APPRECIATION TO THE MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT.

Whereas, Traverse City, Michigan was the site of the 88th Annual Central Plant Board Meeting on June 4-7, 2012, the meeting was excellently arranged, hosted and organized by the Michigan Department of Agriculture and Rural Development. The Michigan staff was exceedingly accommodating, professional, and hospitable; the meeting site was excellent and convenient; and the meeting was remarkably successful and enjoyable for all.

Resolved: By the Central Plant Board at its 88th annual meeting in Traverse City, Michigan on June 7, 2012, that the members of the Central Plant Board, one and all, do sincerely and wholeheartedly appreciate the planning, long hours of preparation and hosting performed by the Michigan Department of Agriculture and Rural Development.

Be it further resolved: That the members of the Central Plant Board, one and all, do sincerely and wholeheartedly appreciate the cooperation and support of the Michigan USDA APHIS PPQ staff for the support of the meeting and assistance with planning and preparation.

Be it further resolved: That a copy of this resolution is provided to Jamie Clover Adams, Director of the Michigan Department of Agriculture and Rural Development and every staff member who were so instrumental in the success of the Central Plant Board’s 88th annual meeting in Traverse City, Michigan. Special thanks are extended to Robin Rosenbaum, Tina Campbell, Jeanette Towsley, Mike Bryan and Lexa Panessidi of the Michigan Department of Agriculture and Rural Development.

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