



Steve Troxler
Commissioner

North Carolina Department of Agriculture
and Consumer Services
Meat and Poultry Inspection Division

W. Alan Wade
State Director

December 11, 2013

CERTIFIED MAIL/RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. Abdul Chaudhry
Chaudhry Halal Meats
380 Stockyard Road
Siler City, North Carolina 27344

NOTICE OF WARNING

We have an investigative case report showing that you violated the North Carolina Compulsory Meat Inspection Law. This reported violation was discussed with you on October 30, 2013. Specifically, our investigation revealed that you had transported, offered for sale and/or sold lamb and goat carcasses, which did not contain State (N.C.D.A.) or Federal (U.S.D.A.) marks of inspection or required labeling, to El Baraka Halal Meats, Al Iman Market and S and S Halal Meats. In a signed statement dated October 30, 2013 you stated that you transported, delivered and/or sold lamb and goat carcasses stamped "NOT FOR SALE" to seven different retail meat markets in North Carolina.

Please be advised that the transport, deliver and/or sale of misbranded and/or non-inspected meat products is a violation of North Carolina General Statute (N.C.G.S.) §106-549.23 with civil and/or criminal penalties. Please be advised that you will not receive any further warning with regard to this violation. If you should continue to transport, deliver and/or sale misbranded and/or non-inspected meat products, we will pursue legal action against you to invoke the penalties associated with these continued violations. I certainly hope this expensive action will not be necessary. An officer from this department will visit you periodically to verify compliance.

Sincerely,

W. Alan Wade
State Director

cc: Mr. Barry Bloch, Assistant Attorney General
Mr. Joe Reardon, Assistant Commissioner