

NOTICE

The Utah Agricultural Code (Title 4, section 29) requires that hatcheries and dealers offering chicks, poults or eggs for sale in Utah be licensed with the Department of Agriculture and Food. This is in addition to the Certificate of Registration (COR) required by the Division of Wildlife Resources. The Utah Administrative Code (R58-6-2) and Section 145.1 of the National Poultry Improvement Plan (NPIP), define poultry to include game birds. Baby chicks, poults, and hatching eggs imported into the state or sold within and outside the state should originate from flocks participating in the Salmonella pullorum control and eradication program of the NPIP or from flocks that have passed a negative blood agglutination test for that disease. The purpose of this licensure and testing program is for the protection of the poultry industry (including game birds) from Salmonella and other pathogens. Please complete the attached Hatchery License Application and submit with the indicated fee to the office of the State Veterinarian, Utah Department of Agriculture and Food, P. O. Box 146500, 350 North Redwood Rd., Salt Lake City, UT 84114-6500 or call (801) 538-7161 for information.