BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application)	Application No. GD-2195
of First Rate Trading, LLC,)	
Hadar, Nebraska, seeking)	
authority to operate as a grain)	GRANTED
dealer pursuant to Neb. Rev.)	
Stat. § 75-903 (Reissue of)	
2016).)	Entered: November 28, 2017

BY THE COMMISSION:

By application filed June 15, 2017, with the Nebraska Public Service Commission ("Commission"), First Rate Trading, LLC, ("Applicant") of Hadar, Nebraska, seeks authority to operate as a grain dealer pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. § 75-903 (Reissue of 2016) and 291 NAC 8, § 003 (2016).

Applicant has filed the required annual fee and security in the form of an Irrevocable Letter of Credit in the amount of \$35,000 in compliance with 291 NAC 8, § 003.04 (2016). Such security is for the benefit of any producer within the state who files a valid claim arising from a sale to a grain dealer. Applicant has also filed a financial statement that meets the requirements of 291 NAC 8, § 003.03.

OPINION AND FINDINGS

Being fully advised in the premise, the Commission finds First Rate Trading, LLC, has met the requirements of Nebraska law and Commission Rules, and should therefore be issued a grain dealer license.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application No. GD-2195, be and is hereby, granted, and First Rate Trading, LLC, is authorized to operate as a licensed grain dealer in the State of Nebraska.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that First Rate Trading, LLC, is hereby issued a grain dealer license that expires September 30, 2018, unless used in a manner inconsistent with Nebraska Statutes and the Rules and Regulations of this Commission.

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ENTERED AND MADE EFFECTIVE at Lincoln, Nebraska, this $28^{\rm th}$ day of November, 2017.

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COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

ATTEST:

//s//Frank E. Landis
//s//Tim Schram

Deputy Director