

Gulf Ethanol Announces Third-Generation Technology

HOUSTON, TX, Sep 15, 2008 (MARKET WIRE via COMTEX) -- Gulf Ethanol Corporation (PINKSHEETS: GFET) announced today the implementation of its third-generation feedstock pre-processing unit. "With each development of the technology, we become more efficient in our processing," noted Bill Carmichael, Gulf's President.

Gulf is now expanding its testing protocols beyond sorghum and corn to sawdust, switchgrass and grass clippings. The company feels each of these feedstocks has potential application for ethanol production. "As we test and improve on our technology, we develop slightly different configurations and protocols for each feedstock due to its inherent characteristics," Mr. Carmichael noted.

"By November, we plan to complete the initial testing and begin design of a full-scale commercial processing unit," he concluded.

About Gulf Ethanol Corporation

Gulf Ethanol is an alternative energy company focused on the development of the cellulosic ethanol industry with a particular emphasis on Texas and the Gulf Coast.