



NOTICE OF PUBLIC RULEMAKING HEARING

FOR AMENDMENTS TO

**“Rules Pertaining to the Administration and Enforcement of the
Colorado Egg Law”**

8 CCR 1202-10

Notice is hereby given pursuant to § 24-4-103 C.R.S. that the Department of Agriculture will hold a public rulemaking hearing:

DATE: Monday, September 8, 2014
TIME: 9:00 a.m.
LOCATION: Colorado Department of Agriculture
Big Thompson Conference Room
305 Interlocken Parkway
Broomfield, Colorado 80021

The purpose of this rulemaking is to exempt registered USDA egg handlers from temperature requirements; specify egg washing requirements for Class I Dealers; allow egg producers to use their Colorado Department of Agriculture business identification number on egg cartons; exempt Class I Dealers selling eggs at farmer’s markets and community sustainable agriculture organizations from grading requirements; specify egg repacking requirements for all retailers, clarify the maximum number of egg cases that a Class I Dealer may produce and sell; and remove obsolete language.

The statutory authority for these rules is § 35-21-106(1), § 35-21-104(1), and § 35-21-404(4)(b)(I), C.R.S.

Any interested party may file written comment with the Commissioner’s office prior to the hearing, or present at the aforementioned hearing written data, views or arguments. A copy of the proposed rule is available on the Department of Agriculture’s website at www.colorado.gov/ag or may be obtained by calling 303-869-9002. The proposed rule shall be available for public inspection at the Colorado Department of Agriculture at 305 Interlocken Parkway, Broomfield, Colorado during regular business hours.

