



FACILITY CERTIFICATION INSTITUTE

Certificate of Facility Certification

Restricted Use Protein Products

The Facility Certification Institute hereby certifies that:

MERRICKS, INC.
Union Center, WI 53962

has been reviewed by an authorized certifying agent of the Facility Certification Institute (FCI) and finds that this facility qualifies for FCI Certification and is authorized to display FCI's Restricted Use Protein Products Certified Facility seal of approval.

This Certificate of Certification expires June 22, 2012

Certified Facility Number 10009-002



*IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto
set my hand and caused my official seal to
be affixed at the County of Arlington,
Virginia this 22nd day of June, AD 2011.*

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Brian Smith".

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This certificate certifies compliance by the above-named facility with the applicable program requirements of the Facility Certification Institute, which requirements are intended to reduce the possibility of cross-contamination of ruminant feed products with protein derived from mammalian tissues as defined by 21 C.F.R. § 589.2000 & 589.2001. It is not intended to certify or imply the particular operating conditions within the facility at any particular time nor that the facility has been certified as free of cross-contamination from such protein products. This certification means that the facility has implemented written quality control checkpoints and good manufacturing practices within applicable industry standards and FDA regulations and guidelines. This certificate is the property of the Facility Certification Institute and must be surrendered upon request by FCI in conformance with the FCI Restricted Use Protein Program.