



Total permitted animal capacity from all permits for this site:
126,000 chicken broilers

In consideration of Decision Summary RA22024, Approval RA22024 is issued to:

Name: Chicken Hill Farms Ltd. (the “permit holder”)
Address: Box 18, Site 13, RR 1, Lacombe AB T4L 2N1
Contact person: Eric Hyink

Permitted construction (based on the submitted site plan):

- Poultry barn #5 – 18.5 m x 76.5 m

The permit holder shall comply with the requirements of the *Agricultural Operation Practices Act* (AOPA) and the regulations passed pursuant to that act.

The permit holder shall adhere to the descriptions contained in the filed applications RA18045 and RA22024 together with the site plan, building plans and other attached documents, unless otherwise noted in the following conditions.

The permit holder shall contact the NRCB at least 10 working days in advance of the desired inspection date to schedule the inspection in condition #2.

Construction conditions

Poultry Barn #5

1. The concrete used to construct the liner of the new poultry barn must meet the specifications for category D (solid manure – dry), in Technical Guideline Agdex 096-93 “Non-Engineered Concrete Liners for Manure Collection and Storage Areas.” The permit holder shall provide written confirmation, from a qualified third party, confirming that the concrete used for the manure collection and storage areas meets the required specification.
2. The permit holder shall not allow birds or manure in the new poultry barn, until the facility has been inspected by NRCB personnel and confirmed by them, in writing, to have been constructed in accordance with the terms and conditions of this permit.
3. The permit holder shall complete construction of the manure collection and storage portions of the new poultry barn prior to November 30, 2024. Upon request, this deadline may be extended by the NRCB in writing.

Operating conditions (brought forward from Approval RA18045)

4. The permit holder shall sample and test raw groundwater according to water well monitoring requirements prescribed by the NRCB in writing. The NRCB may, based on the monitoring results and at its discretion, revise those requirements from time to time, in writing.



This approval becomes effective immediately. The approval conditions will remain in effect unless amended in writing by the NRCB.

Approval RA18045 is hereby superseded, and its content consolidated into this Approval RA22024, unless Approval RA22024 is held invalid following a review and decision by the NRCB's board members or by a court, in which case Approval RA18045 will remain in effect.

November 1, 2022

(Original signed)

Francisco Echegaray, P.Ag.
Approval Officer



Approval LA22024 – Appendix

Existing permitted facilities

Facility	Dimensions (m)	From
• Poultry barn #4	91.2 m x 18.5 m	Approval RA18045
• Poultry barn #3	91.2 m x 18.2 m	Approval RA16020
• Poultry barn # 1	91.2 m x 18.5 m	MDP 114-01
• Poultry barn # 2	91.2 m x 18.5 m	
• Manure collection area	24 m x 23 m	

Construction conditions – Already met (brought forward from Approval RA18045)

5. The concrete used to construct the liner of the new poultry barn must meet the specifications for category D (solid manure – dry), in Technical Guideline Agdex 096-93 “Non-Engineered Concrete Liners for Manure Collection and Storage Areas.” The permit holder shall provide written confirmation, from a qualified third party, confirming that the concrete used for the manure collection and storage areas meets the required specification.
6. The permit holder shall not allow livestock or manure in the new poultry barn, until the facility has been inspected by NRCB personnel and confirmed by them, in writing, to have been constructed in accordance with the terms and conditions of this permit.
7. The permit holder shall complete construction of the manure collection and storage portions of the new poultry barn prior to November 30, 2020. Upon request, this deadline may be extended by the NRCB in writing.

Construction conditions – Already met (brought forward from Approval RA16020)

1. The permit holder shall provide the NRCB with a written completion report for the manure collection and storage areas of the new poultry barn. The report shall be prepared by a qualified third party, and shall verify:
 - the dimensions of the new barn;
 - the type and compressive strength of the concrete used in the manure collection and storage areas of the new poultry barn;
 - the concrete thickness and concrete reinforcement size and spacing in the manure collection and storage portions of the barn;
 - that the facility was built according to the submitted construction plans.
2. The permit holder shall not allow livestock or manure in the new poultry barn until the manure collection and storage parts of the facility have been inspected by NRCB personnel and determined by them, in writing, to have been constructed in accordance with the terms and conditions of this permit.



3. The permit holder shall complete construction of the manure collection and storage portions of the CFO facilities prior to November 30, 2017. Upon request, this deadline may be extended by the NRCB in writing.