

**Commodity Specification For  
BULK PACK CHICKEN AND CHICKEN PARTS  
DATED APRIL 1999**

*Amendment No. 3*

This amendment increases the weight requirement for large bulk packed chickens to allow larger bird weights and revises the test weighing sample size in accordance with 7 C.F.R. § 70.80.

1. Section I. on page 1. Revise the paragraph for large bulk packed chickens to read as follows:

“Bulk Pack, Large (222590) - Bulk packed for further processing, chilled ready-to-cook broiler/fryer chickens without necks and giblets. Frozen may be specified in the Invitation. The individual chicken weight range must be over 3.75 pounds (over 1.70 kg) per carcass weighed, without neck and giblets. The commodity must be packed in commercial containers as required within this Specification. A purchase unit will total 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg).”

2. Section II.B.1.b. (Commodities – Summary Table) on page 3. Revise the table for large bulk packed chickens to read as follows:

“BULK PACK CHICKENS (LARGE) over 3.75 pounds

Must weigh over 3.75 pounds (over 1.70 kg) per ready-to-cook whole carcass, without necks and giblets”

3. Section II.C.1.a.(2) on page 5. Revise large bulk pack chickens to read as follows:

“Bulk pack - large. Each carcass in the sample must weigh over 3.75 pounds (over 1.70 kg) each, per ready-to-cook whole carcass, without neck and giblets.”

4. Section IV.A.2.a.(2) on page 7. Revise the paragraph to read as follows:

“(2) A representative sample will be selected in accordance with the following sample plan:

<u>Number of Shipping Containers in Lot</u>	<u>Number of Shipping Containers in a Sample</u>
1 - 4	All
5 - 50	4
51 - 100	5
101 - 200	6
201 - 400	7
401 - 600	8

For each additional 100 cases, or fraction thereof, in excess of 600 cases, one additional case shall be included in the sample.”

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** This amendment is effective with offers due by 12 a.m. (noon), Central Time, Tuesday, May 29, 2001, and on all subsequent offers. The words “and Amendment Numbers 1, 2, and 3” must be inserted after “the Commodity Specification for Bulk Pack Chicken and Chicken Parts, dated April 1999” in item 1 of each offer.

All other terms and conditions of the Commodity Specification for Bulk Pack Chicken and Chicken Parts dated April 1999 remain unchanged.

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