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President

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Ms. Teresa Lasseter
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Dear Ms. Lasseter:

I am the President of Andino Energy Enterprises, LLC, the company which owns the St. James Sugar Mill located at 5354 St. James Coop St., P.O. Box 67, St. James, Louisiana 70086. On behalf of Andino Energy, I hereby provide the following application for a sugar allotment.

Application for Sugar Allotment

- A. Name of Processing Company: Andino Energy Enterprises, L.L.C.
- B. Type of Sugar Crop to be Processed: Sugar Cane
- C. Source of Crop:
(1) State: Louisiana
(2) County: St. James, Ascension, Assumption, St. John and Lafourche Parishes
(3) Number of Farms: Still to be determined
(4) Harvested Acres for Sugar:
Crop Years:
2008- 10,000 acres, 500,000 tons of cane;
2009- 15,000 acres, 600,000 tons of cane;
2010- 20,000 acres, 800,000 tons of cane;
2011- 25,000 acres, 1,000,000 tons of cane; and
2012- 30,000 acres, 1,200,000 tons of cane.
- D. Location of Factory: St. James Sugar Mill – 5354 St. James Coop St., P.O. Box 67, St. James, Louisiana 70086.
- E. Summary of factory material balances:
2008- 6500 TC/Day, 500,000 TC/Year- 50,000 tons of sugar per year- 2,000,000 gallons of molasses per year;
2009- 7500 TC/Day- 600,000 TC/Year- 60,000 tons of sugar per year- 3,000,000 gallons of molasses per year;

2010- 9000 TC/Day- 800,000 TC/Year- 80,000 tons of sugar per year- 4,000,000 gallons of molasses per year;
2011- 10,000 TC/Day- 1,000,000 TC/Year- 100,000 tons of sugar per year- 5,000,000 gallons of molasses per year; and
2012- 12,000 TC/Day- 1,200,000 TC/Year- 120,000 tons of sugar per year- 6,000,000 gallons of molasses per year.

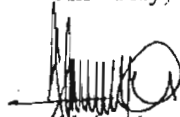
F. Summary of Transportation and Marketing Plan: Andino Energy will ship and sell raw sugar by truck or rail to two local refineries, Imperial and Domino.

G. Amount of Requested Allocation for Each of the First Allotment Years:

Crop Year 2008	50,000 tons
Crop Year 2009	60,000 tons
Crop Year 2010	80,000 tons
Crop Year 2011	100,000 tons
Crop Year 2012	120,000 tons

On behalf of the company, I appreciate your consideration of our application. If you have any questions regarding the above, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,



Alejandro Santacoloma
J. Roddy Hulett