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Dear Kevin,

SUBJECT: Notice of Intent to Award - RFP # RFP-MRO-UCSystemWide-Jan312018

The California Higher Education Strategic Sourcing (CHESS) has completed its evaluation of proposals in response to the above referenced RFP and intends to award a contract to your company for MRO Distributor. I will represent UC in this regard with appropriate representation from CHESS and National IPA members moving forward, and I will contact you soon to begin negotiating the contract. Kindly direct to me all communications regarding this Notice of Intent to Award.

This Notice of Intent to Award is non-binding. If your company does not agree with UC on contract terms, UC will not award a contract to your company. Your company may not begin work, purchase materials, or enter into subcontracts relating to the project before both parties sign a contract, unless prior written approval is obtained from me. UC reserves the right to cancel this Notice of Intent to Award at any time before both parties sign a contract.

I look forward to working with you to put contract terms in place. Please don't hesitate to contact me if you have any questions about this Notice of Intent to Award.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Adrian Ferreira".

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