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ICM, Inc. Announces Signed Letter of Intent with IGPC Ethanol, Inc. as the First Canadian Adopter of Generation 1.5™ Technology

(Colwich, Kan. –December 16, 2013) – ICM is pleased to announce that IGPC Ethanol, Inc. of Ontario, Canada, has signed a Letter of Intent to be the First Canadian Adopter of ICM’s Generation 1.5™ technology. Today’s milestone announcement will enable IGPC Ethanol to produce corn fiber cellulosic ethanol.

ICM has devised a line of sight for corn and other grain-based ethanol plants to create staged, platform technologies that not only enhance a plant’s efficiencies and diversify co-product opportunities, but also serve as building blocks to advance toward the next technology. Each new stage of technology advancement can be cost-justified as each one is added. ICM’s Generation 1.5™ Technology introduces a cellulosic ethanol production capability by adding ICM’s Fiber Separation Technology™ (FST™) building block onto IGPC Ethanol’s current ICM Selective Milling Technology™ (SMT™) platform. Once the FST™ and SMT™ platforms are in place, the Generation 1.5™ technology can be added. Development of ICM’s Generation 1.5™ technology was funded, in part, by a U.S. Department of Energy BioEnergy Technology Office contract that ICM was awarded through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009.

ICM CEO Dave Vander Griend said, “ICM is very excited to announce that IGPC Ethanol is the First Canadian Adopter plant of our Generation 1.5™ technology. We appreciate the opportunity to continue working with IGPC Ethanol to meet their goals of diversifying their ethanol plant and improve their bottom line. Today’s announcement illustrates how IGPC Ethanol is leading the industry into producing corn fiber cellulosic ethanol.”

Jim Grey, CEO of IGPC Ethanol, Inc., said, “Through our previous collaboration with ICM, we believed it was important to continue down the path of obtaining their critical platform technologies that are necessary for making a sustained impact on agriculture and economic development within our region.”

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About ICM, Inc.:

Established in 1995 and headquartered in Colwich, Kan., ICM, Inc., provides innovative technologies, solutions, and services to sustain agriculture and advance renewable energy, including food and feed technologies that will increase the supply of world protein. By providing proprietary process technology to 102 facilities with a combined production capacity of approximately 6.8 billion gallons of annual ethanol production, ICM has become a world leader in biorefining technology. The full-service provider also offers a comprehensive line of more than 100 products and services tailored to make biofuels production more efficient and more profitable. ICM is further upholding its responsibility as an industry leader by heavily investing in the continued advancement of renewable energy technologies. In an effort to speed that advance, ICM has been conducting research and testing at its state-of-the-art research facility in St. Joseph, MO, in conjunction with a growing list of strategic partners spanning multiple industries. For more information, please visit icminc.com.