

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

M E M O R A N D U M

TO: Commissioners Fedorchak, Christmann, and Kalk  
Darrell Nitschke  
Legal Division

FROM: Sue Richter - Licensing Division Director *Sue Richter*

DATE: August 5, 2016

RE: Request for Temporary Authority – Discontinue Business  
Lone Prairie Grain, Inc. – Maddock, Drake, and Martin

The Commission received a Request to Discontinue Business from Lone Prairie Grain, Inc., Maddock, North Dakota for its licensed grain warehouses at Maddock, Drake, and Martin. Lone Prairie Grain, Inc. is leasing these grain warehouses to BTR Farmers Cooperative and BTR Farmers Cooperative filed license applications. There are no outstanding storage obligations and the grain inventory in the warehouses will be purchased by BTR Farmers Cooperative.

Lone Prairie Grain, Inc. asked that the request to discontinue business be approved effective as soon as possible. I recommend the request be approved effective immediately, and that this action be noticed on the Commission's agenda.

Please sign and date this request which is temporarily approved until the Commission issues an Order on the matter at a subsequent Commission Meeting.

Temporary authority authorized  
Commissioner *Randy Christman*  
Date: *Aug 5, 2016*