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Ron Casey, General Manager
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RE: Capacity Decrease

Dear Ron:

In your December 4, 2008 letter, you notified the Commission that Forbes Equity Exchange did not pile any grain on the ground for the 2008 harvest due to crop shortages, moisture in the corn, and the ground being too soft to pile any corn. Therefore, we consider your request to license ground storage from November 15, 2008 through February 14, 2009 is rescinded. Forbes will remain licensed at 231,000 bushels and the temporary bond increase rider is not needed and will be returned to your bonding company as requested.

Thank you for your continued cooperation. Remember that you must obtain prior approval before using space that is not part of your approved licensed facility. If you have any questions, please call me at 701-328-4097.

Sincerely,

Susan K. Richter
Licensing Division

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cc: Steve Strege, NDGDA, National Ag. Stats. Service, CCC
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