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Sleugh Named Product Technology Specialist

INDIANAPOLIS — Aug. 24, 2006 — Dr. Byron Sleugh has accepted the role of product technology specialist for the vegetation management group within the U.S. specialties division of Dow AgroSciences. He will be engaged in field research and new product development, working with university cooperators and supporting the sales force in Iowa, Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska and Colorado. He replaces Dr. Bob Masters, who accepted another position within the company.

Sleugh earned his master's and doctorate degrees in agronomy from Iowa State University. He previously served as an associate professor in the Department of Agriculture at Western Kentucky University, where he worked for seven years. He will work from an office in West Des Moines, Iowa, and can be reached at 515-226-2165 or by e-mail at bbsleugh@dow.com.

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