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TERRABON IN TOP 20 OF 50 HOTTEST BIOENERGY COMPANIES

HOUSTON (November 11, 2011) — Terrabon, Inc., a Houston-based bioenergy company, announced today that it has earned the #19 spot on the 2011 50 Hottest Companies in Bioenergy, an honor bestowed by the independent judging panel and readers of *Biofuels Digest*, a well-respected industry publication. The company advanced an impressive 20 positions from #39 in 2010.

The company credits the advancement to the growing commercial viability of its MixAlco® technology, a solution that addresses challenges in biofuel production. The recent first-place winner of *Biofuel Digest's* 2011 Top Transformative Technologies contest, MixAlco® converts low-cost, readily available, non-food, non-sterile biomass into valuable chemicals such as acetic acid, ketones and alcohols. Terrabon works closely with investment partner Waste Management to obtain feedstock from their waste streams and process it into renewable drop-in transportation fuels such as gasoline and jet fuel.

"Terrabon is grateful to be recognized again on *Biofuels Digest's* list of the Hottest 50 Companies in Bioenergy for 2011," said Gary Luce, CEO, Terrabon. "Our continued advancement on the list reaffirms the industry's confirmation of Terrabon's success in commercializing an innovative technology that we strongly believe will lessen our country's dependence on foreign oil resources."

Biofuels Digest's annual 50 Hottest rankings recognize innovation and achievement in bioenergy development, and are based 60 percent on votes from a 100-member College of international selectors, and 40 percent on votes from subscribers of *Biofuels Digest* and *Renewable Chemicals Digest*. Overall, more than 1,000 companies were eligible in the rankings, 304 companies received votes in the poll and more than 130,000 individual company ratings were completed by voters.

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About Terrabon, Inc.

Terrabon, Inc. is a bioenergy technology company formed in 1995 to commercialize three technologies developed by the Texas Engineering Experiment Station, a member of the Texas A&M University System. Terrabon plans to deploy these cutting-edge technologies through licensing and joint venture arrangements. Its MixAlco® technology converts biomass to green gasoline. AdVe™ is a water desalination process that utilizes advanced vapor-compression evaporation to desalinate salt water into potable water. SoluPro™ is a bio-products process that converts inexpensive protein-bearing waste material into animal feed and "green" commercial adhesives. These

technologies are exclusively licensed to Terrabon by the Texas A&M University System through its Office of Technology Commercialization. Please visit Terrabon's website at www.terrabon.com.