

**NC DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE & CONSUMER SERVICES
MEAT & POULTRY INSPECTION DIVISION**

APPLICATION FOR CUSTOM EXEMPTION

RETURN THIS APPLICATION TO:

TA Coordinator
N.C. Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services Meat and
Poultry Inspection Division
Agriculture Building
1001 Mail Service Center
Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-1001

1. DATE										
2. TYPE OF CUSTOM ACTIVITIES		MEAT SLAUGHTER	MEAT PROCESSING	POULTRY SLAUGHTER	POULTRY PROCESSING					
3. OTHER EXEMPTED ACTIVITIES		RETAIL ACTIVITIES	FOOD & DRUG ACTIVITIES	NON-AMENABLE						
4. FORM OF ORGANIZATION										
INDIVIDUAL		CORPORATION	PARTNERSHIP	COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION	LLC	OTHER				
5. NAME OF APPLICANT AND MAILING ADDRESS <i>(Include ZIP Code)</i>			6. COUNTY		7. TELEPHONE NUMBER					
			8. EMAIL ADDRESS							
9. (Company Name) LOCATION OF PLANT AND MAILING ADDRESS IF DIFFERENT FROM ITEM 5 <i>(Include ZIP Code)</i>					10. TELEPHONE NUMBER					
11. NAME OF OTHER ESTABLISHMENTS LOCATED IN THE SAME FACILITY				12. OTHER NAMES <i>(If any)</i> UNDER WHICH BUSINESS WILL BE CONDUCTED						
13. DAYS PER YEAR PLANT WILL OPERATE				16. MONTH AND YEAR WHEN PLANT WILL BE READY TO OPERATE UNDER EXEMPTION						
14. HOURS PER WEEK PLANT WILL OPERATE										
15. HOURS PER DAY PLANT WILL OPERATE										
17. ANIMALS TO BE SLAUGHTERED										
CATTLE		CALVES	SHEEP	GOATS	SWINE	RATITES	OTHER <i>(specify)</i>	N/A		
18. PROCESSING ACTIVITIES										
TYPE OF PRODUCT	a.	BREAKING/CUTTING <i>(carcasses, primal cuts, whole poultry, poultry parts, etc.)</i>			h.				CANNING <i>(shelf stable, perishable, cans, pouches, glass)</i>	
	b.	BONING <i>(manual boning meat/poultry)</i>			i.				DRYING <i>(pork cuts, beef cuts, sausage, dehydrated products)</i>	
	MEAT	c.	MECHANICAL DEBONING <i>(mechanical deboning meat/poultry)</i>			j.				CONVENIENCE ITEMS <i>(entrees, dinners, pies, pizzas, etc.)</i>
	POULTRY	d.	FABRICATING <i>(roast, steaks, chops, ground beef, hamburger, etc.)</i>			k.				SLICING <i>(bacon, luncheon meats, sausage, etc.)</i>
	BOTH	e.	CURING <i>(pork cuts, beef cuts, turkey, ham, etc.)</i>			l.				FATS/OILS <i>(lard, tallow, shortening, margarine, etc.)</i>
		f.	FORMULATING <i>(fresh/cured sausages, loaves, poultry rolls, pattie mix, etc.)</i>			m.				OTHER <i>(specify)</i>
		g.	COOKING/SMOKING <i>(pork cuts, beef cuts, sausage, loaves, etc.)</i>							
19. AGREEMENT AND CERTIFICATION: If Custom Exemption is granted under this application, I (we) expressly agree to conform strictly to the N.C. Compulsory Meat Inspection Law (Articles 49B and 49C of the General Statutes of North Carolina) the N.C. Poultry Products Inspection Law (Article 49D, Chapter 106 of the General Statutes of North Carolina), or both. I CERTIFY that all statements made herein are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.										
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20. TYPED NAME OF PERSON SIGNING APPLICATION			21. SIGNATURE			22. TITLE				

TO BE COMPLETED BY NCDA

24. DATE RECEIVED	25. DATE REVIEWED	26. SIGNATURE OF STATE DIRECTOR
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