



## HERMANOS ALAMEDA—JAEN—SPAIN

Spanish poultry producers, Hermanos Alameda, have selected VCU™ in vessel composting technology, supplied by VCU Europa, to process their Animal By-Product (ABP) wastes.

The company, a leading poultry processor in the Jaen province of southern Spain, have constructed a purpose built treatment facility. Thus enabling the company to recycle the ABP material from its factory in Ubeda, and safely compost it in line with EU ABP Regulations (1774/2002) to produce a high value end product for agricultural use. The first phase of the project will involve the installation of a three chamber VCU™ system, with a processing capacity of around 7000T per year, but will have provision to expand to over 25000T as the facility grows.

The site, is a former windrow composting facility which will now accommodate the in-vessel composting plant, to comply with EU Regulations in waste treatment, as part of the region's drive to reduce the amount of waste sent to landfill.

The system, which was delivered in late 2009, will be the third VCU™ facility in Spain.

It follows installations in Burgos and one in Murcia; both of which are fully Accredited. Showing that industry in Spain is serious about processing its ABP waste and is choosing well proven reliable solutions to do so.