CHAPTER 3

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY IMPORTATION

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Chapter 3, Livestock and Poultry Importation, was readopted as R.2010 d.074, effective April 23, 2010. See: Source and Effective Date.

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SUBCHAPTER 1. GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

2:3-1.1 Definitions

(a) The following words and terms, as used in this chapter, shall have the following meanings. Words of art undefined in the following paragraphs shall have the meaning attributed to them by trade usage or general usage as reflected by definition in a standard dictionary, such as Webster's.

"Approved livestock facility" shall mean a facility as described in 9 C.F.R. Part 71.20.

"Custom slaughter operation" shall mean a slaughtering operation as described in 9 C.F.R. Part 303.1.

"Department" shall mean the New Jersey Department of Agriculture. For purposes of actions authorized by these rules, the Department may act through the State Veterinarian.

"Move directly," when related to hatching eggs and poultry less than seven days of age, means move into New Jersey without any stops, or move to a National Poultry Improvement Plan (NPIP) U.S. H5/H7 Avian Influenza Clean National Plan Hatchery or an NPIP U.S. Avian Influenza Clean National Plan Hatchery and then move into New Jersey without any other stops; and when related to all other poultry, means move into New Jersey without any stops or move to a New Jersey registered poultry distributor and then move into New Jersey without any other stops.

"Recognized slaughtering establishment" shall mean a slaughtering establishment operating under the provisions of the Federal Meat Inspection Act (21 U.S.C. §§ 601 et seq.) and the Poultry Products Inspection Act (21 U.S.C. §§ 451 et seq.).

"State Veterinarian" means Director, Division of Animal Health, New Jersey Department of Agriculture.

"Waybill" shall mean a document setting forth:

- 1. The name and address of the origin of the livestock or poultry imported for slaughter;
- 2. The type and quantity of such livestock or poultry being moved;
- 3. The name and address of the establishment to which such livestock or poultry are being moved; and
- 4. The date of the movement of such livestock or poultry into the establishment.
- (b) Whenever, in describing or referring to any person, party, matter or thing, any word importing the singular number or masculine gender is used, the same shall be understood to include and to apply to several persons or parties as well as to one person or party and to females as well as males, and to bodies corporate as well as individuals, and to several matters and things as well as one matter or thing.

New Rule, R.2005 d.37, effective January 18, 2005.

See: 36 N.J.R. 4285(a), 37 N.J.R. 256(a).

Former N.J.A.C. 2:3-1.1, Interstate health certificate to accompany animals entering State, recodified to N.J.A.C. 2:3-1.2.

Emergency amendment, R.2015 d.117, effective June 26, 2015 (to expire August 25, 2015).

See: 47 N.J.R. 1878(a).

In (a), added definition "Move directly".

2:3-1.2 Interstate health certificate to accompany animals entering State

All livestock and poultry moved into New Jersey, except for slaughter, shall be accompanied by an official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection approved by the livestock disease control agency of the state of origin. A Poultry Inspection Certificate conforming with the requirements of N.J.A.C. 2:9-1.3 may be used for poultry being transported directly to live bird markets and auction markets in lieu of the Certificate of Veterinary Inspection. A Veterinary Services (VS) Form 9-3 may be used for poultry in lieu of the Certificate of Veterinary Inspection.

As amended, R.1978 d.402, eff. November 21, 1978.

See: 10 N.J.R. 416(a), 11 N.J.R. 2(b).

Amended by R.1989 d.455, effective August 21, 1989.

See: 21 N.J.R. 1477(a), 21 N.J.R. 2470(a).

Reference to Certificate of Veterinary Inspection and to NPIP Form 3-B, added.

Amended by R.2001 d.283, effective August 20, 2001.

See: 33 N.J.R. 1886(a), 33 N.J.R. 2806(a).

Inserted sentence following first sentence, substituted "9-2" for "3-8" and inserted "other than live poultry markets" in last sentence.

Recodified from N.J.A.C. 2:3-1.1 and amended by R.2005 d.37, effective January 18, 2005.

See: 36 N.J.R. 4285(a), 37 N.J.R. 256(a).

Rewrote the section. Former N.J.A.C. 2:3-1.2, Contents of Certificate of Veterinary Inspection, recodified to N.J.A.C. 2:3-1.4.

2:3-1.3 Livestock and poultry for slaughter

- (a) No livestock or poultry shall be imported into New Jersey for slaughter except in accordance with both the general requirements set forth in (a)1 through 5 below, and the specific requirements contained in N.J.A.C. 2:3-2 through 11 for each specific class of animal.
 - 1. The livestock or poultry imported for slaughter shall be accompanied by a waybill;
 - 2. The livestock or poultry imported for slaughter shall be transported directly to an approved livestock facility, custom slaughter operation, recognized slaughtering establishment or to a private residence for the purpose of slaughter;
 - 3. The livestock or poultry imported for slaughter shall be slaughtered within 10 days of arrival in the State of New Jersey;
 - 4. All approved livestock facilities, custom slaughter operations, recognized slaughtering establishments, and private residences as described in (b)2 above shall maintain all waybills for a period of six months and must present such waybills upon demand by the State Veterinarian or

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other employee or agent of the New Jersey Department of Agriculture, Division of Animal Health; and

- 5. Livestock and poultry for slaughter shall not be used or sold for any other purpose than slaughter, except that livestock and poultry for slaughter may be sold to custom slaughter operations.
 - i. Livestock or poultry for slaughter owned by a custom slaughter operation may be sold, provided that those livestock or poultry sold by the custom slaughter operation are slaughtered before leaving the premises.

New Rule, R.2005 d.37, effective January 18, 2005. See: 36 N.J.R. 4285(a), 37 N.J.R. 256(a).

Former N.J.A.C. 2:3-1.3, Copy of Certificate of Veterinary Inspection to New Jersey Department of Agriculture, recodified to N.J.A.C. 2:3-1.5.

2:3-1.4 Contents of Certificate of Veterinary Inspection

- (a) The official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection shall indicate that the livestock or poultry designated thereon comply with all requirements for entry into New Jersey.
- (b) The official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection shall include a legible report of the following:
 - 1. Complete name and address of consignor;
 - 2. Origin of the livestock;
 - 3. Complete name and address of consignee;
 - 4. Destination of the livestock;
 - 5. Description of the livestock which shall include: species, breed, sex, and age of animals. Where applicable, the description shall include the following:
 - i. Cattle and swine shall be identified by ear tag, tattoo or registration name and number or other identification as approved by the State Veterinarian.
 - ii. Horses shall be identified by physical description, tattoo or brand, or microchip, or other identification as approved by the State Veterinarian.
 - iii. The Department hereby adopts and incorporates by reference the identification method for sheep and goats described in the "Scrapie Eradication State-Federal Industry Uniform Methods and Rules" (United States Department of Agriculture, 2003, APHIS 91-55-066), as amended and supplemented. Copies of this document may be procured online at http://www.aphis.usda.gov/oa/pubs/umr.html. A copy of this document is on file in the State Veterinarian's Office, Division of Animal Health, New Jersey Department of Agriculture, Health and Agriculture Building, John Fitch Plaza, Trenton, New Jersey 08625.
 - 6. A statement that the examining veterinarian personally inspected the animals described and found them free from visible symptoms of infectious, contagious

and/or communicable disease or known exposure thereto within 30 days of shipment;

- 7. Results from all required tests, or a statement of exemption from required testing and reason for exemption, for each specific class of livestock shall be recorded on the Certificate of Veterinary Inspection; and
- Additional information as required for each specific class of livestock or poultry.

As amended, R.1978 d.402, eff. November 21, 1978.

See: 10 N.J.R. 416(a), 11 N.J.R. 2(b).

Amended by R.1989 d.455, effective August 21, 1989.

See: 21 N.J.R. 1477(a), 21 N.J.R. 2470(a).

Certificate of Veterinary Inspection replaced interstate health certificate, at (b)5 method of identifying horses added and at (b)6 ... "not showing signs ..." added.

Recodified from N.J.A.C. 2:3-1.2 and amended by R.2005 d.37, effective January 18, 2005.

See: 36 N.J.R. 4285(a), 37 N.J.R. 256(a).

In (b), rewrote 5, added a new 7, recodified former 7 as 8. Former N.J.A.C. 2:3-1.4, Expiration date of Certificates of Veterinary Inspection, recodified to N.J.A.C. 2:3-1.6.

2:3-1.5 Copy of Certificate of Veterinary Inspection to New Jersey Department of Agriculture

A copy of the official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection shall be mailed within 10 days of movement by the approving agency to the New Jersey Department of Agriculture, Division of Animal Health, PO Box 330, Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0330.

Amended by R.1989 d.455, effective August 21, 1989.

See: 21 N.J.R. 1477(a), 21 N.J.R. 2470(a).

Certificate of Veterinary Inspection replaced interstate health certificate.

Recodified from N.J.A.C. 2:3-1.3 and amended by R.2005 d.37, effective January 18, 2005.

See: 36 N.J.R. 4285(a), 37 N.J.R. 256(a).

Substituted "within 10 days of movement" for "promptly" following "shall be mailed". Former N.J.A.C. 2:3-1.5, Quarantine of livestock and poultry entering State, recodified to N.J.A.C. 2:3-1.7.

2:3-1.6 Expiration date of Certificates of Veterinary Inspection

Official Certificates of Veterinary Inspection shall be void 30 days after issuance.

Amended by R.1989 d.455, effective August 21, 1989.

See: 21 N.J.R. 1477(a), 21 N.J.R. 2470(a).

Rule formerly at this cite was entitled "Notification of Department on receipt of livestock" repealed; current rule recodified from N.J.A.C. 2:3-1.5 and Certificate of Veterinary Inspection replaced interstate health certificate.

Recodified from N.J.A.C. 2:3-1.4 by R.2005 d.37, effective January 18, 2005.

See: 36 N.J.R. 4285(a), 37 N.J.R. 256(a).

Former N.J.A.C. 2:3-1.6, Importing diseased livestock and poultry, recodified to N.J.A.C. 2:3-1.8.

2:3-1.7 Quarantine of livestock and poultry entering State

(a) All livestock and poultry entering the State are subject to quarantine by the New Jersey Department of Agriculture.

- 1. Actions taken by the New Jersey Department of Agriculture as part of a quarantine in accordance with (a) above, may include, but shall not be limited to:
 - A directive prohibiting movement of livestock or poultry into or out of a quarantine area;
 - A directive requiring diagnostic tests and procedures to confirm that the livestock or poultry are no longer affected by infectious, contagious, and/or communicable disease and that the premises are decontaminated and that the premises shall remain under quarantine until such confirmation is received; and/or
 - iii. Department oversight of the cleaning, disinfection, and/or disposal of any premises, vehicles, protective clothing or equipment that may have been contaminated due to an outbreak of infectious, contagious and/or communicable disease.

Amended by R.1989 d.455, effective August 21, 1989.

See: 21 N.J.R. 1477(a), 21 N.J.R. 2470(a).

Recodified from N.J.A.C. 2:3-1.6, slight language change.

Recodified from N.J.A.C. 2:3-1.5 and amended by R.2005 d.37, effective January 18, 2005.

See: 36 N.J.R. 4285(a), 37 N.J.R. 256(a).

Rewrote the section. Former N.J.A.C. 2:3-1.7, Prior import permits, recodified to N.J.A.C. 2:3-1.9.

Importing diseased livestock and poultry 2:3-1.8

Livestock and poultry from herds or flocks under quarantine because of any infectious, contagious and/or communicable disease, or livestock or poultry currently classified as suspect because of any infectious, contagious and/or communicable disease shall not be imported into the State.

Recodified from N.J.A.C. 2:3-1.6 and amended by R.2005 d.37, effective January 18, 2005.

See: 36 N.J.R. 4285(a), 37 N.J.R. 256(a).

Former N.J.A.C. 2:3-1.8, Procedure on failure to meet importation requirements, recodified to N.J.A.C. 2:3-1.10.

2:3-1.9 **Prior import permits**

Permits required for entry for a specific class of livestock pursuant to N.J.A.C. 2:3-2.7(b), 3.4(d) or 7.4(a), may be obtained by the consignee from the State Veterinarian, Division of Animal Health, New Jersey Department of Agriculture, PO Box 330, Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0330, telephone number 609-671-6400, or e-mail state.veterinarian@ag.state.nj.us.

R.1983 d.445, effective October 17, 1983.

See: 15 N.J.R. 1290(a), 15 N.J.R. 1754(b).

Recodified from N.J.A.C. 2:3-1.8, effective August 21, 1989.

See: 21 N.J.R. 1477(a), 21 N.J.R. 2470(a).

Recodified from N.J.A.C. 2:3-1.7 and amended by R.2005 d. 37, effective January 18, 2005.

See: 36 N.J.R. 4285(a), 37 N.J.R. 256(a).

Rewrote the section.

Emergency amendment, R.2015 d.117, effective June 26, 2015 (to expire August 25, 2015).

See: 47 N.J.R. 1878(a).

Substituted "671-6400" for "292-3965".

2:3-1.10 Procedure on failure to meet importation requirements

- (a) Livestock and poultry not meeting the requirements of this subchapter shall be refused entry into the State, or if already in the State, shall remain under quarantine until the livestock or poultry is either:
 - Slaughtered;
 - 2. Tested upon epidemiologic evaluation and risk determination and released;
 - 3. Returned to the State or country of origin; or
 - 4. Disposed of in accordance with the decision of the New Jersey Department of Agriculture.

Recodified from N.J.A.C. 2:3-1.8 and amended by R.2005 d.37, effective January 18, 2005.

See: 36 N.J.R. 4285(a), 37 N.J.R. 256(a).

Rewrote the section.

2:3-1.11 Exceptions

The State Veterinarian may grant a request to waive the requirements of any part of this Chapter. Such waivers must be requested in writing. The State Veterinarian shall grant waivers only in writing and upon epidemiological evaluation and risk determination.

New Rule, R.2005 d.37, effective January 18, 2005. See: 36 N.J.R. 4285(a), 37 N.J.R. 256(a).

SUBCHAPTER 2. CATTLE IMPORTATION

Compliance with subchapter and importation 2:3-2.1 requirements

In addition to the general requirements for importation, set forth at N.J.A.C. 2:3-1.1 through 1.6, all cattle moved into New Jersey shall meet the specific requirements of this subchapter.

Amended by R.2005 d.37, effective January 18, 2005.

See: 36 N.J.R. 4285(a), 37 N.J.R. 256(a).

Added N.J.A.C. reference, deleted "and bison" following "all cattle".

2:3-2.2 **Definitions**

- (a) As used in this subchapter, the Department hereby adopts and incorporates by reference definitions of the following words and terms, found in the Code of Federal Regulations, as amended and supplemented, unless the context clearly indicates otherwise:
- "Accredited-free state or zone" shall mean a state or zone as defined in 9 C.F.R. Part 77.5.
- "Accredited herd" shall mean a herd as defined in 9 C.F.R. Part 77.5.

- 2. "Avian Influenza" means both Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza (HPAI) as defined by the Office International des Epizooties (OIE) "Manual of Standards for Diagnostic Tests and Vaccines, 4th Edition, 2000," as amended and supplemented, which is herein adopted and incorporated by reference, or any Low Pathogenic Avian Influenza (LPAI) subtype H5 or H7 that falls outside the parameters of the definition for Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza.
 - i. A copy of this document may be procured online at www.oie.int/eng/publicat/en_standards.htm.
 - ii. A copy of this document is on file in the State Veterinarian's Office, Division of Animal Health, New Jersey Department of Agriculture, Health and Agriculture Building, John Fitch Plaza, Trenton, NJ 08625.
- 3. "Breeding flock" means a flock that is intended for the production of hatching eggs.
- 4. "Flock" means a group of poultry, held separately from other poultry, which have been housed together for at least 21 days, without any additional poultry being added to the flock during the 21-day period.
- 5. "Live poultry market" means a facility or operation which offers poultry for sale and on-site slaughter.
- 6. "Poultry" means chickens, turkeys, guineafowl, peafowl, quail, grouse, chukars, pheasant, ratites and waterfowl, regardless of age or gender, with the exception of doves and pigeons.
- 7. "Poultry distributor/dealer" means a business that trades poultry in the live poultry market system by acquiring poultry from auction markets, multiple flocks and/or multiple geographic areas.
- 8. "Poultry inspection certificate" means a document issued by a State agency based on negative Avian Influenza test results by an approved laboratory. The certificate shall include:
 - i. The full name and address of the origin of the poultry;
 - ii. The type and quantity of poultry being moved;
 - iii. The date of issue and expiration date of the certificate;
 - iv. The dates, results and lab accession number(s) of qualifying tests; and
 - v. A statement verifying that the identified poultry have been co-mingled for a minimum of 21 days and no poultry have been added to the flock during this 21-day period prior to testing in accordance with N.J.A.C. 2:3-7.4(e) 1 through 4.
- 9. "Poultry invoice" means a document issued by a poultry distributor/dealer. The invoice shall include:

- i. The full name and address of the poultry distributor/dealer;
 - ii. The type and quantity of poultry being moved;
 - iii. The date of movement;
- iv. Proof of negative avian influenza status consistent with N.J.A.C. 2:3-7.4(e)1 through 4; and
 - v. The name and address of the live poultry market.
- 10. "Poultry waste" shall include, but not be limited to, poultry offal, poultry manure, poultry litter or egg shells.

Emergency amendment, R.2004 d.119, effective February 23, 2004 (to expire April 23, 2004).

See: 36 N.J.R. 1608(a).

Codified section as (a) and added (b).

Adopted concurrent amendment, R.2004 d.197, effective April 23, 2004. See: 36 N.J.R. 1608(a), 36 N.J.R. 1751(a), 36 N.J.R. 2488(b).

Provisions of R.2004 d.119 adopted without change.

Recodified from N.J.A.C. 2:3-6.1 and amended by R.2005 d. 37, effective January 18, 2005.

See: 36 N.J.R. 4285(a), 37 N.J.R. 256(a).

Rewrote the section. Former N.J.A.C. 2:3-7.1, was repealed.

2:3-7.2 Pullorum testing

- (a) All poultry imported into New Jersey for breeding flock replacement shall originate from flocks classified as pullorum-typhoid clean under the National Poultry Improvement Plan, 9 C.F.R. Volume 1 (1-1-03 Edition), Part 145, as amended and supplemented, which is herein adopted and incorporated by reference.
- (b) A copy of the document referred to in (a) above may be obtained electronically at www.aphis.usda.gov/vs/npip/.
- (c) A copy of the document referred to in (a) above is on file in the State Veterinarian's Office, Division of Animal Health, New Jersey Department of Agriculture, Health and Agriculture Building, John Fitch Plaza, Trenton, NJ 08625.
- (d) All eggs imported for hatching shall originate from hatcheries or premises classified as pullorum-typhoid clean under the National Poultry Improvement Plan.

Recodified from N.J.A.C. 2:3-6.2 and amended by R.2005 d. 37, effective January 18, 2005.

See: 36 N.J.R. 4285(a), 37 N.J.R. 256(a).

Rewrote the section.

2:3-7.3 Salmonella enteriditis

(a) All poultry imported into the State for the purpose of producing eggs for human consumption and hatching eggs imported for the purpose of raising poultry that will produce eggs for human consumption shall meet the standards of the United States Salmonella Enteriditis Clean program and the United States Salmonella Enteriditis Clean program of the National Poultry Improvement Plan, 9 C.F.R. Volume 1 (1-1-03 Edition), Part 145, as amended and supplemented, which is herein adopted and incorporated by reference.

- (b) A copy of the document referred to in (a) above may be obtained electronically at www.aphis.usda.gov/vs/npip/.
- (c) A copy of the document referred to in (a) above is on file in the State Veterinarian's Office, Division of Animal Health, New Jersey Department of Agriculture, Health and Agriculture Building, John Fitch Plaza, Trenton, NJ 08625.

Recodified from N.J.A.C. 2:3-6.3 and amended by R.2005 d. 37, effective January 18, 2005.

See: 36 N.J.R. 4285(a), 37 N.J.R. 256(a).

Rewrote the section.

2:3-7.4 Avian influenza

- (a) No poultry waste originating from those areas, counties or states affected by Avian Influenza, as designated by the New Jersey Department of Agriculture, United States Department of Agriculture, or other state Departments of Agriculture, shall be imported into New Jersey for any purposes unless approved and provided a permit by the State Veterinarian.
- (b) No poultry, or hatching eggs originating from a state, territory, or country where Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza (HPAI) has been detected, shall be imported into New Jersey for live bird markets unless:
 - 1. The poultry or hatching eggs are approved and provided a permit by the State Veterinarian; and
 - 2. The poultry or hatching eggs meet testing requirements as follows:
 - i. All poultry shall originate and move directly from an established flock in which a minimum of 30 birds, seven days of age and older, were tested negative for Avian Influenza using real-time reverse-transcriptase polymerase chain reaction (rRT-PCR). If the flock contains less than 30 birds, all birds from within the flock must be tested.
 - (1) rRT-PCR testing is accepted for all gallinaceous poultry and domestic ducks. The date of sample collection must be within 72 hours prior to the date of entry into New Jersey and the shipment must be accompanied by a copy of the finalized laboratory report indicating that the poultry tested negative for Avian Influenza.
 - (2) Only virus isolation testing is accepted for movement of waterfowl, other than domestic ducks, into the State of New Jersey. Negative Avian Influenza virus isolation results are not expected within 72 hours of sample collection date; therefore, prior approval for movement of waterfowl other than domestic ducks must be obtained from the New Jersey State Veterinarian.
 - ii. All hatching eggs and poultry less than seven days of age shall originate and move directly from an

- established flock that meets the testing requirements of (b)2i above.
- (c) Poultry or hatching eggs that are not subject to (b) above shall be imported into the State from any area outside New Jersey only if:
 - 1. The poultry or hatching eggs are accompanied by a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection which states that the poultry or hatching eggs:
 - i. Originate and are moving directly from an established flock that participates in the National Poultry Improvement Plan (NPIP) U.S. Avian Influenza Clean program or NPIP U.S. H5/H7 Avian Influenza Clean or Monitored program;
 - ii. Originate and are moving directly from a test negative Avian Influenza monitored flock; or
 - iii. Originate and are moving directly from a test negative Avian Influenza tested flock;
 - 2. The poultry are accompanied by a Poultry Inspection Certificate for movement within the live bird marketing system; or
 - 3. The poultry or hatching eggs are accompanied by a Veterinary Services (VS) Form 9-3 for movement directly from an established flock that participates in the NPIP U.S. Avian Influenza Clean program or NPIP U.S. H5/H7 Avian Influenza Clean or Monitored program.
- (d) Poultry less than seven days of age and not subject to (b)2ii above are exempt from testing requirements if these birds originated and moved directly from a breeding flock that meets the requirements of (c)1 through 3 above.

Amended by R.1989 d.454, effective August 21, 1989.

See: 21 N.J.R. 1479(a), 21 N.J.R. 2472(a).

Punctuation and upper casing corrected.

Administrative correction to (b).

See: 22 N.J.R. 628(a).

Emergency amendment, R.2004 d.119, effective February 23, 2004 (to

expire April 23, 2004). See: 36 N.J.R. 1608(a).

Added (e).

Adopted concurrent amendment, R.2004 d.197, effective April 23, 2004. See: 36 N.J.R. 1608(a), 36 N.J.R. 1751(a), 36 N.J.R. 2488(b).

Provisions of R.2004 d.119 adopted without change.

Recodified from N.J.A.C. 2:3-6.4 and amended by R.2005 d. 37, effective January 18, 2005.

See: 36 N.J.R. 4285(a), 37 N.J.R. 256(a).

Rewrote the section.

Emergency amendment, R.2015 d.117, effective June 26, 2015 (to expire August 25, 2015).

See: 47 N.J.R. 1878(a).

Rewrote the section.

2:3-7.5 Routes: Shipment of poultry and poultry waste

(a) All vehicles carrying poultry, hatching eggs or poultry waste through New Jersey, without stopping to unload or pick up poultry in New Jersey, shall confine themselves to interstate highway system roads.