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REPLY FORM GW17-002

SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC
UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Grain Buyer Bond of H & I Grain of Hetland Inc.

Please check the appropriate boxes.

I agree with staff recommendations. Yes _____ No X

I would like to participate in a hearing on this matter. Yes X No _____

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It looks to me like option 1 would give me the most money back. I think the PUC let us down by not stopping H & I grain sooner than they did. I also think \$400,000 bond is not nearly enough bond money for a business, several farmers would be able to get all the bond for themselves, each customer/farmer should be bonded for \$400,000

Printed Name: DAK Virchow

Signature DAK Virchow

Date 3-13-18