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Director Alan E Baquet
Nebraska – University of Nebraska
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207 Agricultural Hall
Lincoln, 68583-0704

Dear Director Baquet:

The Executive Director on behalf of the Regional Directors Association has **RECOMMENDED EXTENSION** of MRF project NC-1016 – Economic Assessment of Changes in Trade Arrangements, Bio-terrorism Threats and Renewable Fuels Requirements on the U.S. Grain and Oilseed Sector (formerly NCT195 and NC224) to September 30, 2010.

CSREES concurs with the recommendation of the Executive Director and has **APPROVED** this extension. All contributing projects are automatically extended to September 30, 2010. We would appreciate your assistance in notifying all non-SAES participants of this action.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Barbara A. Hewitt".

for Dr. Ralph Otto
Associate Administrator, CSREES

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