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Abram Khaimov Has Been Assessed a \$10,000 Civil Penalty

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11, 2012 – On August 16, 2012, the U.S. Department of Agriculture issued a default decision against Abram Khaimov, N.Y., which became final and effective on September 24, 2012.

Abram Khaimov has been ordered to cease and desist from:

- failing to pay, when due, the full purchase of livestock;
- failing to pay the full purchase of livestock: and
- failing to keep and maintain records which fully and correctly disclose all transaction involved in the business of being a packer.

Abram Khaimov has been assessed a \$10,000 civil penalty.

Abram Khaimov previously operated Royal Meats, Inc., in Flushing, N.Y., a corporation that is now dissolved.

The Packers and Stockyards 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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