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Comment of the Competent Authorities of Brazil on the Report ref. DG(SANCO)/2013-6703 -MR of an audit carried out from 09 September 2013 to 20 September 2013 in order to evaluate the control systems in place governing the production of poultry meat and products derived therefrom intended for export to the European Union .

The CA should ensure that post-mortem inspection is carried out in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 854/2004. In particular, requirements laid down in paragraph 1 Part B Chapter V, Section IV of Annex I to Regulation (EC) No 854/2004 shall be taken into account (checks to be carried out personally by the official veterinarian).

A DICAQ, entende que a inspeção post mortem atende o previsto no referido regulamento, no qual avalia 100% das aves, utilizando de auxiliares de inspeção devidamente treinados pelo Médico veterinário oficial. A resposta a este item no Draft Report explica o modo que realizamos a inspeção post mortem de maneira detalhada.