

**Inspection and Sampling Committee Meeting**  
**AAFCO Annual Meeting Virtual**  
**Wednesday, August 5, 2020**  
**1:30 PM (EDT) – 2:00 PM (EDT)**

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**Miriam W. Johnson, chair**

Miriam is the Compliance and Inspection Programs Lead Compliance Officer for the North Carolina Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services. She Graduated from North Carolina State University with a BS in Animal Science and minors in Nutrition and Agricultural Business Management. She started her career working for Murphy-Brown, LLC, a Division of Smithfield Foods, in the commercial swine production division for 4 years before coming to the North Carolina Department of Agriculture & Consumer Services as the Feed Compliance Officer. She held this position for 7 years before accepting a position as a Feed Field Inspector for Southeastern North Carolina. She worked as a field inspector for 3 years and then returned to Raleigh after accepting her current position as the lead compliance officer for the Animal Feed Program and supervisor for field inspection and compliance staff. She has worked for NCDA & CS for 14 years. Miriam has been involved with AAFCO as the Feed Labeling Committee Co-Chair from 2011-2013, the Inspection and Sampling Committee Chair from 2017 to present, and as a member of the training cadres for AITS and BITS. Miriam and her husband, Benton, also operate a small family century farm in eastern North Carolina where they raise swine, cattle and muscadine grapes.

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# AGENDA

- 2:00 **Welcome & Opening Remarks**  
Miriam Johnson: North Carolina Department of Agriculture & Consumer Services
- 2:05 **AAFCO Feed Inspector's Manual**  
Update from vote from General Membership  
Where we are with FASS on updates and new edition to be posted to website  
Miriam Johnson: North Carolina Department of Agriculture & Consumer Services
- 2:10 **AITS & BITS**  
2021 AITS & BITS: Schedule and Recruiting  
Miriam Johnson: North Carolina Department of Agriculture & Consumer Services  
Jessica Gore: North Carolina Department of Agriculture & Consumer Services  
Brett Groves: Office of Indiana State Chemist
- AITS/BITS Curriculum Workgroup: Progress and Updates  
Development and update of new materials for AITS  
Marking Guide for 507 citations & 507 cGMP Inspection Form Template  
Miriam Johnson: North Carolina Department of Agriculture & Consumer Services
- 2:15 **AAFCO Sampling Study**  
Single Tube Trier Method Sampling Study Proposal Review Group Progress and Update  
Miriam Johnson: North Carolina Department of Agriculture & Consumer Services
- Update/Discussion: Request for addition of bulk tote sampling method  
Miriam Johnson: North Carolina Department of Agriculture & Consumer Services
- 2:25 **Other Topics for Discussion/New Business**
- 2:30 **Adjourn**