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Room 3533-S
1400 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, DC 20250-0272

December 29, 2016

Dear Mr. Klemm:

This is to inform you that your laboratory

Element Materials Technology
909 Executive Drive
Warsaw IN 46580

meets the requirements prescribed in the Laboratory Approval Program for Export of Meat and Poultry Products.

As a USDA-approved laboratory, your laboratory is authorized to perform confirmatory analysis of

Listeria monocytogenes,
Salmonella, and
Total plate count

using the methods as described in the program requirements.

This renewal letter is valid to **December 31, 2017** and may be renewed yearly if the applied program protocols are followed.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Lingsu Zhang". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Lingsu Zhang, Program Manager
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