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Please Respond to:

July 23, 2004

Mr. John Warner Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences 3205 College Avenue Ft. Lauderdale, Florida 33314

Dear Mr. Warner:

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Congratulations on being selected as a winner of a 2004 Davis Productivity Award! The Tree Termite Eradication Task Force has won a Notable Achievement Award for developing and implementing an eradication program to eliminate a destructive termite species that could have destroyed well over a million dollars worth of homes and land. You and your team are commended for your effort, which has successfully eliminated 90% of the infested area and prevented the termites from spreading, and created a cost savings of \$71,081 to the State of Florida. Through your hard work and dedication, you have become a standard-bearer of excellence to the Department and Florida State government.

Once again, congratulations for your award-winning service!

Sincerely,

CHARLES H. BRONSON

COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE

cc: Steven J. Rutz, Director, Division of Agricultural Environmental Services

