

STATEMENT OF ORIGIN FOR POULTRY EXHIBITIONS

Statement of Origin forms are allowed at Minnesota exhibitions to show proof birds originated from a National Poultry Improvement Plan (NPIP) hatchery. The NPIP status does not transfer to the exhibitor and does not prove current NPIP status with change of ownership.

In the State of Minnesota, all chickens, turkeys, game birds, and hatching eggs from these birds must meet the following requirements at exhibition:

- Be individually identified with a leg or wing band with a number on the band. The band may also include other letters such as names/initials;
- Originate from a National Poultry Improvement Plan (NPIP) classified Pullorum-Typhoid (PT) Clean hatchery or breeding flock; or be negative to a PT test within ninety (90) days prior to exhibition;
- Be accompanied by a certificate or test chart approved by the Minnesota Board of Animal Health to show compliance with these requirements.
- If a test chart is used to demonstrate compliance, the band number on the bird must match the test chart.
- All birds from another state must also meet Minnesota Import Requirements. Import requirements can be found on our Board of Animal Health import website: <http://www.mn.gov/bah/imports>

I hereby attest that the poultry exhibited by me in Minnesota (*check one*):

have originated from a hatchery or dealer that is classified as NPIP Pullorum-Typhoid Clean.

Hatchery or Dealer Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Hatchery or Dealer NPIP Number: _____

Date Purchased	Quantity Purchased	Breed	Hatch Date

have tested negative for Pullorum-Typhoid within 90 days prior to exhibition (*test results attached*).

Exhibitor's Name (printed): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Name of Fair/Exhibition: _____ **Date of Fair/Exhibition:** _____

Exhibitor's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____