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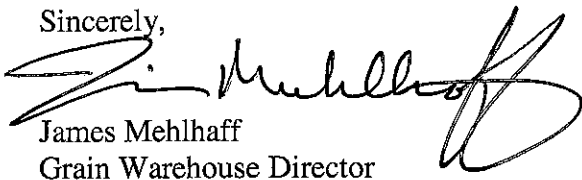
Re: Proof of Claim for Cash Grain

Dear Mr. Nickolas,

The South Dakota Public Utilities Commission regulates grain buyers in this state. As you know, we are working through issues connected to Anderson Seed in Redfield, SD. Specifically, due to Anderson Seed's failure to pay for grain, its bond has been surrendered and now must be distributed. We understand from the information you sent, you believe your company is entitled to some of the bond proceeds.

The Commission's Grain Warehouse Staff has evaluated your claim. Staff's findings are consistent with your claim amount of \$26,327.28. Therefore you will not need to do anything at this time. Staff will recommend that your claim be included in the bond proceeds as submitted. If you have any questions about the process or would like to discuss your claim please call our office at 605-773-5280.

Sincerely,



James Mehlhaff
Grain Warehouse Director

North Central Farmers Elevator

Amount Claimed: **\$26,327.28**

Staff Findings: **\$26,327.28**

Amount on claim is supported by Staff findings. Staff recommends remitting bond proceeds based on the amount listed on the claim.