STATE OF KANSAS
BEFORE THE KANSAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

ORDER OF THE SECRETARY REGARDING
FEEDING STUFFS INSPECTION FEES

Pursuant to Article 10, Chapter 2 of the Kansas Statutes Annotated, COMMERCIAL FEEDING STUFFS, the Secretary finds the following:

1. That K.S.A. 2-1004(a)(2) provides that "on and after July 1, 1999, each manufacturer, importer, jobber, firm, association, corporation or person, manufacturing or selling any commercial feed stuffs, shall pay to the Kansas department of agriculture an inspection fee of $.10 per ton of 2,000 pounds, or fraction thereof, for each commercial feeding stuffs sold, offered or exposed for sale or distribution in this state."

2. That K.S.A. 2-1004a provides that in the event the Secretary, after having reduced inspection fees pursuant to that section, determines that sufficient revenues are not being produced by such reduced fees, the Secretary is authorized to restore in full or in part said fees to such rates as will produce sufficient revenues for the purposes as provided in K.S.A. 2-1012.

3. That current reduced inspection fees of $.05 per ton of 2,000 pounds, or fraction thereof, is not producing sufficient revenues for the purposes as provided in K.S.A. 2-1012.

4. That restoring inspection fees to $.09 per ton of 2,000 pounds, or fraction thereof, will produce sufficient revenues for the purposes as provided in K.S.A. 2-1012.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

1. The inspection fee established in K.S.A. 2-1004 shall be partially restored and increased to the rate of $.09 per 2,000 pounds or fraction thereof of commercial feedstuffs, sold, offered, exposed or distributed in Kansas.

2. Said inspection fee of $.09 shall be applicable to feeding stuffs tonnage reported for the semi-annual tonnage reports due January 1, 2016, and thereafter. This Order shall remain in effect until otherwise modified by the Secretary.

IT IS SO ORDERED, THIS ___ DAY OF November, 2015, IN TOPEKA, SHAWNEE COUNTY, KANSAS.

Jackie McClaskey, Secretary
Kansas Department of Agriculture