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ATTN: Film and TV industry suppliers

RE: Renewable Diesel (R100)

The **Sustainable Production Alliance (SPA)** is a consortium of the world's leading motion picture, television and streaming companies dedicated to accelerating the transformation of the entertainment business into a more sustainable industry.

SPA is aggressively working to reduce the environmental impacts of physical content production. Our recently released [Close Up: Carbon Emissions of Film and TV Productions](#) report shows that **emissions from fuel use are most often the primary contributor to a production's carbon footprint.**

We are constantly looking for ways to reduce the GHG emissions of our industry and improve the air quality in the communities in which we work. Using renewable diesel promotes the use of clean energy and can reduce particulate matter by one-third.

[Renewable Diesel](#) is a drop in fuel that is chemically identical to traditional diesel but is made from renewable resources instead of petroleum. We have used renewable diesel in Los Angeles, Vancouver, and the United Kingdom with success; it is also used in the fleets of hundreds of cities around the world and is available at the pump throughout California.

We will encourage the use of renewable diesel on our productions in any jurisdiction that offers it if it is affordable, accessible and meets low carbon fuel standards (e.g., [California](#)).

We will continue to track our carbon emissions and engage with our shows in the quest to reduce our environmental impact. We look forward to working together with you to achieve a more sustainable film and television industry.

Thank you,

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