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SALAZAR OF CHAMPION REALTY ADVISORS ATTENDS PMA INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

(Willowbrook, IL) – As part of Champion’s marketing efforts for the INland Logistics Port Kingsbury in Northwest Indiana, J D Salazar attended the 2010 Produce Marketers Association International Conference (PMA) held at the Orlando Florida Convention Center October 15 to October 18, 2010. In addition to J D Salazar the Kingsbury contingent included Chris McGrath of Providence Logistics (Kingsbury developer), John Regetz Executive Director of the Michigan City Economic Development Corporation, Timothy Gropp Executive Director of the Greater La Porte Economic Development Corporation and Gina Sheets Director of Economic Development for the Indiana State Department of Agriculture.



At the conference the Kingsbury contingent interfaced with over 10,000 produce growers, brokers, produce marketers and food companies that use produce in their products. Over 67 countries were represented at the PMA. Progress was made in introducing the new *Kingsbury to Port Manatee* Unit Train which will begin service July of 2011. In addition, vessel service from Port Manatee to ports on the Gulf side of Mexico

(Tampico, Veracruz and Coatzacoalcos) via Hawaii Intermodal was introduced as part of the new transportation lane between the U S Upper Midwest consumption zone and the Mexico City consumption zone. The Kingsbury contingent, at the invitation of Froylan Gracia, Executive Director of Mexbest (Mexico’s largest produce association), made a presentation to the Mexbest members and joined them for a reception afterwards. On Saturday October 16th the Kingsbury contingent hosted a party for growers and marketers from Mexico, Guatemala, Panama and Costa Rica.



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Kingsbury is a dual rail served 1,000 acre business park in La Porte County Indiana. Starting in July 2011 Unit Train service will begin on the CSX Railroad between NW Indiana and Port Manatee FL (Tampa). This new train service will allow NW Indiana products to get to the Southeast Consumption zone and international destinations faster, fresher and cheaper. It will also allow



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products from Florida, Mexico and Central America to get to the Upper Midwest consumption zone faster, fresher and cheaper. For more information on the INland Logistics Port Kingsbury please go to www.ilpkingsbury.com

Champion Realty Advisors, LLC is the marketing agent for the INland Logistics Port Kingsbury. Champion is the largest 100% Hispanic owned commercial/industrial brokerage and consulting company in the United States. The company focuses on providing regional and national distribution solutions to the Third Party Logistics Industry and