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## Wenger Feeds Pennsylvania Mills Achieve Process Verified Status

Rheems, PA (October 4, 2016) – Wenger Feeds is pleased to announce that all its Pennsylvania based mills are now Process Verified through the USDA's Process Verified Program. The company is the first independent feed mill in the country to achieve certification. This verification offers Wenger's customers a unique way to market their food products using clearly defined, implemented, and transparent process points.

By certifying all Commonwealth-based locations, the company offers its customers and its manufacturing team greater flexibility. In addition, individual customers will no longer have to bear the time and cost associated with single audits as each location will be certified for all Process Verified programs.

The program is audited regularly by the USDA and includes how Wenger Feeds conforms to customer defined requirements. As such, process points must be verifiable, repeatable, feasible, and factual and cannot be requirements of regulations or management system criteria.

Wenger's triple ISO certification in ISO 9001, ISO 14001, and OHSAS 18001 was an asset in achieving Process Verified Certification. "Our ISO certification was key in achieving Process Verified Status as the system is based on the ISO 9001 standard. We were able to build procedures that address each set of customer requirements and group them into one certification," noted Clay Henry, Quality and Food Safety Manager.

Wenger Feeds, a regional poultry and swine feed manufacturer serving the Mid-Atlantic region, is a member of the Wenger Group™, a comprehensive Agricultural Company offering Feed, Ingredients, Eggs and Egg Marketing, Flock Services, and Pullet Growing.

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