

# RAILEAN DISTILLERS, LLC

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## **Railean Rum Distillery Survives Hurricane IKE**

TEXAS, September 22, 2008 – The eye of Hurricane IKE passed directly over the little fishing town of San Leon and home of the Railean Rum Distillery. Hurricane force winds and a category 4 storm surge inflicted minor damage to the distillery. Distillery operations are estimated to commence within two weeks with no interruption of supply of RAILEAN Rum.

“We knew when we built the distillery that a hurricane could hit San Leon as many have done in the past”, said Kelly Railean, President & CEO, Railean Distillers, LLC. “As IKE approached we prepared the distillery as best we could. We were very lucky to survive, and many of our friends and neighbors were not so lucky. We have received many calls and emails asking about the distillery and we would like to thank everyone for their concern. The good news is that the distillery has received minimal damage and will be up and running as soon as all utilities are restored.”

### **About Railean Distillers, LLC**

Railean (**ray-lēn**) Distillers was founded by Mrs. Kelly Railean. The Eagle Point Distillery is 100% family owned and operated. Mrs. Railean, is President and CEO of Railean Distillers, LLC and manages marketing, sales and day-to-day operations. She is a First Level Sommelier with more than 14 years experience in the wine & spirits industry and is the first and only Master Distiller in the State of Texas. Railean Distillers operates a state of the art rum distillery in San Leon, Texas. They market their rums under the brand name, RAILEAN™, through Metro Sales and Marketing. Railean Rum™ is exclusively distributed by Global Quality Distributors throughout the state of Texas. [www.railean.com](http://www.railean.com)