

**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA**

M E M O R A N D U M

TO: Commissioners Cramer, Clark and Kalk
Darrell Nitschke
Ilona Jeffcoat-Sacco
Pat Fahn

FROM: Sue Richter – Licensing Division



DATE: November 18, 2009

RE: Discontinue Business – Merrifield, ND
Columbia Grain International, Inc.

The Licensing Division received a Request to Discontinue Business from Columbia Grain International, Inc., Portland, Oregon, for its facility at Merrifield, North Dakota. This facility was operated under a facility-based grain buyer license and any storage obligations fall under the federal jurisdiction. The facility has been sold to a private individual.

I recommend the request be approved. A corresponding motion and order are attached.

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Attachments

cc: Tim Erdmann
Shelly Bauske