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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
Sverre N. Omdahl, Director
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Dr. M. O. Barnes, Supervisor

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(Superseding Order No. 415 and 456)

Effective April 10, 1950

A REGULATION PERTAINING TO PULLORUM DISEASE

WHEREAS, It has been determined that the poultry industry in the State of Washington suffers severe losses annually from a disease in poultry commonly known as pullorum disease which is caused by a specific organism Salmonella pullorum, and that there is conclusive evidence that this disease is transmissible from the parent hen to the baby chick and/or poult:

NOW THEREFORE, I, Sverre N. Omdahl, Director of Agriculture of the State of Washington, by virtue of the authority vested in me under section 3113 of Remington's Revised Statutes do make and issue the following regulation providing for the sale and distribution of baby chicks and/or poults in the State of Washington:

Regulation 1. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to sell, offer for sale or otherwise distribute baby chicks and/or poults in the State of Washington that are affected with pullorum disease.

PENALTY: Any person, firm or corporation violating this regulation shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.

/s/ SVERRE N. OMDAHL
Sverre N. Omdahl, Director of Agriculture

/s/ M. O. BARNES
M. O. Barnes, Supervisor
Division of Dairy and Livestock

Signed at Olympia, Washington
April 10, 1950

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