UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
BEFORE THE SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE

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In re:

P & S Docket No. D-12-0210

Karnes City Auction, Inc.,
Brian Morris and Ronald Morris

Respondents

Order Dismissing Respondent Karnes City Auction, Inc. from Complaint

The instant matter involves a complaint filed on January 26, 2012, by the Deputy Administrator, Packers and Stockyards Program, Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration (GIPSA), United States Department of Agriculture (Complainant) against Karnes City Auction, Inc., Brian Morris, and Ronald Morris (Respondents), alleging violations of the Packers and Stockyards Act, 1921, as amended and supplemented (7 U.S.C. § 181 *et seq.*)(Act) and the regulations promulgated thereunder (9 C.F.R. § 201.1 *et seq.*)(regulations).

Complainant's Motion for Dismissal of the Complaint Against Respondent Karnes City Auction, Inc., filed April 13, 2012, is GRANTED. Accordingly, as to only Respondent Karnes City Auction, Inc., this case is dismissed without prejudice.

Copies of this Dismissal Without Prejudice shall be served by the Hearing Clerk upon each of the parties (including the other two respondents), together with a copy of the Motion filed April 13, 2012.

Done at Washington, D.C.

this 18th day of April, 2012

[redacted]

Administrative Law Judge

for Judge Janice K. Bullard