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COMPANY INFORMATION

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BUSINESS HISTORY

How long have you been in business? Since 1903

Are you part of a larger company? Yes No

Did you exist as another company before this company was formed? Yes No

If so, what was that company's name?

FAN Separator was a separate entity previously

Number of employees? Hundreds

What is your business structure? Corporation

What types of insurance and or surety do you provide?

Performance guarantees

References. Please provide customers or colleagues with whom we can discuss your business and performance.
Please include a separate list with company name, location, contact name and contact information.

Numerous

Describe your business service(s). *For example: consulting, development, engineering, equipment sales, finance, other.*

Equipment sales

Area or region of operation.

Worldwide

Does your company hold any patents or the rights to any patents? *Please identify.*

Several

Do you manufacture equipment? Yes No *Please describe.*

Do you integrate equipment manufactured by others? Yes No

If you integrate, please list the names of the companies you represent.

How do you answer potential customer's question about financial strength of your company?

Size and history with the dairy industry

Do you offer technical/service support? Yes No *If so, what methods?*

Some technical support, project by project basis. BRU requires engineering design and approval from Austria

Do you offer design services? Yes No *Please describe.*

Do you offer financing? Yes No *If so, what terms?*

Are you a full stop shop? *Design to construction to operate?* Yes No *Please describe.*

Do you have preferred partners? Yes No

If so, please list and provide contact information/identify partners by name.

Distributor network for limited design, sales, and construction support

Do you have any third-party verification/research that has been done on this technology? Yes No

If so, please describe.

Several third party evaluations of the technology have been completed, primarily in Europe

Do you provide a performance guarantee? Yes No

If so, what are you guaranteeing? For example: up time, methane production, biogas production, parasitic load, throughput, O&M cost, percent recovery, other.


Yes, guarantees are technology/application specific. Common throughput, dry matter, pathogen kill...

Are there any other aspects of your business that you feel should be included in this document?

INITIAL TECHNOLOGY OVERVIEW

This information is to guide in the development of a more specific and detailed Technology Information Request. Please answer the following questions for each Technology or Service Provided.

What is the name of the technology or service?

Bauer - Irrigation equipment, manure pumps & agitators, screw press separators and manure application equipment FAN 

What unit process is the technology used in?

For example: initial collection/transfer manure storage, energy recovery, primary/coarse solids recovery, advanced suspended/fine solids recovery, drying, struvite production, nitrification denitrification, ammonia stripping, algae, vermi composting, membrane filtration, evaporation, other.

Bauer equipment is used in conveyance, primary separation and application of manure The combination of Bauer & FAN technologies can create an entire solids and phosphorus recovery system

How many systems have you installed on dairy farms or other livestock operations?

10,000+ in North America

Size of farm(s)?

All sizes

Location of farm(s)?

Worldwide

What's the smallest/largest farm for your system?

<50 cows/>10,000 cows

Input material description/characteristics:

For example: raw manure, digestate, screened digestate, suitable non-farm feedstocks, other.

Raw manure or digestate

Does the technology treat the full manure stream for a farm or a fraction of the stream?

Full stream, modular design allows for redundancy

Do you consider this a mature system or ongoing farm development?

Mature

Any weather constraints? **Yes** **No** *Please describe.*

Cold weather protection

Any bedding constraints? **Yes** **No** *Please describe.*

Sand bedding can cause premature wear, sand separation should be used to limit damage to separator and application equipment

Is this process scalable and to what extent (top and bottom limits)? **Yes** **No** *Please describe.*

Yes scalable, extents not known

Do you have a known scaling factor? **Yes** **No** *Please describe.*

Input and output of your unit/system – do you have a mass balance analysis? Yes No *Please describe.*

Mass balance available for specific technologies

Do you consider this technology part of a larger system that you provide? Yes No *Please describe.*

Yes, considered part of manure management system, but also sell standalone technologies

Has your technology been accepted by the NRCS? Yes No *Please describe.*

Unknown, thought to be fundable under EQIP

Would you be willing to provide information for a technical review? Yes No

Would you be willing to respond to a Request for Quotation (RFQ) on a generic project for comparison of your technology against other technologies in the same unit process? Yes No

Are there any other facts about this technology that you feel should be included in this document?

Phosphorus recovery separation trial was not able to achieve 90% phosphorus recovery for less than \$0.10 per gal.