

# OFFICE OF THE TEXAS STATE CHEMIST

Texas Feed and Fertilizer Control Service • Agricultural Analytical Service  
445 Agronomy Road • College Station, TX 77843-2114

Mailing Address  
P. O. Box 3160  
College Station, TX 77841-3160

Tel. (979) 845 1121  
Fax. (979) 845 1389  
<http://otsc.tamu.edu>

July 7, 2011

## Certificate of HACCP Plan Conformance

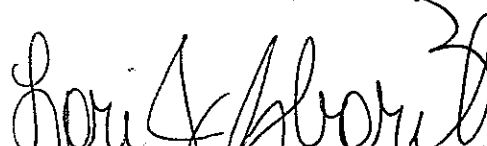
Mercer Milling Company located at 4698 Crossroads Park Drive, Liverpool, New York 13088, is licensed with the Texas Feed and Fertilizer Control Service to manufacture and distribute commercial feed in the state of Texas. On June 10, 2011, an investigator from the Service, trained in basic HACCP principles and HACCP plan verification, conducted an inspection at the Mercer Milling Company facility. The observations at the time of inspection indicated that Mercer Milling Company was in compliance with all of the regulatory prerequisite requirements found in 21 C.F.R. 225.120-225.202 Current Good Manufacturing Practices, 21 C.F.R. 589.2000 Animal Proteins Prohibited in Ruminant Feeds, 21 C.F.R. 589.2001 Cattle Materials Prohibited in Animal Food or Feed to Prevent the Transmission of Bovine Spongiform Encephalopathy, and the HACCP plan and implementation was in conformance with Association of American Feed Control Officials' model Verification Program for a Voluntary HACCP Plan.

Please feel free to contact our Office if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

  
Ben Jones  
Associate Director

Sworn to before me, a Notary Public, this 7<sup>th</sup> day of July 2011.

  
Lori Zboril

