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Meat Grading & Certification Branch

CERTIFIED ANGUS BEEF "A" STAMP ASSIGNMENTS

Purpose

This Instruction lists the Certified Angus Beef stamp assignments by applicant and number. An "R" preceding the stamp number identifies Red Angus stamps. Effective November 23, 2009, plants may construct their own "A" and "R" stamps to meet size requirements for export to Mexico. Meat Grading and Certification (MGC) Branch agents will continue to monitor the application of "A" and "R" stamps on the harvest floor either by video or by direct observation. MGC Branch issued and plant constructed stamps must be visible and legible for certification. Both types of stamps shall be controlled by MGC Branch agents when not in use.

Applicant	Primary "A" Stamp Numbers	Backup "A" Stamp Numbers	Lost "A" Stamp Numbers
Agri-Star Meat and Poultry, Postville, IA	120		
Beltex dba Frontier Meats, Fort Worth, TX	55-1	85-1	
Cargill Meat Solutions, Dodge City, KS	24	09, 123	41
Cargill Meat Solutions, Fort Morgan, CO	12, 154		R08, R02
Cargill Meat Solutions, Friona, TX	82	127	74
Cargill Meat Solutions, Plainview, TX	87	90, 106	86
Cargill Meat Solutions, Schuyler, NE	51	107	
Cargill Meat Solutions, Wyalusing, PA	104	105	
Elk Horn Valley Packing, Wellington, KS	132	133	
Double J Foods, Pierce, CO	117		
Greater Omaha Packing, Omaha, NE	118	93	13, 30, 52, 53, 96
Green Bay Dressed Beef, Green Bay, WI	98	100	
JBS Moyer Souderton, Souderton, PA	102	94	101

Applicant	Primary "A" Stamp Numbers	Backup "A" Stamp Numbers	Lost "A" Stamp Numbers
JBS Packerland Green Bay, Green Bay, WI	10	44	
JBS Swift and Company, Grand Island, NE	168	79	
JBS Swift Beef, Hyrum UT	146	147	
JBS Swift Plainwell, Plainwell, MI	48	49	
JBS Swift, Dumas, TX	75	76	99
National Beef Packing Company, Dodge City, KS	145	151	54, 130
National Beef Packing Company, Liberal, KS	65	95	
Nebraska Beef, Inc., Omaha, NE	71	156	70
Nebraska Prime, Hastings, NE	177		
P.M. Windom, Windom, MN	164		04, 49
Tyson Fresh Meats, Amarillo, TX	15	55	
Tyson Fresh Meats, Dakota City, NE			27, 56, 124
Tyson Fresh Meats, Denison, IA			17, 138, 57
Tyson Fresh Meats, Finney County, KS	142	112	19, 39, 59, 85
Tyson Fresh Meats, Joslin, IL	62, 63, 108		20, 64, 137
Tyson Fresh Meats, Lexington, NE	153	159	72, 73
Tyson Fresh Meats, Pasco, WA	69	126	
Washington Beef, Toppenish, WA	47	135	07

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