

Animal Health and Welfare Policy Statement

As the world's largest publicly-traded developer and producer of sustainable natural ingredients from edible and inedible bio-nutrients, Darling Ingredients Inc. ("Darling") recognizes its responsibilities in areas such as environmental protection and animal health and welfare.

Darling has policies and procedures in place to ensure that it does not accept live animals at any of its facilities. In the event that a "downer animal" or other living animal is presented to one of its facilities, Darling employees are directed to seek assistance from an animal health or other trained professional to ensure that the animal is humanely treated and euthanized if necessary.

Darling has worked diligently with regulatory agencies at the federal, state and local levels where we operate to protect animal health and well-being and ensure compliance to applicable regulations. Please be assured that Darling recognizes its responsibilities in the area of animal health and welfare and will continue to take those responsibilities seriously.

C. Ross Hamilton, Ph.D.

Vice President Government Affairs, Technology and Biosecurity









