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Director Clarence Watson Mississippi – Mississippi State University 210 Bost Building Box 9740 Mississippi State, 39762

Dear Director Watson:

The Executive Director on behalf of the Regional Directors Association has RECOMMENDED APPROVAL of the following MRF project S–1017 – Improved Systems for Management of Economically–Important Arthropod Pests Attacking Pecan beginning October 01, 2002 through September 30, 2008.

CSREES concurs with the recommendation of the Executive Director and has APPROVED this project. A copy of the approved MRF project outline will be available to all participating stations and agencies via the National Information Management and Support System.

Sincerely

for GARY L. CUNNINGHAM

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Associate Administrator, CSREES

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