

## **Terry Livestock, Inc., is Assessed a Civil Penalty in the Amount of \$13,200**

WASHINGTON, Mar. 18, 2010 - On May 5, 2009, the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration issued a default decision against Terry Livestock, Inc., Hargill, Texas

Terry Livestock, Inc. has been ordered to cease and desist from engaging in business in any capacity for which bonding is required under the Packers and Stockyards (P&S) Act without filing and maintaining an adequate bond.

Terry Livestock, Inc. has also been assessed a civil penalty in the amount of \$13,200.

On July 14, 2009, Terry Livestock, Inc. filed an appeal petition with the Hearing Clerk which was denied.

The P&S Act is a fair trade practice and payment protection law that promotes fair and competitive marketing environments for the livestock, meat, and poultry industries.

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