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and Consumer Services
Meat and Poultry Inspection Division

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CERTIFIED MAIL/RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Ms. Dawn Klock
Deans Farm Market
4231 N.C. Highway 42 West
Wilson, North Carolina 27893

NOTICE OF WARNING

The North Carolina Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Meat and Poultry Inspection Division has an investigative case report showing that you violated the North Carolina Poultry Products Inspection Law (Chapter 106, Articles D of the North Carolina General Statutes). This reported violation was discussed with you on March 18, 2021. Specifically, our investigation revealed that you stored, offered for sale and sold misbranded poultry products (boneless chicken, whole chicken and chicken wings) to the general public. In a signed statement dated March 18, 2021, you stated that you stored, offered for sale and sold misbranded poultry products to the general public for approximately one (1) month.

Please be advised that the sale of misbranded and/or non-inspected meat products and the sale of misbranded and/or non-inspected poultry products is a violation of North Carolina General Statutes §§ 106-549.23 and 106-549.56. Violation of the North Carolina Compulsory Meat Inspection Law and the North Carolina Poultry Products Inspection Law can result in the imposition of civil and/or criminal penalties pursuant to North Carolina General Statutes §§ 106-549.35 and 106-549.59. Please be advised that you will not receive any further warnings with regards to this violation. If you should continue to sell misbranded/non-inspected meat and/or poultry products, we will pursue legal action against you as authorized by law. I certainly hope this additional action will not be necessary. An officer from this department will visit you periodically to verify compliance. If you have any question regarding your compliance expectations, please call Daniel Moody, Compliance Supervisor, at 919-218-1915.

Sincerely,

Dr. Karen Beck
State Director

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Mr. Daniel Moody, Compliance Supervisor