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### **Robert Riley Makes Key Presentation to the American Feed Industry Association's Liquid Feed Symposium**

**Des Moines, IA – September 14, 2007** – Robert Riley, President and CEO of Des Moines based Feed Energy Company spoke recently at the American Feed Industry Association's Liquid Feed Symposium in Scottsdale, AZ. His presentation, titled "Biofuels & Unintended Consequences – The Rest of the Story," explored the dynamics that exist between the current boom in the production of biofuels such as ethanol and the ultimate potential impact on the food supply.

The theme of this year's Symposium was "Liquid Feed – Impacts From an Evolving Economy". Along with regulatory and ingredient forecasts, topics covered included the latest nutritional research, biofuels, ethanol by-products and the outlook for the dairy industry. All speakers were experts from industry, academia and nutritional research.

AFIA's Liquid Feed contact Leanna Nail states, "Attendance at the 2007 Liquid Feed Symposium demonstrated the broad interest in bio-fuel development and research. This year's symposium focused heavily on understanding the values and possible pitfalls of ethanol production and the use of the resulting by-products. Valuable understanding of the potential impact on the liquid feed industry, including some unforeseen consequences, was examined by Bob Riley, President and CEO of Feed Energy Company."

Feed Energy Company is an agribusiness firm primarily engaged in processing soybean oil co-products for use in feed, agronomy, dust control, fuel, and industrial and fertilizer applications. The company is one of the largest acidulators of soybean soap stock in North America and produces scientifically balanced ingredients specific to their customers' needs. The company headquarters and original production facility have been in Des Moines for more than 30 years, with additional Iowa production facilities in Sioux City and Pacific Junction.

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