

Federal Animal Disease Traceability Rule Requirements for Poultry (Effective March 11, 2013)



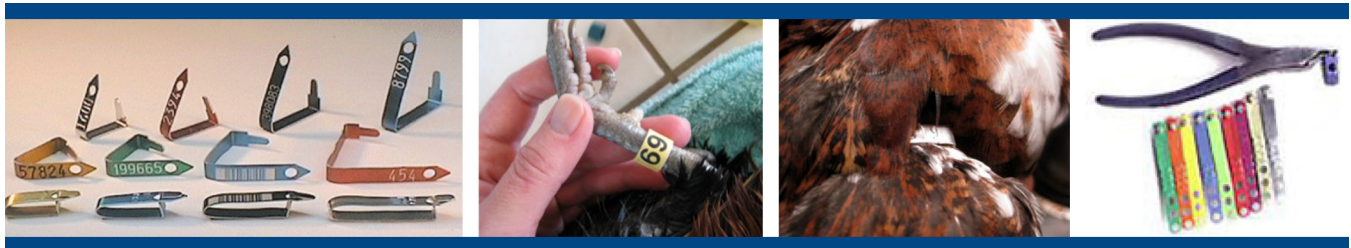
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The ADT rule applies only to poultry which are moving interstate. Poultry moving entirely within a single State, even if in slaughter channels, are not covered by the traceability rule.

Official ID Types

The NPIP (National Poultry Improvement Plan) “approved” identification devices or methods required for NPIP testing include sealed and numbered leg bands or wing bands. These may be used for interstate movement when needed to satisfy State entry requirements.

- State requirements should be checked prior to moving birds into or out of a State.
- Individual States approve what they will accept under NPIP.
- NPIP does not approve official identification for poultry; no NPIP symbol or U.S. shield will be included on the bands.



Movement Documentation

- Interstate Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI)
 - Default document required for interstate movement of poultry
 - Other documentation may be agreed upon by shipping and receiving States
 - Some exemptions apply (see flow chart)
- VS Form 9-3: Report of Sales of Hatching Eggs, Chicks, and Poults
 - Required for all interstate sales of hatching eggs, chicks, and poults from NPIP flocks
 - May be used in lieu of CVI for this class of poultry
 - For details on how to complete the form, check out NPIP NVAP training Module 17 (<http://aast.cfsph.iastate.edu/NPIP/index.htm>)

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