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**Terry Dustin Matthews, d/b/a Moo Moo's Cattle Co.,
Has Been Assessed an \$8,100 Civil Penalty**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24, 2013 – On November 6, 2012, the U.S. Department of Agriculture issued a default decision against Terry Dustin Matthews (Matthews), doing business as Moo Moo's Cattle Co., McKenzie, Ala., which became final and effective on January 14, 2013.

Matthews has been ordered to cease and desist from:

- failing to pay, when due, for livestock purchases; and
- issuing checks with insufficient funds in payment for livestock purchases.

Matthews's application for registration as a dealer has been denied. He has also been assessed an \$8,100 civil penalty.

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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