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**James A. Quick
Violated the Packers and Stockyards Act**

WASHINGTON, May 24, 2012 – On April 25, 2012, the U.S. Department of Agriculture’s Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration entered into a consent decision with James A. Quick (Quick).

Quick has been ordered to cease and desist from:

- engaging in business in any capacity for which bonding is required without filing and maintaining an adequate bond; and
- engaging in business in any capacity for which bonding is required under the Packers and Stockyards (P&S) Act without first becoming properly registered.

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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