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SEASONAL EXEMPTION HEARING IN EGG HANDLING IN FOUR STATES  
TO BE HELD AT MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., FEBRUARY 10

A public hearing will be held at Minneapolis, Minn., February 10 to determine if a seasonal exemption from the 40-hour overtime provision of the Federal Wage and Hour Law is applicable to phases of employment in the egg industry in Iowa, Minnesota, North Dakota and South Dakota, it was announced here today by Thomas W. Holland, Administrator, Wage and Hour Division, U. S. Department of Labor.

If found to apply, the exemption will permit employees, subject to the law, engaged in those four states in procuring, hauling, handling, cooling, candling, grading, packing and shipping eggs to work 12 hours a day or 56 hours a week for 14 weeks a year without overtime pay.

The hearing, which will be conducted by Marshall Spaulding, of the Hearings Branch of the Division, will be held at 10 a. m. at Hotel Nicollet. Any one interested in supporting or opposing the granting of the exemption may appear at the hearing, or file a written statement with the Administrator or the presiding officer up to the date of the hearing. Notice of intention to appear at the Minneapolis hearing should be filed, not later than February 9, with L. A. Hill, Regional Director, Wage and Hour Division, U. S. Department of Labor, 406 Pence Building, Minneapolis, Minn.

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