



REG® Opens New Biodiesel Terminal in Houston

REG biodiesel offers significant value for Texas petroleum marketers and truck stops

(HOUSTON, Texas, Feb. 17, 2009) — Renewable Energy Group® is excited to announce the opening of one of the Houston-area's first biodiesel truck loading facilities effective immediately.

Customers have the option to pick up either B99 or B100 at the 24/7 loading station at the 35 million gallon per year REG Houston production facility located at [11815 Port Rd. in Seabrook](#) (adjacent to the LBC Terminal).

Purchasing biodiesel at the new facility can offer significant value in several ways. First, REG® biodiesel will be competitively priced with #2 Ultra Low Sulfur Diesel Fuel (ULSD) year round. Second, customers who purchase REG biodiesel will be assigned RINS, which are currently worth over \$0.20/gallon. Finally, biodiesel gallons are exempt from Texas' \$0.20/gallon state excise tax according to state law.

“These three factors add up to significant value for our customers' bottom line,” says Gary Haer, vice president of sales and marketing for REG. “The current market conditions in Texas make biodiesel a tremendous choice for truck stops and petroleum distributors throughout the Gulf Coast.”

Haer notes that while B99 or B100 can be picked up from new truck loading facility, several diesel terminals located in the area create options for in-truck splash blending. Every load of REG biodiesel purchased comes with a Certificate of Analysis outlining product quality. REG Houston has an on-site laboratory to ensure quality throughout the biodiesel supply chain.

To receive pricing information, set up an account and schedule a biodiesel pick-up, please contact Mike Alleman or Dallas Moore, REG's sales team members at (515) 239-8082 or (515) 239-8040. Renewable Energy Group offers biodiesel at more than 20 other locations nationwide.

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About Renewable Energy Group®

Renewable Energy Group®, (REG®) leads the biodiesel industry by offering a complete biodiesel solution. Committed to redefining quality, Renewable Energy Group markets REG-9000™ biodiesel, which exceeds ASTM quality specifications, through existing nationwide diesel infrastructure.

REG-9000 biodiesel is marketed through large petroleum companies and fuel distributors and is utilized by on-highway fleets, municipalities, power generator, mining, military, home heating and agriculture applications.

REG-9000 biodiesel is produced by REG network production facilities consisting of state-of-the-art,



proprietary multiple feedstock technology. Renewable Energy Group offers procurement and risk management, production operations and technology services in addition to alternative feedstock research and commercialization.

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