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SUGAR ORDER NO. 5

Series of 2015-2016

**SUBJECT: MANDATORY COLLECTION OF MONITORING FEE AND BRDE
LIENS FROM ALL BIOETHANOL FUEL PRODUCERS**

WHEREAS, E. O. No. 18, series of 1986, empowers the Sugar Regulatory Administration (SRA) to issue permits and licenses and collect the corresponding fees and liens on the processing and manufacture of sugar and its by-products and other products derived from sugarcane;

WHEREAS, Rule IV, Section 16 of Department Circular No. DC 2007-05-0006 of the Department of Energy providing for the Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of R. A. No. 9367, otherwise known as the Biofuels Act of 2006, mandates that:

"Section 16. The Sugar Regulatory Administration (SRA)

Pursuant to its mandate under Executive Order No. 18 and the Act, the SRA shall:

b) Together with the DA, PCA and other DA-attached agencies, develop and implement policies supporting the National Biofuels Program and submit the same to the Secretary of the Department of Agriculture for consideration".

WHEREAS, the bioethanol producers unanimously agreed during the stakeholders meeting held on November 3, 2015 to pay the monitoring fee and bioethanol research, development and extension (BRDE) liens to SRA;



