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## Hurricane Delta

Dear Valued Customer,

In preparation for hurricane Delta, Ashland's Incident Management Team (IMT), which includes representatives from manufacturing, procurement, supply chain, commercial, quality and environmental safety and health, has taken proactive actions to prepare for the storm.

The Ashland procurement team has specific hurricane risk mitigation processes. We are communicating with suppliers that could be in the path of hurricane and assessing their potential exposure to supply risk. In addition, we have alternative supply sources and carry strategic safety stocks to cover short-term disruptions. As per our current assessment, we do not expect any raw material supply concerns.

We have also worked closely with logistics partners and customers. Based on our conversations and the current path of the storm, we do not expect any significant disruption to our supply chain or material delays in customer orders.

Ashland's Incident Management Team will continue to monitor the situation and provide updates.

Sincerely,

Brad Ward  
VP, Global Supply Chain  
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