

**U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
 AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE  
 POULTRY PROGRAMS**

**ALLEGED VIOLATION AND DETENTION NOTICE**

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**1. NAME AND ADDRESS OF VIOLATOR**

**2. DATE OF REPORT**

**3. DATE OF VIOLATION**

**4. ALLEGED VIOLATION OF**

- EGG PRODUCTS INSPECTION ACT
- AGRICULTURAL MARKETING ACT
- VOLUNTARY REGULATIONS, PART
- OTHER

**5. TYPE OF VIOLATION**

**6. DESCRIPTION OF PRODUCT** *(Class, type, state, number of containers, net weight, description of labels, USDA marks, grading/inspection sampling results, etc.)*

- Shipped
- Received

**7. CERTIFICATION:** I certify (1) that the product described above was received or shipped by us as noted and (2) that the shipping record(s), if any, and invoice(s), or copies thereof furnished to or copied by an authorized representative of the Secretary of Agriculture, cover the shipment(s) described.

**NAME OF AUTHORIZED PERSON** *(Type or print name and sign)*

**TITLE**

**DATE**

**8. NAME AND ADDRESS OF SHIPPER**

**9. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PROCESSOR**

**10. NAME AND ADDRESS OF RECEIVER OR BUYER**

**11. NAME AND ADDRESS OF TRANSPORTER** *(or carrier)*

**12. NAME AND ADDRESS OF TRUCK DRIVER**

**13. LOCATION OF PRODUCT**

**14. DISPOSITION OF PRODUCT** *(Detained, denatured, etc.)*

**15. TRUCK LICENSE NUMBER**

**16. SHIPPING RECORDS INVOICES** *(Date and description, attach copy)*

**17. DESCRIPTION OF PLACARD OR ADVERTISEMENT** *(Copy, facsimile or sketch attached)*

**18. NAME AND DATE OF NEWSPAPER** *(Attach copy of article)*

**19a. NAME AND ADDRESS OF REGULATORY INSPECTOR**

**19b. TELEPHONE NUMBER OF REGULATORY INSPECTOR** *(Include area code)*

**19c. SIGNATURE OF REGULATORY INSPECTOR**

**IF PRODUCT IS DETAINED - COMPLETE ITEMS 20, 21, AND 22 BELOW**

**DETAINED TAG(S) ATTACHED TO PRODUCT**

**22. DETENTION NOTICE RECEIVED BY** *(Signature)*

**20. NUMBER(S)**

**21. DATE**

The product described above is DETAINED by the Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS), U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA), for a period not to exceed twenty (20) days in accordance with the authority contained in the EPIA. The detention identification shall not be detached, defaced, or destroyed and the detained product shall not be removed from detention and used, moved, or altered in any manner without first being released by an authorized representative of the AMS, USDA, under penalty of fine and/or imprisonment. Voluntary disposition of the product to prevent its use as human food, or placing the product in compliance, will result in termination of the detention. Seizure, condemnation and disposal of such product shall be as directed by any United States District Court or other proper court as provided in the EPIA.