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PRESS RELEASE

FDA Food Contact Notification 908 awarded to Enviro Tech Chemical Services, allowing the use of peroxyacetic acid (PAA) on Ready-To-Eat meat and poultry products.

November 16, 2009 – Enviro Tech Chemical Services, Inc. was awarded FDA Food Contact Notification 908, which allows for Perasan ® MP-2 to be used in process water, ice, or brine for washing, rinsing, storing, or cooling of processed pre-formed meat and poultry products at levels up to 220ppm as PAA. This offers a unique opportunity to add a final antimicrobial dose of PAA to kill both pathogenic and spoilage associated microorganisms in processed meat and poultry products. In addition, PAA is non-corrosive to all grades of stainless steel, and does not need to be listed as an ingredient when used as directed.

Peroxyacetic acid has proven efficacy against *Listeria*, *Salmonella*, *E. Coli O157:H7*, and *Campylobacter*, as well as spoilage-causing microorganisms. In recent years, meat and poultry processors have come under increased scrutiny due to highly-publicized food borne illness outbreaks associated with *Listeria*, *Salmonella*, and *E. Col O157:H7*. Peroxyacetic acid has been used for years as a carcass rinse and food contact surface sanitizer, but Perasan® MP-2 is the only product of its kind approved for use on RTE products. It offers a powerful line of defense in the battle against food borne illness.

Enviro Tech Chemical Services, Inc. is a leading manufacturer of peroxyacetic acid and innovative bromine chemistries. Enviro Tech Chemical Services, Inc. is a privately held company that was founded in Modesto, CA in 1991. Since then, Enviro Tech has earned fourteen EPA "parent" registrations, and three U.S. patents. For more information on Perasan® MP-2 or any of Enviro Tech's technologies, contact Mike Harvey @ (209) 232-2211