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RE: Intent to Award - RFP 666832 ARE-ON Optical Network Equipment Refresh

The University of Arkansas Procurement division has received the official recommendation of award from the evaluation committee elected to review the proposals requested for ARE-ON's Optical Network Equipment Refresh. The proposal due date was March 8, 2018. The University received seven (7) certified responses. Upon the results of the committee evaluation, the recommendation for award extends to ADVA Optical Networking.

Respectfully, this letter of "Intent to Award" serves as notification that contract negotiations will commence between ADVA and ARE-ON with the goal of a fully executed Purchase Order/Contract to be issued by the University of Arkansas for this engagement.

The University of Arkansas encourages and appreciates the participation of our vendor community. We are thankful for the time and effort expended in responding to this RFP, and your patience with our evaluation process.

Best Regards,

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