

**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
January 18, 2011**

**ORDER GRANTING CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT
UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933**

Renewable Energy Group, Inc.

File No. 333-175627 - CF#27355

Renewable Energy Group, Inc. submitted an application under Rule 406 requesting confidential treatment for information it excluded from the Exhibits to a Form S-1 registration statement filed on July 18, 2011, as amended.

Based on representations by Renewable Energy Group, Inc. that this information qualifies as confidential commercial or financial information under the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. 552(b)(4), the Division of Corporation Finance has determined not to publicly disclose it. Accordingly, excluded information from the following exhibits will not be released to the public for the time periods specified:

Exhibit 10.35	through December 31, 2013
Exhibit 10.40	through March 31, 2014
Exhibit 10.50	through December 31, 2014

For the Commission, by the Division of Corporation Finance, pursuant to delegated authority:

Pamela Long
Assistant Director