

Meat Chicken Standards Technical Advisory Group Meeting

Monday 11th September 2023

Meeting Summary Notes

Verandas

The group discussed the potential implementation of verandas into broiler sheds, including the associated benefits and challenges. Further discussion is required to determine what might be achievable.

Catching methods

The RSPCA is interested in moving away from inverted catching, so there is a new information box on alternative catching methods, such as individual and automated. The RSPCA will continue investigating such alternative methods.

Breeder flocks

The RSPCA are looking to develop welfare standards for breeder flocks.