

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

M E M O R A N D U M

TO: Commissioners Kalk, Cramer, and Fetch
Darrell Nitschke
Illona Jeffcoat-Sacco
Sue Richter

FROM: Shelly Bauske - Licensing Division

DATE: December 7, 2012

RE: Roving Grain Buyer License - Request for Temporary Authority
Downs Brokerage, Inc., Langdon, North Dakota

Downs Brokerage, Inc., Langdon, North Dakota, filed a license application to operate as a roving grain buyer in North Dakota. The licensee estimates purchasing 100,000 bushels of grain during the first year in operation and has filed a \$70,000 surety bond.

Statutory compliance has been met and Staff recommends that a roving grain buyer license be issued to Downs Brokerage, Inc., effective immediately, and that this action be noticed on the Commission's Agenda.

Please sign and date this request granting a temporary license approval until the Commission makes its decision on the license application at a subsequent Commission Meeting.

Temporary authority authorized.

Commissioner Bonny G. Fetch

Date: 12-7-12

License Number: 3190