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Dear Mr. Gross:

This is in answer to your letter of July 25, 1977 concerning vaccination of chickens.

Question #1. Which part of the chick body is the recommended place for administration of vaccination?

Vaccination of chickens is performed in many ways:

New Castle and Bronchitis vaccine is given through the water.

Laryngotracheitis vaccine is dropped in the eye.

Mareks vaccine is dropped in the eye or intranasal.

Fowl pox vaccine is injected into the wing web.

Question #2. Approximately what percentage of U. S. chicks (or any other identifiable locations) are vaccinated?

All commercially raised pullets and broilers are vaccinated.

Question #3. Which hatcheries in the New Jersey State and Denver vicinity utilize your vaccination?

All New Jersey hatcheries are on a vaccination schedule as poultry diseases are very costly and the birds must be protected. As for Denver vicinity vaccinations, I have no

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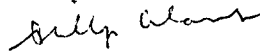
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idea what their program is. I would say that all poultry in the United States is susceptible to the same diseases and, therefore, must be protected by a vaccination program.

I am enclosing for your information the Rutgers vaccination program for egg laying flocks in New Jersey.

Sincerely yours,



Phillip Alampi

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