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Philip Ambrose is Assessed a \$4,000 Civil Penalty

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2, 2012 – On January 26, 2012, the U.S. Department of Agriculture’s Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration entered into a decision and order by reason of admissions with Philip Ambrose, which became final on June 7, 2012.

Philip Ambrose has been ordered to cease and desist from engaging in business in any capacity for which bonding is required.

Philip Ambrose was suspended as a registrant under the Packers and Stockyards (P&S) Act for a period of 180 days, which will be held in abeyance for three years on the condition that he complies with the registration and bonding provisions of the P&S Act and regulations and that he timely files all annual and special reports and that he pay the full assessed civil penalty. He has been assessed a civil penalty of \$4,000.

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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