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ROADS AND TRAFFIC AUTHORITY APPEAL DISMISSED

GrainCorp (ASX GNC) today confirmed that the NSW Supreme Court had dismissed an appeal by the NSW Roads and Traffic Authority (the Authority) against a judgement handed down in the NSW Local Court (Burwood) on 26 May 2008.

The Authority had sought to prosecute GrainCorp over alleged breaches of the Road Transport (General) Act 2005 relating to 'chain of responsibility', and the unloading of overloaded grain trucks.

The original case against GrainCorp was dismissed.

In welcoming the decision to dismiss the appeal lodged by the Authority, GrainCorp Managing Director Mr. Mark Irwin said, "We are glad to finally have this matter resolved."

"The decision to dismiss the appeal lodged by the Authority indicates that GrainCorp took appropriate steps in late 2005 when the 'chain of responsibility' legislation came into effect to develop a responsible policy, and to put into place reasonable practices, to manage overloaded grain deliveries."

"GrainCorp supports the 'chain of responsibility' principles and the intent of the regulation, and we urge all carriers and growers to ensure their trucks are not overloaded when transporting grain in NSW," Mr. Irwin said.

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