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Manning Innovation Awards 1800, 855 - 2nd Street, SW Calgary, AB T2P 2S5

RE: EcoSpace Engineering Nomination

To Whom It May Concern,

As the Director of BIOTECanada Agricultural and Nutrition Advisory Board and Environmental Committee, I had the privilege to meet Mr. Millin at an event held by the Sustainable Technologies Development Canada (STDC) Agency. As a Soil Scientist, specialized in environmental soil chemistry I was intrigued by his technology and thus decided to visit the experimental plant that he had set up in Guelph, Ontario.

The technology is indeed impressive: very simple and yet very effective in recycling waste into highly valuable by-products. The diversity of application of these products, ranging from fertilizers, soil amendments or/and animal feed makes this technology extremely versatile and one that can be very easily adapted to suit a wide range of environmental/agricultural applications.

The most valuable innovation is that that be translated into a multitude of value propositions for the inventor, investor, end user and society at large. The Milinator is without any doubt one of these rare innovations that will, in my opinion, be recognized and adopted not only in Canada but also globally.

Best Regards,

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