

Notice to Trade -

During the week of December 15, 2014, the Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) of the U.S. Department of Agriculture will launch a program to facilitate the export of feed products to China. The General Administration of Quality Supervision, Inspection, and Quarantine (AQSIQ) requires that U.S. exporters of feed products apply for market access and re-registration through a U.S. government agency.

AQSIQ is requiring market access applications for all feeds that:

1) have never been exported to and sold in China,

and applications for re-registration for all feeds that:

2) have been exported and sold in China, but which had their registration revoked by AQSIQ, or
3) have been exported and sold in China, but which had their registration with AQSIQ expire.

To help U.S. exporters of feed products meet these requirements, AMS will launch a web-based process to receive and review applications. Applications will be reviewed by AMS for eligibility and completeness before submitting to Chinese authorities on the exporter's behalf. Parties interested in shipping their feed products to market or non-registered feeds to China should fill out the AMS web-based application through the following link: <http://www.ams.usda.gov/AMSV1.0/AMSFeed>

Applications will be accepted on an ongoing basis, and a fee will be charged for this service. Confirmation of your application's submission to China may be obtained by contacting AMS at ev.export@ams.usda.gov. For other questions regarding AQSIQ's procedures for accepting feed imports, including questions about Decree 118, please contact the Foreign Agricultural Service (FAS) at agexport@fas.usda.gov or (202) 720-2378.