

POULTRY AND LAGOMORPHS IN SMALL QUANTITIES

SCOPE

Requirements for poultry and lagomorphs meat handling in small quantities

LATVIAN REGULATIONS

Cabinet Regulation No.1393, adopted December 08, 2009 "[Requirements for the handling of meat from poultry and lagomorphs in small quantities](#)"

PRIOR AUTHORIZATION

Not required

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MAIN REQUIREMENTS FOR ECONOMIC OPERATORS

The Cabinet regulation implement a regulatory enactment which, according to Article 1(4) of Regulation (EC) No 853/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 29 April 2004 laying down specific hygiene rules for food of animal origin, would set requirements for producers who supply small quantities of meat from poultry and lagomorphs slaughtered on the farm to the final consumer or to local retail establishments directly supplying such meat to the final consumer as fresh meat. This would set common criteria for the production of meat from poultry and lagomorphs and would provide for the concerted development of the local market while establishing high level safeguards for consumer protection.