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**JAMES M. REDDING**  
**Vice President – External Relations**  
**Aventine Renewable Energy, Inc.**

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**SUMMARY**

Executive with 25 years experience in sales, marketing, and business management. Energetic individual possessing the ability to motivate and work effectively with a diverse group of people. Knowledgeable in all aspects of marketing ethanol, co-products and brewers yeast as well as corn purchasing and logistics. Well respected by customers, co-workers and with in the industry.

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**Aventine Renewable Energy, Inc, Pekin, IL**  
**Vice President – External Relations**

**2005 - Present**

Responsible for the Alliance business, co-products, brewers yeast and working with government officials and industry representatives to resolve issues affecting the ethanol industry.

Lead a team to achieve a five fold growth in ethanol sales from 1993-2005 to +700 million gallons per year. Established extensive distribution system of 48 terminals, a purchase/resale program and eleven marketing alliances to achieve these sales results. Developed marketing plan for Bio-Products which was successful in taking a start-up venture from zero sales in 1998 to 16 thousand tons in 2001, which was 97% capacity of the plant. Continue to expand Bio-Products sales with planned volume of 24 thousand tons by 2007 or a 50% increase.

**Vice President of Marketing and Logistics**  
**Director of Marketing and Logistics**  
**Director of Marketing**  
**Marketing Manager - Fuel Ethanol**  
**Manager - Wholesale Marketing**  
**Marketing Representative - Ethanol**

**2003 - 2005**

**2001 - 2003**

**1993 - 2001**

**1992 - 1993**

**1987 - 1992**

**1983 - 1987**

**HONEYWELL, INC. Peoria, IL**  
**Contract Service Representative**

**1980 - 1983**

**EDUCATION**

University of Illinois, Champaign, IL - Executive MBA Program (1992)  
Winona State University, Winona, MN – B.S.- Business Administration (1976)

**SPECIAL ACHEIVEMENTS**

1990 “Man of the Year” Award from Illinois Petroleum Marketers Association

**PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

**Renewable Fuels Association – Chairman Plant & Employee Safety Committee**  
**American Coalition for Ethanol – Board Member**  
**Ethanol Promotion and Informational Council – Vice President**  
**National Petrochemical Refiners Association**

**PERSONAL**

Wife, Tish and two children.