To: Jill Schuler, President

 Controlling Board

From: Chris Geyer, CFO

Subject: Request for Single Source Purchase

Date: May 10, 2025

The Ohio Department of Agriculture (ODA) requests a single source purchase for maintenance for the laboratory (USA LIMS / Ag Labs), veterinary (AgEnterprise State Vet Module), and AgEnterprise Product Registration information technology applications. The Department participates in the National Agribusiness Technology Center (NATC), a national database of agricultural laboratory and animal health information supporting 42 applications in 32 states. These applications assist in the protection of the nation's farm animals, food supply and public health. The NATC recognizes Acclaim Systems, Inc. as the single certified and approved software implementer for the database.

In addition, Acclaim was selected in FY 2023 to modernize applications in ODAs Plant Health division. Acclaim has been an efficient and effective provider of these applications. It is time and cost effective for ODA to build onto existing applications with the current provider rather than starting from scratch with new applications and providers, as we continue to expand our use of information technology. Supplier Information:

Acclaim Systems

110 E. Pennsylvania Blvd.

Feasterville, PA 19053

FY 2026: $140,939.10

FY 2027: $154,100.00

Thank you for your consideration.