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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Food Safety and Inspection Service

[Docket No. FSIS–2025–0005]

Retail Exemptions Adjusted Dollar Limitations

AGENCY: Food Safety and Inspection Service (FSIS), U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: FSIS is announcing the dollar limitations on the amount of meat and meat products and poultry and poultry products that a retail store can sell to hotels, restaurants, and similar institutions without disqualifying itself for exemption from Federal inspection requirements.

DATES: *Applicable* April 10, 2025.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Rachel Edelstein, Assistant Administrator, Office of Policy and Program Development, FSIS, USDA; Telephone: (202) 205–0495.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

The Federal Meat Inspection Act (21 U.S.C. 601 *et seq.*) and the Poultry Products Inspection Act (21 U.S.C. 451 *et seq.*) provide a comprehensive statutory framework to ensure that meat and meat products and poultry and poultry products prepared for commerce are safe, wholesome, and properly labeled. Statutory provisions requiring inspection of the processing of meat and meat products and poultry and poultry products do not apply to operations of types traditionally and usually conducted at retail stores and restaurants in regard to products offered for sale to consumers in normal retail quantities (21 U.S.C. 661(c)(2) and 454(c)(2)). FSIS' regulations (9 CFR 303.1(d) and 381.10(d)) elaborate on the conditions under which requirements for inspection do not apply to retail

operations involving the preparation of meat and meat products and the processing of poultry and poultry products.

Sales to Hotels, Restaurants, and Similar Institutions

Under the aforementioned regulations, sales to hotels, restaurants, and similar institutions (other than household consumers) disqualify a retail store from exemption if the retail product sales of amenable products exceed either of two maximum limits: 25 percent of the dollar value of the total retail product sales or the calendar year retail dollar limitation set by the FSIS Administrator. The retail dollar limitation is adjusted automatically during the first quarter of the year if the Consumer Price Index (CPI), published by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, shows an increase or decrease of more than \$500 in the price of the same volume of product for the previous year. FSIS publishes a notice of the adjusted retail dollar limitations in the **Federal Register** (see 9 CFR 303.1(d)(2)(iii)(b) and 381.10(d)(2)(iii)(b)).

The CPI for 2024 reveals an annual average price increase for meat and meat products of 2.85 percent, an average annual price decrease for Siluriformes fish and fish products of 1.86 percent, and an annual average price increase for poultry and poultry products of 0.83 percent.^{1 2 3} When rounded to the nearest \$100 dollar, the retail dollar limitation for meat and meat products, including Siluriformes fish and fish products, increased by \$2,700⁴ and the

retail dollar limitation for poultry and poultry products increased by \$600.⁵ In accordance with 9 CFR 303.1(d)(2)(iii)(b) and 381.10(d)(2)(iii)(b), because the retail dollar limitations for meat and meat products and poultry and poultry products increased by more than \$500, FSIS is increasing the dollar limitation on sales to hotels, restaurants, and similar institutions to \$103,600 for meat and meat products and to \$74,800 for poultry and poultry products for calendar year 2025.

Additional Public Notification

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¹ U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS), Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U): Meats in U.S. city average, all urban consumers, not seasonally adjusted [Series ID CUUR0000SAF11211], accessed on January 17, 2025.

² BLS, CPI-U: Fish and seafood in U.S. city average, all urban consumers, not seasonally adjusted [Series ID CUUR0000SEFG], accessed on January 17, 2025.

³ BLS, CPI-U: Poultry in U.S. city average, all urban consumers, not seasonally adjusted [Series ID CUUR0000SEFF], accessed on January 17, 2025.

⁴ The base value for meat and meat products in 2024 was \$100,905 rounded to the nearest \$100 dollar to \$100,900. The base value included \$97,926 for meat and meat products and \$2,979 to account for Siluriformes fish and fish products. The meat and meat products prices increased by 2.85 percent, or \$2,791 (\$97,926 × 0.0285 = \$ 2,791), during 2024. The Siluriformes fish and fish products prices fell by 1.86 percent, or minus \$55 [\$2,979 × (–0.0186) = –\$55], during 2024. Combined, the value for meat and meat products that includes Siluriformes fish and fish products increased by \$2,736 (\$2,791 – \$55

= \$2,736). Since this change is more than \$500, the retail dollar limitation is adjusted to \$103,600 [(\$97,926 + \$2,791) + (\$2,979 – \$55) = \$103,641, which is rounded to \$103,600].

⁵ The base value for poultry and poultry products in 2024 was \$74,216 rounded to the nearest \$100 dollar to \$74,200. The poultry and poultry products prices increased by 0.83 percent, or \$616 (\$74,216 × 0.0083 = \$616), during 2024. Since this change is more than \$500, the retail dollar limitation is adjusted to \$74,800 (\$74,216 + \$616 = \$74,832, which is rounded to \$74,800).

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Denise Eblen,
Administrator.

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COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS**Notice of Public Meeting of the Colorado Advisory Committee to the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights**

AGENCY: Commission on Civil Rights.

ACTION: Notice of public meeting.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of the rules and regulations of the U.S. Commission

on Civil Rights (Commission) and the Federal Advisory Committee Act that the Colorado Advisory Committee (Committee) to the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights will convene a monthly virtual business meeting on Wednesday, March 19, 2025, at 3:00 p.m. Mountain Time. The purpose of the meeting is to review the final version of its report on public school attendance zones in Colorado. The committee will vote on the report and discuss next steps.

DATES: Wednesday, March 19, 2025, at 3 p.m. Mountain Time.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held via Zoom.

Meeting Link (Audio/Visual): <https://tinyurl.com/279fjudv>.

Join by Phone (Audio Only): 1-833-435 1820; Meeting ID: 160 614 2807#.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ana Fortes, Designated Federal Official, at afortes@usccr.gov or by phone at 202-681-0857.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Any interested member of the public may attend the meeting via the link above. Before adjourning the meeting, the committee chair will announce that any member of the public may make a brief oral statement, as time allows. Per the Federal Advisory Committee Act, public minutes of the meeting will include a list of persons who are present at the meeting. If joining via phone, callers can expect to incur regular charges for calls they initiate over wireless lines, according to their wireless plan. The Commission will not refund any incurred charges. Callers will incur no charge for calls they initiate over land-line connections to the toll-free telephone number. Closed captioning is available by selecting "CC" in the meeting platform. To request additional accommodations, please email ebohor@usccr.gov at least 10 business days prior to each meeting.

Members of the public are entitled to submit written comments; the comments must be received in the regional office within 30 days following the scheduled meeting. Written comments may be emailed to Evelyn Bohor at ebohor@usccr.gov; please include Colorado Committee in the subject line of the transmitting email. Persons who desire additional information may contact the Regional Programs Coordination Unit at 1-312-353-8311.

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website: <https://usccr.box.com/s/aq52obvbs8uhkx2a0198po94elwbf2vl>. Persons interested in the work of this Committee are directed to the Commission's website, <http://www.usccr.gov>, or may contact the Regional Programs Coordination Unit at ebohor@usccr.gov.

Agenda

- I. Welcome and Roll Call
- II. Report Stage: Discuss and Vote on Report—Public School Attendance Zones
- III. Discuss Next Steps
- IV. Public Comment
- V. Adjournment

Dated: March 5, 2025.

David Mussatt,

Supervisory Chief, Regional Programs Unit.

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COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS**Sunshine Act Meetings**

AGENCY: Commission on the Social Status of Black Men and Boys (CSSBMB), U.S. Commission on Civil Rights.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

DATES: Tuesday, March 11, 2:00 p.m. EST.

ADDRESSES: Meeting to take place virtually and is open to the public via livestream on the Commission's YouTube page: www.youtube.com/usccr.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Diamond Newman, 202-339-2371, dnewman@usccr.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In accordance with Public Law 116-156, 1134 Stat. 700 (2020), the Commission on the Social Status of Black Men and Boys (CSSBMB) will hold its Second Quarter Business Meeting exploring CSSBMB business items, operations, and next steps. This business meeting is open to the public via livestream on the Commission on Civil Rights' YouTube Page at: www.youtube.com/usccr. (Streaming information subject to change.)

Public participation is available for the event with view access, along with an audio option for listening. Computer assisted real-time transcription (CART) will be provided. The web link to access CART (in English) on March 11 is <https://www.streamtext.net/player?event=CSSBMB>. Please note that CART is text-only translation that occurs in real time during the meeting and is not an exact transcript