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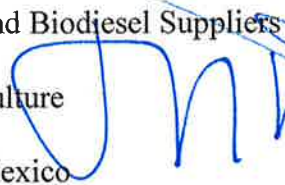
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MEMORANDUM

TO: Petroleum Refiners, Marketers, and Biodiesel Suppliers

FROM: Jeff M. Witte, Secretary of Agriculture

SUBJECT: Temporary Suspension of New Mexico

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In accordance with Section 57-19-28 paragraph C NMSA 1978 and in consultation with the secretary of the Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department and pursuant to regular, periodic monitoring of biodiesel supplies and price differentials, New Mexico Department of Agriculture has issued a "Temporary Suspension of New Mexico's Biodiesel Mandate."

Section 57-19-29 paragraph C of the Petroleum Products Standards Act will be suspended for a period of six months effective November 1, 2013, through April 30, 2014.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Mr. Joe E. Gomez, division director for Standards and Consumer Services, at (575) 646-1616.

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