

## **POULTRY MEETING TO BE HELD IN HANCEVILLE, ALABAMA**

Washington (October 25, 2000) - The USDA Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration (GIPSA) is holding a series of poultry town hall meetings. The next and final meeting will be held in Hanceville, Alabama, on November 16, 2000, at 7:00 p.m. at the James C. Bailey Center Auditorium at Wallace State College, Highway 31 in Hanceville.

GIPSA officials will provide an overview of the Agency's poultry activities. An open question and answer period will follow. Participants will have the opportunity to hear more about the recently adopted feed weighing regulation, review common contractual terms used throughout the poultry industry, and learn about upcoming actions under consideration. "This is an excellent opportunity for us to learn more about the challenges facing today's growers, and for growers and the industry at large to better understand GIPSA's programs. Please join us," said Jim Baker, Administrator of GIPSA.

#

GIPSA Release #70-00  
Leah Akbar (202) 720-4998  
Leah\_L.Akbar@usda.gov