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UPI ANNOUNCES LAUNCH OF TWO NEW HERBICIDE PRODUCTS

UPI, a global leader in the production of high quality crop protection products, has launched two new herbicides in the U.S.

MOCCASIN™ is the first post-patent herbicide containing the active ingredient S-metolachlor (the same active found in Dual Magnum®). Labeled for use on a wide spectrum of crops (including soybeans, cotton, peanuts, potatoes, sugar beets and corn), and with multiple application timings, MOCCASIN is one of the most versatile soil applied herbicides available.

SHUTDOWNTM is a soil applied, long-residual herbicide designed to be used alone or as an economical tank mix partner with a variety of pre-emergent herbicides. Labeled crops include soybeans, sunflowers, tobacco and several vegetable crops. SHUTDOWN contains one of the most commonly used active ingredients in US agriculture, and has a higher active ingredient loading than similar products in the marketplace; giving you that little extra boost in performance.

"We are very excited to add MOCCASIN and SHUTDOWN to our growing portfolio of products", said Chris Bowley, Product Manager, "UPI's mission is to bring high quality and economical options to market that help American growers combat the challenges posed by herbicide resistance. These two products help to reinforce our commitment to this mission."

For full details about MOCCASIN, SHUTDOWN and all UPI products, go to www.upi-usa.com or call (800) 438-6071.

UPI is part of the UPL group of companies. UPL is a basic manufacturer of crop protection products, with over 5,400 employees and 28 production and formulation facilities situated throughout the World. UPI has a large, and growing, global presence in many aspects of agriculture, helping farmers better serve their purpose of feeding and clothing the world's population.

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