

## Thompson, Eric - FSIS

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**From:** Thompson, Eric - FSIS  
**Sent:** Friday, August 30, 2013 2:54 PM  
**To:** Hammar, Melissa - FSIS  
**Cc:** Engeljohn, Daniel - FSIS; Gilmore, Keith - FSIS; Bane, Robert - FSIS; Cornett, Julie - FSIS; Kiecker, Paul - FSIS  
**Subject:** RE: Equine -- MO

Good Afternoon Melissa,

We are assuming Mr. Rains lawyer figured out that he can self attest. If we get the self attestation for the clean water act, then we will be ready to issue the grant. All Mr. Rains will say is that he will submit documents Tuesday. I have sent you a list of all the documents we have and what we need. The CatEx will come from Dr. Engeljohn. All we need from Rains is the 401 certificate or a self attestation, and he has yet to receive a 401 certificate from the MO DNR. The rest of what is needed we have (grant, cover letter, voluntary withdrawal, and Hours of operations request) in the office and just need to complete and sign. If we get some form of attestation from Rains on Tuesday, I will send it to your office for review. Thanks.

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**From:** Hammar, Melissa - FSIS  
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**To:** Thompson, Eric - FSIS  
**Subject:** RE: Equine -- MO

You mentioned that Rains will send you more documents on Tuesday. After you receive the documents will you be ready to issue the grant? I'm just trying to figure out when I need to send Dan the updated catex document.

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**From:** Thompson, Eric - FSIS  
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**To:** Engeljohn, Daniel - FSIS  
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We can assign inspection immediately after issuing the grant of inspection. One question, I do not know what a CatEx document is.

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When would you assign inspection and begin inspecting once the grant is issued?

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Subject: RE: Equine -- MO

Hi Dan,

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How soon after you issue the grant do you think the plant will start operating?

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From: Engeljohn, Daniel - FSIS [<mailto:Daniel.Engeljohn@fsis.usda.gov>]  
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To: 'sheila.novak@usda.gov'; Bolick, Thomas - OGC  
Subject: Equine -- MO

FSIS needs to know if [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] I believe that FSIS will have to respond to the grant request as a final determination as early as mid-week. Thanks.

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