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**Bro Pack, Inc., and Andrew Broberg
Are Assessed a \$5,000 Civil Penalty**

WASHINGTON, June 26, 2012 – On June 12, 2012, the U.S. Department of Agriculture’s Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration entered into a consent decision with Bro Pack, Inc., and Andrew Broberg, Pico Rivera, Calif.

Bro Pack, Inc. and Andrew Broberg have been ordered to cease and desist from:

- operating with a shortage in their custodial account; and
- failing to deposit into their custodial accounts, within the time prescribed by section 201.42 of the Regulations (9 C.F.R. § 201.42) an amount equal to the proceeds receivable from the sale of consigned livestock and to the withdrawal of bank charges from their custodial account.

Bro Pack, Inc. and Andrew Broberg have been assessed a civil penalty of \$5,000.

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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