

Poultry Programs

February 8, 2000

All Egg Suppliers

NOTICE TO THE TRADE – FEBRUARY 2000

Beginning with the 2000-01 school year, we will be changing the Commodity Specification for Pasteurized Whole Eggs, dated May 1996, by increasing the net weight of bulk liquid whole eggs for further processing from 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg) to 48,000 pounds (21,772 kg) net weight in each tanker. The revision will be made to conform with commercial industry practice and maximize available production. Yields on the End Product Data Schedules (EPDS) must be adjusted prior to signing contracts with Distributing Agencies.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact the Contracting Officer on (202) 720-7693.

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