



## **LOT CODE METHODS FOR TRACEABILITY AND PRODUCT RECALL**

### **LOT CODE BY JULIAN DATE:**

**"1030"** - INDICATES THE 30TH DAY OF 2001.

THE YEAR IS THE FIRST NUMBER (1) WITH (030) INDICATING THE NUMBER OF DAYS SINCE JANUARY 1.

THE JULIAN DATE MAY ALSO BE WRITTEN AS 0301.

**030** AS THE NUMBER OF DAYS SINCE THE BEGINNING OF THE CALENDAR YEAR AND THE 1 AS THE YEAR DATE.

### **LOT CODE BY USDA CERTIFICATE NUMBER**

THE USDA ISSUES A CERTIFICATE ON EVERY LOT INSPECTED. THIS NUMBER IS WRITTEN ON EVERY BOX IN THE FOLLOWING FORMAT:

Cert 67781