



**For Immediate Release**  
**International Production & Processing Expo**

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## **Poultry Companies Take Advantage of Free Bus Service to IPPE**

TUCKER, Ga. – Feb. 13, 2017 – Multiple poultry companies took advantage of free bus service to transport their employees and growers to the 2017 International Production & Processing Expo (IPPE). More than 260 employees and contract producers from 11 poultry complexes as far away as North Carolina attended IPPE via the bus service. They included Amick Farms, Claxton Poultry, Fieldale Farms, Keystone Foods, Perdue Farms, Pilgrim's and Tyson Foods.

The attendees were pre-registered through the Members to Atlanta (M2A) program. In addition, the attendees were provided Chick-fil-A lunch coupons, compliments of IPPE.

IPPE will offer the bus service again in 2018 for meat, poultry and feed member companies of the U.S. Poultry & Egg Association, American Feed Industry Association and North American Meat Institute. For more information, please contact Larry Brown at [l.brown@uspoultry.org](mailto:l.brown@uspoultry.org).

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**Photo Caption:**

Poultry employees and growers from Perdue Farms take advantage of the free bus service offered during the 2017 International Production & Processing Expo.

**ABOUT IPPE**

The International Production & Processing Expo (IPPE) is a collaboration of three shows - International Feed Expo, International Meat Expo and the International Poultry Expo - representing the entire chain of protein production and processing. The event is sponsored by the American Feed Industry Association (AFIA), North American Meat Institute (NAMI) and U.S. Poultry & Egg Association (USPOULTRY).

**ABOUT AFIA**

The American Feed Industry Association (AFIA) is the world's largest organization devoted exclusively to representing the business, legislative and regulatory interests of the U.S. animal feed industry and its suppliers. AFIA also is the recognized leader on international industry developments. Member-companies are livestock feed and pet food manufacturers, integrators, pharmaceutical companies, ingredient suppliers, equipment manufacturers and companies which supply other products, services and supplies to feed manufacturers.

**ABOUT NAMI**

The North American Meat Institute (NAMI) is the leading voice for the meat and poultry industry. Formed from the 2015 merger of the American Meat Institute (AMI) and North American Meat Association (NAMA), the Institute has a rich, century-long history and provides essential member services including legislative, regulatory, scientific, international and public affairs representation. NAMI's mission is to shape a public policy environment in which the meat and poultry industry can produce wholesome products safely, efficiently and profitably. Together, the Institute's members produce the vast majority of U.S. beef, pork, lamb and poultry and the equipment, ingredients and services needed for the highest quality products.

**ABOUT USPOULTRY**

U.S. Poultry & Egg Association (USPOULTRY) is the all-feather organization representing the complete spectrum of today's poultry industry, whose mission is to progressively serve member companies through research, education, communication, and technical assistance. Founded in 1947, USPOULTRY is based in Tucker, Ga.