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Mr. Steve Weiland, CPM
Bureau Chief/Compliance and Accountability
Florida Department of Economic Opportunity
Division of Strategic Business Development
107 Madison Street, MSC-80
Tallahassee, FL 32389

Re: Marion County Approval of Wells Pharmaceutical Outsourcing, LLC Request for Extension and Amendment

Dear Mr. Weiland,

We are in receipt of a letter notification dated May 3, 2021 from Mr. Jason McLaren, Esquire, General Counsel to Wells Pharmaceutical Outsourcing, LLC, requesting an additional extension of its performance period and amendment to the Qualified Target Industry Tax Refund Agreement due to the economic impacts suffered by the Company related to COVID-19.

As a result of COVID-19, we understand Wells Pharmaceutical Outsourcing, LLC was delayed in starting operations and is now scheduled to begin operations in the second quarter of 2021. The Marion County Board of County Commissioners, which is providing Local Financial Support as part of the foregoing QTI Tax Refund Agreement, pursuant to subsection 6(m) of the Agreement, hereby consents to Wells Pharmaceutical Outsourcing, LLC's request for an additional extension of its performance period.

Please let us know if you need additional information from Marion County.

Sincerely,

Jeff Gold, Chairman
Marion County Board of County Commissioners

cc: Carl Zalak III, Vice Chair
Kathy Bryant, Commissioner
Craig Curry, Commissioner
Michelle Stone, Commissioner
Mounir Bouyounes, County Administrator

