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**Statement of the Cotton Warehouse Association of America Regarding Selection of U.S. Senator Blanche Lincoln as Chair of the Senate Agriculture Committee.**

“The Cotton Warehouse Association of America is proud to join U.S. cotton farmers from across the country in applauding the selection of U.S. Senator Blanche Lincoln as the new Chairwoman of the Senate Agriculture Committee. Time and again, when the American cotton industry has been singled out for unfair treatment in a Farm Bill, in a trade deal, or through burdensome regulation or taxes, Senator Lincoln has stepped into the fray to ensure that cotton is not given a raw deal. In so doing, she has saved American jobs and helped make our economy stronger.” Dane Jones, President of the Cotton Warehouse Association of America.

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