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**Texas Commission on Environmental Quality
New Technology Research & Development (NTRD) Program
Monthly Project Status Report**

Contract Number: 582-5-70807-M028

Grantee: ORYXE Energy International, Inc.

Date Submitted: 8/02/05

Report for the **Monthly** period:

Starting Date 7/1/05 Ending Date 7/31/05

Section I. Accomplishments *(Please provide a bulleted list of project accomplishments as well as a description of their importance to the project.)*

- Planned start date of August 23 or 24, 2005 expected.
 - Testing to be conducted at West Virginia University

- Reference and candidate fuels have been identified.
 - Reference fuel is in route to WVU.
 - Candidate fuel is ordered and should be shipped out soon.
 - We have not been invoiced for these fuels as of this report date.

Indicate which part of the Grant Activities as defined in the grant agreement, the above accomplishments are related to:

- Lab facility related to Part E: Section 7 of the Grant Application Form concerning contractual expenses.

Section II: Problems/Solutions

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| <p>Problem(s) Identified</p> <p><i>(Please report anticipated or unanticipated problem(s) encountered and its effect on the progress of the project)</i></p> | <p><i>August 1 start date was not available for alternative formulation testing. Test date was moved back to latter part of the month of August.</i></p> |
| <p>Proposed Solution(s)</p> <p><i>(Please report any possible solution(s) to the problem(s) that were considered/encountered)</i></p> | <p><i>Start date of August 23 or 24 identified for scoping the alternative formulation.</i></p> |
| <p>Action(s) Conducted and Results</p> <p><i>(Please describe the action(s) taken to resolve the problem(s) and its effect)</i></p> | <p><i>Plan to begin testing on the date noted above.</i></p> |

Section III. Goals and Issues for Succeeding Period: *(Please provide a brief description of the goal(s) you hope to realize in the coming period and identify any notable challenges that can be foreseen)*

- Complete testing protocol for approval by the TCEQ
 - Protocol should be completed during the beginning of the month and sent out to the TCEQ for approval prior to starting the test.
- Ship candidate fuel to WVU for alternative formulation testing.
- Begin scoping process for alternative formulation testing.
 - If positive results are generated during the scoping process, we will proceed with the formal testing of the additive for the alternative formulation.
 - TCEQ will be notified prior to start of formal testing of the additive for the alternative formulation.



Chris Jordan

08/02/05

Date: _____

Authorized Project Representative's Signature

NOTE: *Please attach any additional information that you feel should be a part of your report or that may be required to meet the deliverable requirements for tasks completed during this reporting period.*