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Charles R. Staples Receives American Feed Industry Association Award

Savoy, IL – The American Dairy Science Association is proud to announce Charles R. Staples as the 2008 recipient of the American Feed Industry Association Award. The award was presented on Wednesday, July 11, 2008, during the awards ceremony at the ADSA Annual Meeting in Indianapolis, Indiana.

The American Feed Industry Association Award was created to promote research in dairy cattle nutrition. The award recognizes an individual who has made a worthy contribution to research of dairy cattle nutrition within the ten years immediately prior to the year of the award. The winner must have had original research work published, conducted research at a public institution, hospital, or similar institution, and been a member of the American Dairy Science Association for at least five successive years.

Charles R. Staples is nationally and internationally recognized for his very productive research program in both basic and applied dairy cattle nutrition. A central focus of his research program has been to develop new information on the influence of dietary fat, protein, vitamins, and minerals on production, immunity, and reproductive performance of lactating dairy cows. Staples received his BS and MS degrees from New Mexico State University and his PhD from the University of Illinois. He is currently research foundation professor in the Department of Animal Sciences, University of Florida, Gainesville.

It is with great pleasure that ADSA and American Feed Industry Association present Charles R. Staples with the 2008 American Feed Industry Association Award.

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