

# American Sugar Refining, Inc.

Subject: GMO Statement

January, 2010

To All American Sugar Refining, Inc. Valued Customers:

This is in response to recent requests from our customers regarding the use of genetically engineered additives or ingredients in the manufacture of our various refined sugar products.

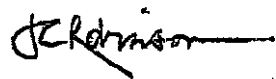
Please be advised that to our knowledge all Domino Sugar<sup>®</sup> and C&H Sugar granulated, brown (soft) and liquid sugar products, and the following Specialty products and their ingredients are not developed using bioengineering or biotechnology: Amerfond<sup>®</sup> Fondant Sugar, DiPac<sup>®</sup> Direct Compacting & Tableting Sugar, Envision<sup>®</sup> Flavor and Texture Modifier, Super Envision<sup>®</sup>, Brownulated<sup>®</sup> Brown Sugar (both Gran and Powder), Rice and Brown Rice Syrup, Evaporated Cane Juice, Barley Malt Extract, FreshVert<sup>®</sup> Invert Sugar, Nulomoline<sup>®</sup> Invert Sugar, Easy Fond<sup>®</sup>, Nulofond<sup>®</sup>, Bakers Drivert<sup>®</sup>, Millhouse<sup>®</sup> Molasses, Light Brown Enrobing Syrup, Refiners Edible Blackstrap Molasses, Liquid Honey, NF Granulated Sugars, Qwik-flo<sup>®</sup> Honey Granules/Powder/Nuggets, Qwik-flo<sup>®</sup> Molasses Granules/Powder, Cane Refinery Syrup, and Sugarcane Molasses products.

With respect to the DiPac<sup>®</sup> Direct Compacting & Tableting Sugar product, this product does not intentionally\* contain any genetically engineered additives or ingredients (\*adventitious commingling may occur at the supplier's facility).

In addition, these same products are not considered genetically modified or are not derived from a genetically modified organism as defined by the European Community directives 1830/2003/EC on labeling and traceability and 1829/2003/EC on genetically modified food and feed and any impending legislation.

I trust this information is sufficient. Should you require additional information, please contact our sales organization.

Sincerely,  
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