Pig Keeping

Pig Sty

- Sleeping pen is rainproof
- Constructed to prevent accumulation of dirt
- Concrete or other approved material
- Floor graded to fall 1 in 25
- Floor graded to channel drain (feeding pen)
- Approved means of effluent discharge

Isolation and Distances

• No person shall keep any pigs wihin 20 meters of a residential dwelling.

Housekeeping

Pig Sty

- Kept clean
- Manure and other matter disposed of
- All troughs clean

Health

- Storage of food
- Conveyance



A Guide to

Pigs and Poultry Keeping



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General Information—Poultry and Pig Keeping

Prime Objective: Maintenance of Public Health by being free of any nuisances.

Nuisance (Health Act): Any smell, noise, vermin, insect, construction, deposit, carcass, giving rise to any condition or state that is offensive or likely to be injurious to health.

Poultry Keeping

Number Allowed

In a residential area, no more than 12 and no roosters that crow.



How Kept

Poultry House

- Rainproof
- Concrete or other approved flooring
- Nuisance free
- Confine poultry

Plus if Desired: Poultry Run

- Enclosed so as to confine poultry
- Nuisance free

Isolation and Distances

Poultry House and Run From:

- Dwelling (own and neighbours) 10m
- Occupied building—10m
- Boundary—2m

Housekeeping

Poultry House

- Kept clean and dry
- Treat with insecticide

Poultry Run

- Drained
- Cleaned out (a programme should be maintained)

Cleaning Schedule

Poultry House: Each 6 Months (Spring and Autumn)

- Clean out
- Wash out/scrub/hose
- Treat with disinfectant and insecticide

Poultry Run

- · Clean out
- Rake over
- Replace litter

At any Change of Stock

- All of the above plus; repaint, repair, redesign?
- Dig out litter and replace litter.

