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EXPORT REQUIREMENTS FOR GHANA

ELIGIBLE/INELIGIBLE PRODUCTS

A. Eligible Product

1. Poultry and poultry products

DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENTS

A. Certification Requirements

1. Obtain FSIS Form 9060-5--Export Certificate of Wholesomeness.

OTHER REQUIREMENTS

A. Exporters must accompany all poultry shipments to Ghana with the following statements:

1. *"The poultry originates from farms whose flocks have been found to be free of PCB's (polychlorinated biphenyls) and dioxins and are in full compliance with all USDA inspection and nutritional standards."*
2. *"Fat content is _____%"*

Note: The statements should be supported by PCB and fat analysis performed in an USDA certified laboratory. According to the Ministry of Trade and Industry of Ghana, the maximum fat content standard for poultry is fifteen (15) percent. These statements are not to be signed by FSIS personnel.

Note: Exporters are cautioned to work closely with Ghanaian importers to assure that the product meets all requirements as described on the import permit.

PLANTS ELIGIBLE TO EXPORT

All Federally inspected establishments are eligible to export to Ghana.

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