

21 June 2022

All Licensees of Chicken Slaughterhouses

Circular on one-month Foreign Worker Levy Waiver for Chicken Slaughterhouses

1. The Government will provide a one-month waiver of Foreign Worker Levy (FWL) for the 11 chicken slaughterhouses in Singapore (refer to Annex A). These chicken slaughterhouses, whose employees' livelihoods depend on the supply of live chickens, have been directly impacted by Malaysia's ban on chicken exports since 1 Jun 2022. This waiver will help the industry preserve its capabilities amid the ban on live chicken imports from Malaysia.
2. The FWL waiver will be automatically applied to the 11 chicken slaughterhouses in July 2022. No further action is needed by the chicken slaughterhouses.
3. We will continue to monitor the situation and work with the industry to ensure a stable supply of chicken for Singapore. While the Government continues to facilitate the opening of new sources for food imports, we encourage the industry to build resilience into their supply networks by implementing business continuity plans such as diversifying and maintaining warm links with multiple sources. This would in turn protect businesses, especially during unexpected supply disruptions.

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Annex A: List of Chicken Slaughterhouses that qualify for the FWL waiver

S/N	Name of employer
1	HY-FRESH INDUSTRIES (S) PTE. LTD.
2	KEE SONG FOOD CORPORATION (S) PTE. LTD.
3	GOLD CHIC POULTRY SUPPLY PTE LTD
4	TONG HUAT POULTRY PROCESSING FACTORY PTE LTD
5	SINMAH POULTRY PROCESSING (S) PTE LTD
6	SINGAPORE POULTRY HUB PTE. LTD.
7	NG AI FOOD INDUSTRIES PTE. LTD.
8	VF FOODS PTE. LTD.
9	SOONLY FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES PTE LTD
10	LEE SAY POULTRY INDUSTRIAL
11	HUP HENG POULTRY INDUSTRIES PTE LTD