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**Testing of 2010 California Rice  
Foundation, Registered, Certified and Grade Seed**

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The California Rice Commission, which is established pursuant to state law, notified public and private breeding programs, seed dealers and the holders of farm-saved seed to submit samples of their foundation, registered, certified and grade seed to be planted in 2010 for testing for the presence of Liberty Link traits.

Seed samples were sent to an independent third party and then forwarded to a GIPSA approved laboratory for analysis using the 35S-Bar PCR test to a detection limit of 0.01 percent (0.01%).

We are pleased to report that no detections were found in any of the 2010 foundation, registered, certified or grade seed that was tested.

Comprehensive testing results are available online at [www.calrice.org/e\\_industry.htm](http://www.calrice.org/e_industry.htm). To request hard copies by mail or fax, please contact the California Rice Commission office at 916/387-2264.

Sincerely,

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