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## 5<sup>TH</sup> WORLD DEER CONGRESS

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Rural Industries Research and Development Corporation

**The 5<sup>th</sup> World Deer Congress is to be held in Changchun, Jilin Province, China on July 27-28, 2010.**

The Congress is jointly sponsored by Jilin Agricultural University and Changchun Association for Science and Technology. Its purpose is to expand our knowledge exchange and cooperation in the field of deer science all over the world, promote the development and utilization of deer products in the field of medical care and health protection etc. and quicken the drive of deer farming in the world context.

Jilin Province is located in North-eastern China, where the world famous Sika deer originated. Jilin Province is also the earliest recorded place for artificial breeding of deer in the world with more than 300 years of history. After years of scientific research and productive practice, our university has accumulated a very rich experience in the aspects of medical care and health protection. We have made outstanding technical progress, with products derived from deer now developed into hundreds of types and uses.

In order to promote worldwide deer farming development to improve the level of deer science, encourage and speed the application of deer products to the field of the medicine and health care, we believe this congress will provide an opportunity for deer farmers and experts from all parts of the world to enhance business, scientific and technological contacts and cooperation, and to open a channel for bilateral and multiple common research and development of deer products.

As Chairman of the 5<sup>th</sup> World Deer Farming congress, I sincerely invite you, your friends and your colleagues to Jilin Agricultural University, Changchun, Jilin Province, China. I believe, with your attendance and involvement, the 5<sup>th</sup> World Deer Congress will be a great success.

We welcome you and look forward to seeing you at the Congress.

Yours sincerely,

**Dr. Qin Guixin**

Chairman of the 5<sup>th</sup> World Deer Congress

*Congress documents including a programme, registration details and call for papers to be presented will be made available via a website shortly.*