

Board of Animal Health**Proposed Permanent Rules Relating to Poultry and Mycoplasma Requirements for Turkeys****1721.0270 DEFINITIONS.**

[For text of subparts 1 to 6, see Minnesota Rules]

Subp. 6a. **Commercial egg-type chicken.** "Commercial egg-type chicken" means a chicken bred, hatched, or raised for egg production. Commercial egg-type chicken does not include a chicken raised for an exhibition or hobby interest.

Subp. 6b. **Commercial meat-type chicken.** "Commercial meat-type chicken" means a chicken bred, hatched, or raised for meat production. Commercial meat-type chicken does not include a chicken raised for an exhibition or hobby interest.

Subp. 6c. **Commercial turkey.** "Commercial turkey" means a turkey bred, hatched, or raised for meat production. Commercial turkey does not include a turkey raised for an exhibition or hobby interest.

[For text of subparts 7 to 14, see Minnesota Rules]

1721.0280 IMPORTATION OF HATCHING EGGS, POULTRY, AND RATITES.

[For text of subparts 1 to 4, see Minnesota Rules]

Subp. 5. ***Mycoplasma gallisepticum* and *Mycoplasma synoviae*.** Chicken hatching eggs, chicks, and chickens from commercial egg-type or meat-type chicken hatcheries or breeding flocks and all turkey hatching eggs, poults, and turkeys from commercial turkey hatcheries or breeding flocks imported into the state must:

[For text of items A and B, see Minnesota Rules]

[For text of subparts 6 to 8, see Minnesota Rules]

1721.0290 POULTRY DEALERS.

[For text of subparts 1 to 3, see Minnesota Rules]

Subp. 4. ***Mycoplasma gallisepticum* and *Mycoplasma synoviae***. Chicken hatching eggs, chicks, and chickens from commercial egg-type or meat-type chicken hatcheries or breeding flocks and ~~all~~ turkey hatching eggs, poults, and turkeys from commercial turkey hatcheries or breeding flocks distributed in the state by poultry dealers must:

[For text of items A and B, see Minnesota Rules]

[For text of subparts 5 to 7, see Minnesota Rules]

1721.0320 HATCHERIES AND BREEDING FLOCKS.

[For text of subparts 1 and 2, see Minnesota Rules]

Subp. 3. ***Mycoplasma gallisepticum* and *Mycoplasma synoviae***. All commercial egg-type chicken, commercial meat-type chicken, or commercial turkey hatcheries or breeding flocks in the state must meet the requirements of the *Mycoplasma gallisepticum* and *Mycoplasma synoviae* clean programs of the plan.

[For text of subparts 4 to 6, see Minnesota Rules]

1721.0344 MYCOPLASMA GALLISEPTICUM AND MYCOPLASMA SYNOVIAE.

Subpart 1. **Positive tests results.** Commercial egg-type chicken, commercial meat-type chicken, or commercial turkey breeding flocks that have a positive test result for *Mycoplasma gallisepticum* or *Mycoplasma synoviae* must be retested according to plan procedures or other equivalent procedures approved by the board.

Subp. 2. **Quarantine.** Commercial egg-type chicken, commercial meat-type chicken, or commercial turkey hatcheries or breeding flocks determined by the board to be infected with *Mycoplasma gallisepticum* or *Mycoplasma synoviae* must be quarantined and participate in an approved salvage program or be disposed of in a manner approved by the board.

REPEALER. Minnesota Rules, parts 1721.0300, subpart 4; and 1721.0310, subpart 4, are repealed.