



FSIS Names Dr. Michelle Catlin as New International Executive

Effective Oct. 29, 2018, Dr. Michelle Catlin started her new role in FSIS as the International Coordination Executive in the Office of International Coordination. She has worked in a variety of leadership roles in FSIS since 2006. Most recently, Dr. Catlin directed the Risk Assessment and Analytics Staff in the Office of Public Health Science (OPHS). She has also directed the Congressional and Public Affairs Staff in the Office of Public Affairs and Consumer Education, the Resource and Program Management Staff in OPHS, the Data Integration and Analysis Staff in what was then the Office of Food Defense and Emergency Response (OFDER), and the Scientific and Technical Support Staff overseeing food defense in OFDER. Dr. Catlin has a B.S.Ch. and M.Sc. from Queen's University at Kingston, Ontario, Canada and a Ph.D. in toxicology from the University of Washington at Seattle.

Nomination Period Extended for Membership on NACMPI

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) is extending the nomination period to apply for membership on the National Advisory Committee on Meat and Poultry Inspection (NACMPI) to Dec. 4, 2018. NACMPI provides advice and recommendations to the Secretary of Agriculture on meat and poultry inspection programs. The full committee consists of 20 members and each person selected is expected to serve a two-year term. Nominations for membership are being sought from persons representing industry, academia, state and local government, public health organizations, consumers, and consumer organizations.

Individuals with knowledge and interest in meat and poultry food safety and other FSIS policies may submit a resume and the USDA Advisory Committee Membership Background Information form AD-755 by Dec. 4, 2018. For information on how to apply, please visit: <https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2018/10/09/2018-21859/national-advisory-committee-on-meat-and-poultry-inspection-nominations-for-membership>.

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The Library of Export Requirements has been updated for the following countries:

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- Japan
- Jordan
- Kazakhstan
- Morocco
- New Caledonia
- Republic of Korea
- St. Lucia
- Taiwan
- Turkey
- Singapore
- South Africa
- Western Samoa

For a complete list of countries, visit <https://www.fsis.usda.gov/wps/portal/fsis/topics/international-affairs/exporting-products>.