



Disqualifying Records

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Kansas Department of Agriculture

Meat and Poultry Inspection Program

Kansas Meat and Poultry Inspection Act

Pursuant to K.S.A. 74-120 and Executive Order 18-13, the Kansas Department of Agriculture, Meat and Poultry Inspection Program provides the following information pertaining to specific civil and criminal records that could disqualify an applicant from receiving a license, certification, registration or permit issued by the Department.

The Kansas Meat and Poultry Inspection Act, specifically K.S.A. 65-6a34a, authorizes the Secretary to deny, suspend, revoke or modify any registration issued pursuant to the Act. The list below identifies various violations which may result in the denial of any registration issued by the Department pursuant to the Act. License categories that are subject to the list below include the following: custom slaughter facility registration, custom processing facility registration, custom slaughter and processing facility registration, inspected slaughter facility registration, inspected processing facility registration, inspected slaughter and processing facility registration, broker registration, animal food manufacturer registration, small/seasonal slaughter facility registration, state-owned facility at regent institution registration, facility at public secondary school registration, public warehouseman registration, wholesaler registration, poultry exemption registration or federally inspected plant registration.

If you have questions regarding licensure, you should review the Kansas Meat and Poultry Inspection Act, K.S.A. 65-6a18 *et. seq.* or contact the Meat and Poultry Inspection Program.

Additionally, you may contact the Kansas Department of Agriculture and petition for an informal written advisory opinion concerning whether your civil or criminal records will disqualify you from receiving a license, certification, registration or permit. See the Petition for Informal Advisory Opinion page for instructions on how to petition the Kansas Department of Agriculture for an informal written advisory opinion.

Statutory Reference	Violation
K.S.A. 65-6a18 <i>et seq.</i>	A conviction of a violation of the Kansas Meat and Poultry Inspection Act or any rule and regulation promulgated thereunder
Failure to comply with any provision or requirement of the Kansas Meat and Poultry Inspection Act or any rule and regulation adopted thereunder	
Interference with or prevention of the Secretary or any authorized inspector or any other authorized representative of the Secretary from the performance of that person's job duties regarding any inspection or the administration of the provisions of the Kansas Meat and Poultry Inspection Act	

Denial of the Secretary or any authorized representative of the Secretary access to any premises required to be inspected under the provisions of the Kansas Meat and Poultry Inspection Act