



DATE: October 23, 2008

RE: JBS acquisition of Five Rivers Ranch Cattle Feeding LLC

The JBS acquisition of Five Rivers Ranch Cattle Feeding LLC closed today, October 23, 2008.

Effective immediately, "Five Rivers Ranch Cattle Feeding LLC" will now be known as "JBS Five Rivers Cattle Feeding LLC," operating as an independent business unit. JBS Five Rivers Cattle Feeding will continue to operate under the leadership of Mike Thoren, President and Chief Executive Officer.

For further information, contact the Five Rivers corporate office at (970) 612-1600.