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Variety Testing

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To: Alabama Cotton Variety Trial Participants

From: Kathryn M. Glass

RE: **2009 Cotton Variety Seed Request, Entry Fees and Entry Forms**

The 2008 Alabama Cotton Variety Report can be found at the following website:

www.alabamavarietytesting.com

Plans are now being made for the *2009 Alabama Flex RR Cotton Variety Trials*.

There will be a fee of \$500.00 per entry. Each entry will be placed at the following four locations: Belle Mina, Prattville, Headland, and Fairhope. We will also conduct an *Irrigated Flex RR Cotton Trial* at both Belle Mina and Headland. We will not charge a fee for these trials. However, entries must already be entered into the regular variety trials.

Due to safety concerns, we require complete labeling of all seed treatments applied.

No systemic insecticide treatments will be allowed (ie. Crusier, Avicta). If seed is found to be in violation of this policy, yield results will not be published and entry fees will be forfeited. Temix 15G will be applied in-furrow at all sites for thrips control.

Please make checks payable to: Auburn University - Dept. of Agronomy & Soils.

8 lbs. of seed per variety are needed for the Flex trials.

Application deadline: **March 20** Seed deadline: **March 26**

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Disclaimer:

Seed received for testing will be used solely for that purpose. Auburn University will not isolate or have isolated, sequence or have sequenced, or analyze or have analyzed genetic material from seed received and shall not use any biotechnology process to manipulate the seed. Seed received will not be transferred to a third party. Auburn University agrees not to use the seed of any experimental lines for plant breeding or seed stock increases. Auburn University retains the right to make crosses with commercially released, non-transgenic, non-patented varieties.

Note: We no longer automatically place all variety trial entries into the Fusarium Wilt trial.