

**SUMMARY:** GIPSA announces designation of the following organizations to provide official services under the United States Grain Standards Act, as amended (Act): Detroit Grain Inspection Service, Inc. (Detroit); Keokuk Grain Inspection Service (Keokuk); Michigan Grain Inspection Services, Inc. (Michigan); Champaign-Danville Grain Inspection Departments, Inc. (Champaign); Eastern Iowa Grain Inspection and Weighing Service, Inc. (Eastern Iowa); and Enid Grain Inspection Company, Inc. (Enid).

Enid is also designated to provide Class X or Class Y weighing services in their geographic area.

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** May 1, 2001, for Detroit, Keokuk, and Michigan; and June 1, 2001, for Champaign, Eastern Iowa, and Enid.

**ADDRESSES:** USDA, GIPSA, Janet M. Hart, Chief, Review Branch, Compliance Division, STOP 3604, Room 1647-S, 1400 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20250-3604.

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

This action has been reviewed and determined not to be a rule or regulation as defined in Executive Order 12866 and Departmental Regulation 1512-1; therefore, the Executive Order and Departmental Regulation do not apply to this action.

In the September 1, 2000, **Federal Register** (65 FR 53263), GIPSA asked persons interested in providing official services in the geographic areas assigned to the official agencies named above to submit an application for designation. Applications were due by October 1, 2000.

Each was the sole applicant for designation to provide official services in the entire area currently assigned to them, so GIPSA did not ask for comments on the applicants.

GIPSA evaluated all available information regarding the designation

criteria in Section 7(f)(1)(A) of the Act and, according to Section 7(f)(1)(B), determined that each official agency is able to provide official services in the geographic areas, specified in the September 1, 2000, **Federal Register**, for which they applied. Additionally, Enid had asked GIPSA to amend their designation to include official weighing services. Section 7A(c)(2) of the Act authorizes GIPSA's Administrator to designate authority to perform official weighing to an agency providing official inspection services within a specified geographic area, if such agency is qualified under Section 7(f)(1)(A) of the Act. GIPSA evaluated all available information regarding the designation criteria in Section 7(f)(1)(A) of the Act, and determined that Enid is qualified to provide official weighing services in their currently assigned geographic area.

Interested persons may obtain official services by calling the telephone numbers listed below.

Official agency	Headquarters location and telephone	Designation start—end
Detroit .....	Emmett, MI, 810-395-2105 .....	05/01/2001-03/31/2004
Keokuk .....	Keokuk, IA, 319-524-6482; Additional Service Location: Havana, IL .....	05/01/2001-03/31/2004
Michigan .....	Marshall, MI, 616-781-2711; Additional Service Locations: Carrollton, MI; Lima, OH.	05/01/2001-03/31/2004
Champaign .....	Champaign, IL, 217-398-0723; Additional Service Locations: Hoopeston, IL; Terre Haute, IN.	06/01/2001-03/31/2004
Eastern Iowa .....	Davenport, IA, 319-322-7140; Additional Service Locations: Dubuque, and Muscatine, IA; Gulfport, IL.	06/01/2001-03/31/2004
Enid .....	Enid, OK, 580-233-1121; Additional Service Location: Catoosa, OK .....	06/01/2001-03/31/2004

**Authority:** Pub. L. 94-582, 90 Stat. 2867, as amended (7 U.S.C. 71 et seq.).

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**David R. Shipman,**

*Acting Administrator, Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration

#### Amendment to Certification of Central Filing System—Oklahoma

The Statewide central filing system of Oklahoma has been previously certified, pursuant to Section 1324 of the Food Security Act of 1985 on the basis of information submitted by the Oklahoma Secretary of State, for farm products produced in that State (52 FR 49056, December 29, 1987).

The certification is hereby amended on the basis of information submitted in September 1, 1999, and September 20, 1999, letters by Anita Charlson,

Supervisor, Central Filing System for Agricultural Liens, to cover all farm products used or produced in farming operations, or a product of such crop or livestock in its unmanufactured state that is in the possession of a person engaged in farming operations in that State.

This is issued pursuant to authority delegated by the Secretary of Agriculture.

**Authority:** Sec. 1324(c)(2), Pub. L. 99-198, 99 Stat. 1535, 7 U.S.C. 1631(c)(2); 7 CFR 2.22(a)(3)(v), 2.81(a)(5), 55 FR 22795.

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## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration

#### Posting of Stockyards

Pursuant to the authority provided under section 302 of the Packers and Stockyards Act (7 U.S.C. 202), it was ascertained that the livestock market named below was a stockyard as defined by Section 302(a). Notice was given to the stockyard owner and to the public as required by Section 302(b), by posting notice at the stockyard on the date specified below, that the stockyard was subject to the provisions of the Packers and Stockyards Act, 1921, as amended (7 U.S.C. 181 et seq.).

Facility No., name, and location of stockyard	Date of posting
GA-224 Dixie Livestock Market, Inc., Oak Park, Georgia.	June 26, 2000.