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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
Commodity Credit Corporation

### SEVERANCE AGREEMENT

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**WHEREAS**, (a) James Francis Funke and  
(b) Elaine Marie Funke, of (c) Edgewood, County of  
(d) Delaware, State of (e) Iowa, (herein called Debtors), have  
applied to the Commodity Credit Corporation (herein called the Secured Party), for a loan and have agreed to give the  
Secured Party a security interest in the following-described fixture(s) (f):

33-11-32 2 ring door, farm bin shell & roof, aeration floor, fans & accessories, unload system, outside stairs & ladders, spreaders, anchors, 6" basic horiz transfer auger w/ super hopper, 6" cont flow auger extends 10, 6" cont flow auger extends 20, 6" quad star truss, double, 5hp 1 phase electric motor, blue flame dryer, transition f/bl flame, turbo booster 1 phase, concrete, freight, labor, and all other attachments.

which fixture(s) is (are) affixed to the following-described real estate: (Add legal description) (g):

The East 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 12, Township 90 North, Range 5, West of the Fifth P.M., except the railroad right of way, Delaware County, Iowa.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of the making or insuring of such loan by the Secured Party, the undersigned parties hereby (1) consent that the Debtors may grant to the Secured Party a security interest in said fixture(s) under the Uniform Commercial Code, (2) consent to the installation of said equipment and agree said equipment shall be and remain severed from the real property described above, and (3) agree that upon default of Debtors the Secured Party may (a) take possession of and remove said fixture(s) without notice to the undersigned parties and without liability to them for any diminution of value of the real estate caused by the absence of the fixture(s) or by any necessity for replacing the fixture(s), and (b) enforce its security interest against said fixture(s) as personally.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned parties hereto have executed this instrument

this (h) 21 day of (i) August, (j) 2023 (year).

if a corporation:

Michael J. Funke Revocable Trust  
Michael J. FUNKE REVOCABLE TRUST

(k) Name of Corporate (Mortgagee) (Owner) \*

(n) Individual (Mortgagee) (Owner) \*

By Michael John Funke  
Michael JOHN FUNKE

(l) Duly Authorized Officer

(o) Individual (Mortgagee) (Owner) \*

Trustee

(m) Title

**CORPORATE  
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"Mortgagee" includes holder of any type of real estate lien.

\*Delete "Mortgagee" or "Owner."

(p) STATE OF Iowa  
(q) COUNTY OF Delaware }

SS. **ACKNOWLEDGMENT:**

On this (r) 21 day of (s) August in the year (t) 2023, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said State, personally appeared (u) Michael John Funke, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual(s) whose name(s) is (are) subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same in his/her/their capacity (ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument, the individual(s) or the person on behalf of which the individual(s) acted, execute the instrument.

(SEAL)

Shirley Matternach



(v) Notary Public

My commission expires (w) 8-31-2026

8-31-2026

(MM-DD-YYYY)

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