THE FOOD SAFETY AND INSPECTION SERVICE IN SOUTH CAROLINA

The Food Safety and Inspection Service (FSIS) is responsible for ensuring that meat, poultry, and processed egg products produced in South Carolina are safe, wholesome, and accurately labeled. Federal inspection personnel maintain a presence in over 6,200 establishments nationwide working to prevent foodborne

133 FSIS employees work in South Carolina everyday to protect the public health

illness and protect the public health.

FSIS's Atlanta, Georgia District has jurisdiction over South Carolina establishments



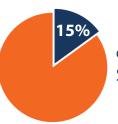
Regulatory Authority

- Federal Meat Inspection Act, 1906
- Poultry Products Inspection Act,1957
- Egg Products Inspection Act, 1970
- Humane Methods of Slaughter Act, 1958

 $\overline{58}$ meat and poultry plants statewide

[#]12 STATE IN CHICKEN PRODUCTION

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% OF SOUTH CAROLINA'S BROILERS SOLD IN LEXINGTON COUNTY

2013: INSPECTED IN SOUTH CAROLINA

277 MILLION BROILERS 160 THOUSAND HEAD OF CATTLE







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