

## **GIPSA Official Designation Activities**

WASHINGTON, D.C. (February 9, 1998)-- USDA's Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration (GIPSA) today announced the following action on a designation to officially inspect and weigh grain in a specified geographic area.

The New York State Department of Agriculture and Markets is canceling its designation to provide official grain inspection services effective April 1, 1998. Any party desiring official grain inspection services in New York after April 1, 1998, should contact GIPSA's Baltimore Field Office at 410-590-2259.

For further information on this designation action, contact Jim Williams at 202-720-9804 or FAX 202-690-2755.

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