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STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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**2007 No. 209**

**ANIMALS**

**ANIMAL HEALTH**

**The Poultry Breeding Flocks and Hatcheries  
Scheme Order (Northern Ireland) 2007**

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**THE POULTRY BREEDING FLOCKS AND HATCHERIES  
SCHEME ORDER (NORTHERN IRELAND) 2007**

1. Citation and commencement
2. Breeding flocks and hatcheries scheme  
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SCHEDULE      **POULTRY BREEDING FLOCKS AND HATCHERIES SCHEME  
(NORTHERN IRELAND) 2007**

**PART I — INTRODUCTION**

1. Citation
2. Interpretation and application
3. Competent authority

**PART II — NOTIFICATION OF HATCHERIES AND BREEDING FLOCKS**

4. Notification of hatcheries
5. Notification of breeding flocks

**PART III — CONTROL OF SALMONELLA IN *GALLUS GALLUS***

**CHAPTER 1**

**Duties of an occupier**

6. Application of Chapter 1
7. Notification of arrival of breeding flocks
8. Notification of movement to laying phase etc.
9. Sampling of breeding flocks

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10. Submission of samples to an approved laboratory
11. Records of samples
12. Records of movements

## CHAPTER 2

### Duties of approved laboratories

13. Duties of an approved laboratory

## CHAPTER 3

### Use of antimicrobials and vaccines

14. Prohibition on the use of antimicrobials
15. Prohibition on the use of vaccines

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16. Hatchery records
17. Production of records
18. Tampering with samples
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### ANNEX 1 HATCHERY AND BREEDING FLOCK INFORMATION

1. Information in relation to hatcheries
2. Information in relation to breeding flocks

### ANNEX 2 SAMPLING OF BREEDING FLOCKS

1. Sampling of chicks
2. Sampling of four-week-old birds etc.

### ANNEX 3 RECORD-KEEPING REQUIREMENTS

1. Samples
2. Movements of domestic fowl of the species *Gallus gallus* to and from holdings
3. Movements of eggs to and from a hatchery
4. Movements of chicks from a hatchery

### ANNEX 4 PREPARATION OF CHICK BOX LINERS

- Preparation of the samples  
Explanatory Note