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Director David Thawley Nevada – University of Nevada Agricultural Experiment Station

Reno, 89557

Dear Director Thawley:

The Executive Director on behalf of the Regional Directors Association has **RECOMMENDED EXTENSION** of MRF project WERA-1 – Beef Cattle Breeding in the Western Region to September 30, 2008.

CSREES concurs with the recommendation of the Executive Director and has **APPROVED** this extension. All contributing projects are automatically extended to September 30, 2008. We would appreciate your assistance in notifying all non–SAES participants of this action.

Sincerely

for Dr. Ralph Otto

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Associate Administrator, CSREES

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