

**Declaration of Intent to Form the  
INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY OF PRECISION AGRICULTURE**

July 23, 2008

WE, the undersigned, met as a group on July 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2008 at the 9<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Precision Agriculture (ICPA) meeting in Denver Colorado to discuss the opportunity and feasibility underlying the formation of an International Society of Precision Agriculture (ISPA). We agreed the mission of ISPA is to advance the science and practice of precision agriculture globally. To initiate this process of forming ISPA, we support the following immediate actions:

1. Create a Working Group under the auspices of the ICPA.
2. Authorize the current conference chair of ICPA, currently Dr. Rajiv Khosla to serve as the interim chair of the ISPA Working Group.
3. Pursue the identification of a supporting organization and/or the formation of a 501.C.3 organization that can facilitate the financial aspects of ISPA.
4. Engage the global precision agricultural community in the ISPA formation process.



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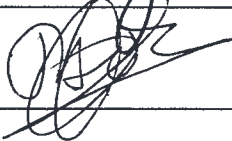
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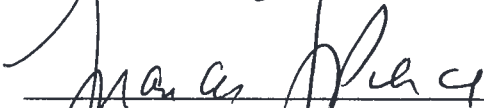
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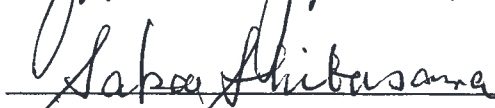
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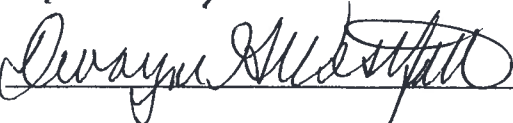
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