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Subject: Message from Internet User - News Release No. 0128.07

From USDA website:

"Chemical contamination is the inclusion (either intentionally or accidentally) of unwanted chemical agents in meat, poultry, or egg products."

.."products derived from animals fed contaminated feed are considered adulterated. Therefore, USDA cannot place the mark of inspection on them."

Question about Press Release No. 0128.07: Is the USDA going to place its mark of inspection on the adulterated poultry and hog products, in contradiction to USDA documentation and against Federal law? The animals referred to in No. 0128.07 were fed contaminated feed. I'm not seeing how it is legal to release them, and also not seeing how such a decision is in the best interest of the people of the United States of America. Please clarify.