

<b>Title</b>	<b>Demonstrate knowledge of compliance implications for the poultry industry</b>		
<b>Level</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>10</b>

<b>Purpose</b>	<p>This unit standard is for people working in a poultry production context.</p> <p>People credited with this unit standard are able to describe: quality assurance systems and improvement processes in the poultry industry; food safety implications; welfare requirements and issues affecting the poultry industry; and environmental issues affecting the poultry industry and its management.</p>
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<b>Classification</b>	Poultry Production > Poultry Husbandry
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<b>Available grade</b>	Achieved
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### Guidance Information

- 1 Legislation relevant to this unit standard includes but is not limited to:
  - Animal Welfare Act 1999;
  - Food Act 1981;
  - Health Act 1956;
  - Health and Safety at Work Act 2015;
  - Resource Management Act 1991;
  - Food Safety Regulations 2002;
  - Code of Welfare: Layer Hens 2018;
  - Code of Welfare: Meat Chickens 2018;
  - Code of Welfare: Transport within New Zealand 2018;
  - Code of Welfare: Commercial Slaughter 2018;
  - and any subsequent amendments.
- 2 Definition
 

*Workplace procedures* refer to the documented procedures for workplace practices and safety and must meet the requirements equipment manufacturer's guidelines, current legislation, and codes of welfare.
- 3 All evidence presented in this unit standard must be in accordance with workplace procedures.

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## Outcomes and performance criteria

### Outcome 1

Describe quality assurance systems and improvement processes in the poultry industry.

#### Performance criteria

- 1.1 Describe quality assurance systems in the poultry industry in terms of the ways the poultry producer and the poultry industry may benefit.
- Range quality assurance systems include but are not limited to – ISO 9000 series.
- 1.2 Describe improvement processes in the poultry industry in terms of the ways the poultry producer and the poultry industry may benefit.
- Range improvement processes include but are not limited to – Total Quality Management (TQM).

### Outcome 2

Describe implications of food safety for the poultry industry.

#### Performance criteria

- 2.1 Describe the implications of food safety for the poultry industry in terms of their implications for poultry producers and the poultry industry.
- Range food handling, hygiene, health, legal requirements, industry codes of practice.

### Outcome 3

Describe welfare requirements and issues affecting the poultry industry.

#### Performance criteria

- 3.1 Describe poultry welfare codes in terms of the requirements for poultry care and welfare.
- Range Code of Welfare: Layer Hens 2018; Code of Welfare: Meat Chickens 2018; Code of Welfare: Transport within New Zealand 2018; Code of Welfare: Commercial Slaughter 2018.
- 3.2 Describe welfare issues affecting the poultry industry in terms of their implications for poultry producers and the poultry industry.
- Range legal requirements, feeding, housing, environment, husbandry practices, disease control, humane destruction.

**Outcome 4**

Describe environmental issues affecting the poultry industry and its management.

**Performance criteria**

- 4.1 Describe environmental issues affecting the poultry industry in terms of their causes.

Range evidence of at least three environmental issues is required.

- 4.2 Describe the management of environmental issues in accordance with legislative requirements.

Range Resource Management Act 1991, Local Authority bylaws, Poultry Industry agreed standards and codes of practice.

<b>Replacement information</b>	This unit standard and unit standard 21189 replaced unit standard 8858.
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<b>Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMR) reference</b>	0052
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This CMR can be accessed at <http://www.nzqa.govt.nz/framework/search/index.do>.

**Comments on this unit standard**

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