## Tentative Agenda 2017 Live Production, Welfare & Biosecurity Seminar

## Monday, September 18

5:00 - 7:00 p.m. Reception, Co-Sponsored by U.S. Poultry & Egg Association, National Chicken Council,

National Turkey Federation, United Egg Producers

Tuesday, September 19
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8:00 a.m.	Presiding/Welcome: Mike Levengood, Perdue Farms Inc. Orientation: Kris Carroll U.S. Poultry & Egg Association
8:15 a.m.	Threats Against the Industry Animal Activists Update Dr. Ashley Peterson, National Chicken Council
8:45 a.m.	Consumer-Driven Challenges and the Impact on the Bottom Line Sam LeNarz, Agri Stats Inc.
9:30 a.m.	Layer Industry Animal Welfare Programs – Lessons Learned Bob Krouse, Midwest Poultry Services
10:15 a.m.	Break, Sponsored by Chore-Time Equipment Inc.
10:30 a.m.	Impact of Bird Welfare Issues on the Industry Dr. Darrin Karcher, Purdue University
11:15 a.m.	Identifying Bird Behaviors for Welfare Indicators Dr. Richard Blatchford, University of California, Davis
12:00 noon	Lunch, Sponsored by Cobb-Vantress, Inc.
	Broiler Breakout Session - "No Antibiotics Ever" and Its Impact on Welfare
1:30 p.m.	Presiding:
	Necrotic Enteritis – What Is It and How to Prevent It Dr. Audrey McElroy, Texas A&M University
2:15 p.m.	Litter Management and the Impact on Bird Welfare Dr. Casey Ritz, University of Georgia
3:00 p.m.	Break, Sponsored by CEVA
3:15 p.m.	ABF Update and Alternatives Dr. Charles Hofacre, University of Georgia
4:00 p.m.	Why is Bronchitis Such a Problem and How Do You Select the Right Vaccine? Dr. Steve Roney, University of Georgia, PDRC
	Turkey Breakout Session
1:30 p.m.	Presiding: Tori Ahlmeyer, National Turkey Federation
	Managing ABF Dr. Molly Parker, Butterball Inc.
2:15 p.m.	Current Diseases Affecting Turkey Production – Roundtable Discussion Dr. Molly Parker, Butterball Inc.
3:00 p.m.	Break, Sponsored by CEVA

3:15 p.m.	Biosecurity: Keeping the Focus Dr. Dustin B. Burch, DVM, MPH, Aviagen Turkeys, Inc.	
4:00 p.m.	Finding the Line Between Profits and Welfare Dr. David Hermes, PAACO	
	Layer Breakout Session	
1:30 p.m.	Presiding: Oscar Garrison, United Egg Producers	
	What is Cage Free? What is Acceptable?  A. Humane Farm Care Certified – Lindsey Turner  B. American Humane Certified - Janet Helms  C. United Egg Producers – Larry Sadler	
2:15 p.m.	Male Chick Disposal Dr. Neil O'Sullivan, Hy-Line International	
3:00 p.m.	Break, Sponsored by CEVA	
3:15 p.m.	Challenges of Alternative Layer Production Systems The European Experience Bernd Heidkamp, Big Dutchman	
4:00 p.m.	Layer Industry Disease Challenges (Caged and Cage Free) Dr. Kelli Jones, CEVA	
4:45 p.m.	Adjourn	
Wednesday, September 20		
8:00 a.m.	Presiding:	
	Effective Communication in Live Production Operations Is the Key to Success Sheila Pierson, Ozark Mountain Poultry	
8:45 a.m.	Legal Review for Live Production / Animal Welfare Clayton Bailey, Bailey Brauer PLLC	
9:30 a.m.	Break, Sponsored by Cumberland	
9:45 a.m.	<ul> <li>Avian Influenza Lessons Learned</li> <li>1. A State Vet's Review Dr. Charles Hatcher, Tennessee Department of Agriculture</li> <li>2. Root Cause/Weaknesses/Threats in Biosecurity Dr. Kate Hayes, Aviagen</li> </ul>	

Door Prize Sponsor: Hy-Line International

**Preparing for a Welfare Audit: How Does a Live Production Manager Prepare?** Dr. David Hermes, PAACO

11:00 a.m.

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Conclude