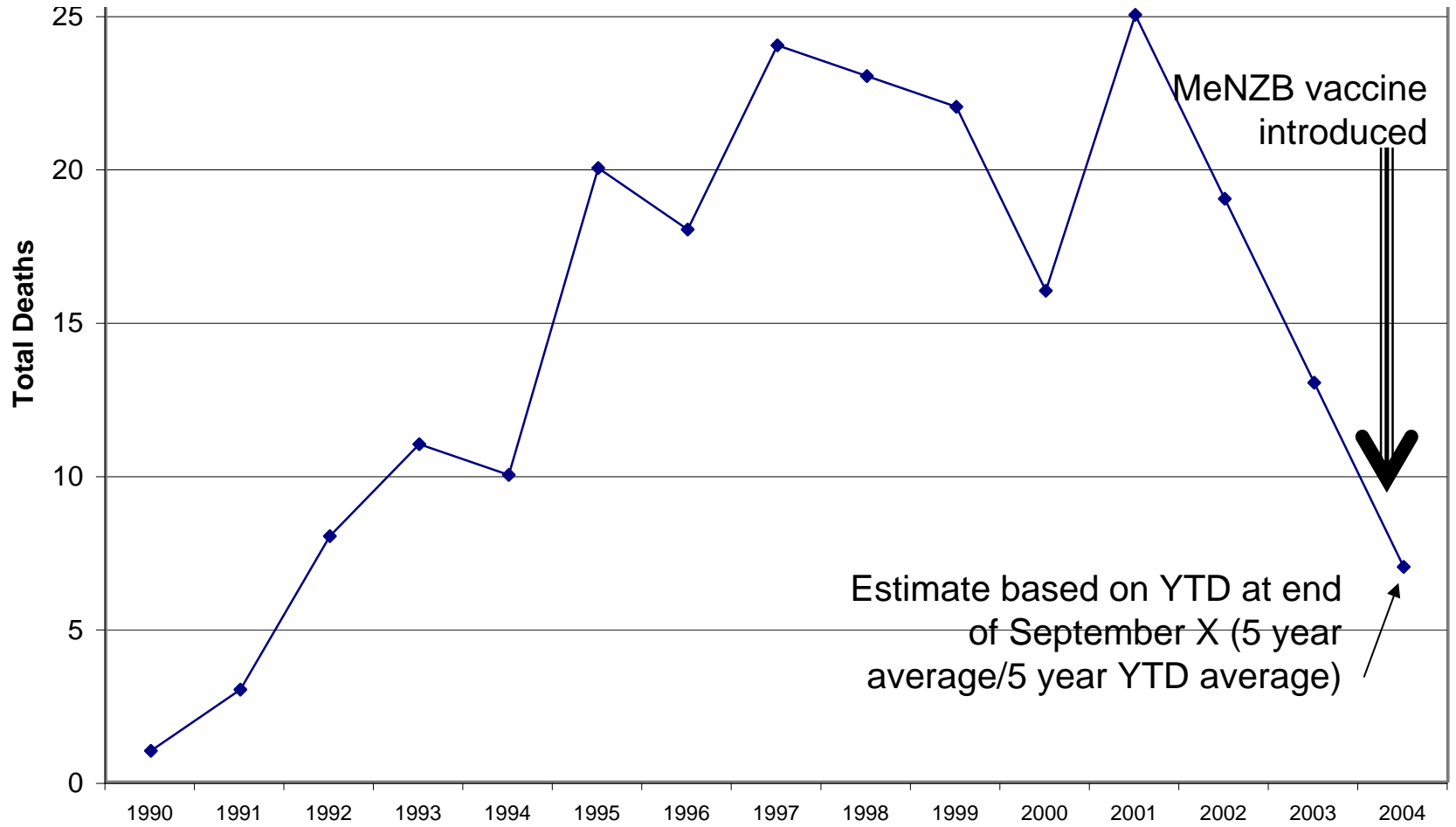


"There is no evidence of the Meningococcal Disease Epidemic Abating!!!!!!!!!!!!!!"

The Honorable Annette King 7 July 2004

Note: These are totals: Deaths due to the MeNZB strain totalled 5 (38% of total) in 2003!!!!

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Source: Ministry of Health/ESR v



Estimate based on YTD at end
of September X (5 year
average/5 year YTD average)