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RE: Non-GMO rice status

In 2006 it was discovered that a small amount of the USA's long grain rice crop contained a Genetically Engineered gene. Following this discovery, RIBUS began testing each lot of bran purchased to be able to document that its products were Non-GMO.

In addition to the steps taken by RIBUS, the USA rice industry has taken measures to isolate the GM rice, eliminate its propagation and conduct additional testing for validation.

Based on these measures, RIBUS is able to sell its products as Non-GMO.

Best regards,

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President