



State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations  
**Department of State | Office of the Secretary of State**  
Nellie M. Gorbea, *Secretary of State*

**Rules and Regulations Filing Form**

**1. Agency Name and Address**

**Department of Health**  
Cannon Building Three Capitol Hill Providence

**2. Title of Rule**

Rules and Regulations Prescribing Uniform Retail Meat Identity Standards

**3. Statutory Source of Authority**

Chapter 21-33 of the Rhode Island General Laws, as amended

**4. Concise Explanatory Statement - §42-35-2.6**

For the purpose of establishing a standard set of descriptive terms to be applied to the various cuts of meat

**5. Type of Filing**

**Emergency Rules**

- A1. Emergency 120-day initial - §42-35-2.10
- Adoption
- Amendment of ERLID:
- Repeal of ERLID:

- A2. Emergency 60-day renewal - §42-35-2.10
- Adoption
- Amendment
- Repeal

Indicate ERLID of 120-day initial:

Brief Statement of Reason for Finding Imminent Peril §42-35-2.10:

**Final Rules**

- B1. Amendment - §42-35-3(a)
- B2. Adoption - §42-35-3(a)
- B3. Repeal - §42-35-3(a)
- C. Technical Revision
- D. Direct Final Rule - §42-35-2.11

If B1 or C, please indicate new, amended, deleted, or revised sections:

**6. Notice and Hearing Information**

Date of Public Notice - §42-35-2.8:12/02/2001  
Date of Public Hearing - §42-35-2.8:Hearing Not Required  
End of Comment Period - §42-35-2.8 :

**7. Agency Additional Information - Web Page**

**8. Certification**

*I hereby certify that the attached rules and regulations were adopted in accordance with the Administrative Procedures Act (42-35) and that they are true copies of this Department, attest,*

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Name  
  
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Title

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Notary Public  
Subscribed and sworn before me  
this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_