Delaware state bird: the Blue Hen Chicken

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DELAWARE STATE BIRD

Blue Hen Chicken

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Harrison Weir, The Poultry Book (1903)
The painting shows the English gamecock stock the Blue Hen comes from.



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FIVE QUICK FACTS

Adopted: April 14, 1939 (Laws of Delaware, vol. 42, chapter 128)

Law today: Delaware Code, Title 29, § 304

State flower: Peach blossom (1895)

State animal: Gray fox, the state wildlife animal (2010); horseshoe crab, the marine animal (2002)

In the law: "The blue hen chicken is the official bird of the State."

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