

GIPSA Official Designation Activities

WASHINGTON, D.C. (September 9, 1998) -- USDA's Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration (GIPSA) announces the designation of the following agencies to provide official services under the U.S. Grain Standards Act, as amended:

- Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry, and the North Carolina Department of Agriculture, effective October 1, 1998, and ending September 30, 2001;

- Cairo Grain Inspection Agency, Inc., beginning November 1, 1998, and ending September 30, 2001.

For further information on these designation actions, contact Jim Williams at telephone number 202-720-9804 or fax 202-690-2755.

End GIPSA Release # 57-98

GIPSA Release # 57-98
Joanne Peterson (202) 720-4300
E-mail jpeterson@gipsadc.usda.gov