

**Title 2—DEPARTMENT OF
AGRICULTURE
Division 30—Animal Health
Chapter 10—Food Safety and Meat Inspection**

PROPOSED AMENDMENT

2 CSR 30-10.010 Inspection of Meat and Poultry. The director is amending section (2).

PURPOSE: This amendment ensures that the current rule language clearly includes the most recent publication of Part 300 to end of Title 9, the “Code of Federal Regulations” for the Missouri Meat and Poultry Inspection Program to be in compliance with federal regulations and maintain “equal to” status as determined by the United States Department of Agriculture/Food Safety and Inspection Service.

(2) The standards used to inspect Missouri meat and poultry slaughter and processing shall be those shown in Part 300 to end of Title 9, the “Code of Federal Regulations” (January 201[6](7)), herein incorporated by reference and made a part of this rule as published by the United States Superintendent of Documents, 732 N Capitol Street NW, Washington, DC, 20402-0001, phone: toll-free (866) 512-1800, DC area (202) 512-1800, website: <http://bookstore.gpo.gov>. *This rule does not incorporate any subsequent amendments or additions.*

AUTHORITY: section 265.020, RSMo 2000.

PUBLIC COST: This proposed amendment will not cost state agencies or political subdivisions more than five hundred dollars (\$500) in the aggregate.

PRIVATE COSTS: This proposed amendment will not cost private entities more than five hundred dollars (\$500) in the aggregate.

*NOTICE TO SUBMIT COMMENTS: Anyone may file a statement of support of or in opposition to this proposed amendment with the Missouri Department of Agriculture, Dr. Dustin Stegeman, PO Box 630, Jefferson City, MO 65102 or by email to Dustin.Stegeman@mda.mo.gov. To be considered, comments must be received within thirty (30) days of publication of this notice in the **Missouri Register**. No public hearing is scheduled.*