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DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER MARKET, US Grade A, Week Ending 15-Sep-06

DATE	PRODUCTION (000)		ICE-PACKED, MULTI-DROP, IMMEDIATE DELIVERY			
	Actual Slaughter	Live Weight	Price Range	Weighted Price	# of Boxes	
09/11	1,968	5.82	51-79	(A)	(A)	
09/12	2,258	5.78	60-82	(A)	(A)	
09/13	2,327	5.74	64-79	(A)	(A)	
09/14	2,296	5.76	60-79	(A)	(A)	
09/15	2,432	5.78	60-83	(A)	(A)	
Weekly	11,280	5.77	Cumulative:		(A)	(A)

(A)Not released to avoid disclosing individual operations

NEGOTIATED TRADING, USDA GRADE A WHOLE ICE-PACKED, Week of 18-Sep-06

Weighted Averages for:	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago
New York	65.63	66.17	72.91
Chicago	62.58	64.79	69.81
Detroit	64.56	66.50	71.20
Los Angeles	76.90	76.78	81.13
Composite Weighted Average	67.80	69.86	73.14

NORTHEAST BROILER/FRYER PARTS Ice-Packed, Delivered first receivers, pool and trucklot volumes, cents per pound, Week Ending 15-Sep-2006

	Weekly Weighted Average Price	Total Volume/Pounds
Breast - B/S	140.65	3,532,008
Tenderloins	129.43	975,272
Breast - With Ribs	94.54	433,320
Breast - Line Run	86.92	414,000
Legs	45.00	818,370
Leg Quarters (Bulk)	34.25	1,571,000
Drumsticks	39.83	622,810
Thighs	44.91	267,520
B/S Thighs	88.97	538,670
Wings (Whole)	106.99	1,077,440

(Includes NY City metro area, RI, Northern NJ, MA, CT, PA (NE of Harrisburg))

BROILER EGGS SET AND CHICKS PLACED (000), Week Ending 09-Sep-06

	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago	10-Weeks Prior	7-Weeks Prior
Eggs Set	205,284	211,989	209,112	208,321	213,893
Chicks Placed	173,203	172,909	172,881	175,548	171,410

SLAUGHTER OF YOUNG CHICKENS UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION W/E 09-SEP-06

	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago
Head (000)	154,603	168,295	150,712
Average Live Weight	5.39	5.18	5.28
To Date 2006 (000)	5,800,211	5,645,608	-----
To Date 2005 (000)	5,785,780	5,635,068	-----

MONTHLY COLD STORAGE: Total frozen poultry supplies on **July 31, 2006** were down 2% from the previous month, but up 2% from a year ago. Total stocks of chicken were down 4% from the previous month, but up 4% from last year. Total pounds of turkey in freezers were up 1% from last month, but down 2% from June 30, 2005.

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