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April 22, 2025

RE: Amended Intent to Award – RFP05212024 – Containerized Gases

To All Respondents:

The University of Arkansas Procurement division has received the official recommendation of award from the evaluation committee selected to review the proposals requested for RFP05212024 – Containerized Gases. Upon the results of the evaluation, the recommendation for award of the primary contract extends to Red Ball Oxygen.

Additionally, the RFP allows the award to be split between respondents. It has been determined that it is in the best interest of the University of Arkansas to award the Semi-Conductor Grade gases to NexAir.

Respectfully, this amended letter of "Intent to Award" serves as notification that the University intends to engage in contract negotiations with the successful respondents with the goal of fully executed contracts to be issued by the University of Arkansas to the two successful respondents.

The University of Arkansas is thankful for the attention of each respondent, and for the time and effort expended in responding to the RFP. We encourage and appreciate the participation of our vendor community. Thank you for your interest and participation.

Regards,

**Ed Beadles CPPB** 

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