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SUBJECT: Compliance Agreement Request Addendum

This letter serves as the formal request for Southern Minnesota Beet Sugar Cooperative (SMBSC) to be the responsible entity and enter into a compliance agreement with APHIS/BRS in advance of the shipment (import/movement) of H7-1 sugar beets (seeds) associated with the H7-1 sugar beet root crop production activities. I, [Redacted PII], am the authorized representative approved by SMBSC, the responsible entity, and authorized to request, legally bind and obligate, and sign the compliance agreement on behalf of SMBSC and its members, growers, contractors, etc.

Southern Minnesota Beet Sugar Cooperative wishes to import/move H7-1 sugar beet (seeds) associated with sugar beet research activities. The required information is provided below. We would prefer that APHIS send us the compliance agreement for review and signature via Fax at [Redacted PII].

Business Information:

Responsible entity: Southern Minnesota Beet Sugar Cooperative
83550 County Road 21, Renville, MN 56284
Nature of responsible entity: Cooperative, Sugar Processor
Number and type of members: Approximately 500, grower owners
States where activities will be conducted under the compliance agreement: Minnesota, Colorado, Idaho, Oregon, Wyoming and North Dakota
Type of activities that will be conducted under the compliance agreement: Seed movement

Third Party Inspector and Third Party Auditor Information:

Not Applicable

For Importation and Movement:

Companies shipping H7-1 sugar beet seed (origin): All locations listed on Exhibit A (attached)
Companies receiving H7-1 seed (destination): All locations listed on Exhibit A (attached)
Approximate total quantity of H7-1 seed: 100 units
Timeframe seed will be received / shipped: Approximately March 15, 2011 to July 15, 2011

These seeds will be shipped to the listed locations for various seed treatments and/or for placement in various research trials. Seed that has been treated, or excess seed that is not used for research purposes may be shipped back to the origin.

For Environmental Release:

Not Applicable

If you have any questions regarding the above information, do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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