## **Committee on Energy and Commerce**

U.S. House of Representatives Witness Disclosure Requirement - "Truth in Testimony" Required by House Rule XI, Clause 2(g)

1.	Your Name: Chris Hurt
2.	Are you testifying on behalf of the Federal, or a State or localYesNogovernment entity?X
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4.	Other than yourself, please list which entity or entities you are representing:
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Since 1981, Dr. Hurt has held a position which spans teaching,

research, and extension education at Purdue University in West Lafayette, Indiana. He has taught three popular undergraduate courses in agricultural marketing: Grain Marketing, Livestock Marketing, and Advanced Futures and Options. He has had over 4,000 college students over his 30+ years of teaching.

Professor Hurt speaks to agriculturally related groups throughout the country. Areas of expertise include: grain and livestock marketing, price outlook, farm decision making, governmental agricultural programs, and most recently implications of biofuels policy on global agriculture production and food availability. Invited presentations approach 100 per year with about 8,000 people in attendance. He also is a co-coordinator of a weekly agricultural outlook newsletter with the University of Illinois that blankets farm audiences in both Illinois and Indiana. Internationally, he has worked in Japan, South Korea, Malaysia, Mexico, and Canada.

He has published many articles on agricultural topics and his work is widely quoted by the press. Requests for media interviews exceed 200 per year. He has been a contributor to a host of national media that cover agriculture and food stories such as the Wall Street Journal, Business Week, Kiplinger's, the New York Times, Associated Press, L.A. Times, Dow Jones News Service, Bloomberg's, Reuters, and broadcast media such as National Public Radio, CBS Evening News, NBC Evening News, MSNBC, ABC, FOX, U.S. Farm Report, and AgDay.

His work has been recognized with numerous awards at the national, state, and University levels. Nationally, he has been recognized by the American Agricultural Economics Association for having the "Premier Award in Extension Education" in the country and in 2009 he received the prestigious "Quality of Communication Award" for the most important published work by Agricultural Economists in the U.S. and Canada. Other National Awards have included the Superior Service Award from the U.S. Department of Agriculture and national education awards from the National Pork Producers Association, and the American Society of Agricultural Engineers.