

The U.S. Public Health Security and Bioterrorism Preparedness Response Act of 2002 requires registration with the U.S. Food and Drug Administration ("FDA") of facilities that manufacture, process, pack, or hold food for human or animal consumption in the United States. Additionally, the Food Safety Modernization Act requires re-registration by December 31, 2012 and biennial thereafter. All covered ADM facilities are registered and ADM has procedures to assure that those registrations are properly maintained. ADM also has procedures in place to assure we meet regulatory requirements regarding record keeping by registered facilities. The Global Trade Compliance section of ADM works with key managers, customs brokers and carriers involved in importing to implement systems and procedures for compliance with the prior notice regulations issued by the FDA and to develop a flow of information that continuously ensures a timely and efficient transfer of data.

ADM's Code of Conduct recognizes the Company's obligation to follow applicable laws and regulations in every aspect of its business. Specifically, it has been and will continue to be the intent of ADM to fully comply with the regulations issued pursuant to the Public Health Security and Bioterrorism Preparedness Response Act ("Bioterrorism Act").

Occasionally, we are asked to provide registration numbers issued to ADM facilities registered under the Bioterrorism Act. Due to security concerns and advice issued by the FDA, ADM will not disclose those registration numbers, which the FDA has declared as beyond the reach of Freedom of Information Act requests. Provision of those numbers would, in our estimation, be unwise because of concerns that it could allow access to information that should be treated as confidential. However, if a customer needs confirmation of registration of specific facilities, that confirmation can be provided upon request.

Sustainability is a priority for ADM as it serves vital needs globally. Supplying our customers and the markets they serve with responsibly grown agricultural products is an operational priority at ADM. Sustainably produced crops and products reduce the impact to the environment and benefit the communities where we live and work. ADM actively participates in internationally recognized certification schemes to support sustainable agriculture worldwide. For example, ADM participates in the Roundtable for Responsible Soy, the Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil, the International Standard for Carbon Certification and more to support the development and implementation of sustainable agriculture.

ADM is committed to supplying its customers with safe, high-quality products. If you need additional information regarding the issue of product and process protection at ADM, please feel free to communicate with your service or technical contact or with Product Quality, Regulatory and Scientific Affairs which can be reached by phone (217) 451- 4880, by email (ProductQRSA@adm.com) or by facsimile (217) 451-2248.



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