

## **GIPSA Official Designation Activities**

WASHINGTON, D.C. (September 1, 1999) - USDA's Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration (GIPSA) announced the following action on designations to officially inspect grain in specified areas in Iowa, Illinois, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, and South Carolina.

- Hastings Grain Inspection, Inc., Aberdeen Grain Inspection, Inc., Missouri Department of Agriculture, Decatur Grain Inspection, Inc., Grand Forks Grain Inspection Department, Inc., John R. McCrea Agency, Inc., and South Carolina Department of Agriculture are designated to officially inspect grain through the latter part of 1999. GIPSA will grant new designations effective November 1, 1999, for Hastings; December 1, 1999, for Aberdeen and Missouri; and January 1, 2000, for Decatur, Grand Forks, McCrea, and South Carolina.
- For official inspection services contact Hastings at 402-462-4254, Aberdeen at 605-225-8432, Missouri at 573/-751-5515, Decatur at 217-429-2466, Grand Forks at 701-772-0151, McCrea at 319-242-2073, and South Carolina at 843-554-1311.

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