



**Jeffrey M. Ettinger**  
Chairman of the Board  
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Chief Executive Officer

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**Hormel Foods Corporation**  
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April 1, 2014

Mr. Christopher Rangen  
Owner/President  
Rangen, Inc. Commodities Division  
P.O. Box 706  
Buhl, Idaho 83316

Dear Mr. Rangen:

RE: 2013 Spirit of Excellence Supplier Award

Hormel Foods Corporation is proud to present **Rangen, Inc. Commodities Division** with its 2013 Spirit of Excellence Award. This award is presented annually to suppliers who have demonstrated the highest levels of quality, delivery, service, and support throughout the year.

As a result of your company's commitment to excellence, Hormel Foods continues to be a leader within the food industry by providing a balanced portfolio of innovative and quality products.

It is an honor to present this award to Rangen, Inc. Commodities Division. We congratulate you and your team for your outstanding performance.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jeffrey M. Ettinger", written over a light blue circular stamp.

Jeffrey M. Ettinger

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