

## CHAPTER 31A

### MEAT INSPECTION

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*[For text of subds 1 to 3, see M.S.1992]*

Subd. 4. **Animals.** "Animals" means cattle, swine, sheep, goats, farmed cervidae, as defined in section 17.451, subdivision 2, llamas, as defined in section 17.455, subdivision 2, ratitac, as defined in section 17.453, subdivision 3, horses, equines, and other large domesticated animals, not including poultry.

*[For text of subds 5 to 9, see M.S.1992]*

Subd. 10. **Meat food product.** "Meat food product" means a product usable as human food and made wholly or in part from meat or a portion of the carcass of cattle, sheep, swine, farmed cervidae, as defined in section 17.451, subdivision 2, llamas, as defined in section 17.455, subdivision 2, ratitae, as defined in section 17.453, subdivision 3, or goats. "Meat food product" does not include products which contain meat or other portions of the carcasses of cattle, sheep, swine, farmed cervidae, llamas, ratitae, or goats only in a relatively small proportion or that historically have not been considered by consumers as products of the meat food industry, and which are exempted from definition as a meat food product by the commissioner under the conditions the commissioner prescribes to assure that the meat or other portions of carcasses contained in the products are not adulterated and that the products are not represented as meat food products.

"Meat food product," as applied to products of equines, has a meaning comparable to that for cattle, sheep, swine, farmed cervidae, llamas, ratitae, and goats.

*[For text of subds 11 to 23, see M.S.1992]*

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