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Orchid Orthopedic Solutions Oregon, Inc. 13963 S Fir St. Oregon City, OR 97045 Sent via email only

Nathan Holwege,

On August 13, 2024, DEQ received a request from Evren Northwest, Inc. on behalf of Orchid Orthopedic Solutions Oregon, Inc. (Orchid Orthopedics) for a 30-day extension of the deadline for submittal of the Cleaner Air Oregon (CAO) Emissions Inventory (Inventory). Orchid Orthopedics was called into the CAO program on June 27, 2024, and required to submit an Inventory and supporting information by September 23, 2024. Orchid Orthopedics is requesting an extension to submit the Inventory and supporting information by no later than October 23, 2024.

DEQ may grant an extension based on the criteria set in OAR 340-245-0030(3), which require sources to demonstrate progress towards completing the submittal and show that a delay is necessary for good cause. DEQ understands that Orchid Orthopedics has demonstrated progress on the Inventory by working with a consultant to collect information necessary to estimate toxic air contaminant emissions from sources and activities at the facility. Further, DEQ agrees that an extension would allow Orchid Orthopedics to obtain information from their vendors needed to develop an accurate and complete Inventory for approval.

For these reasons, DEQ approves Orchid Orthopedics's request and grants a 30-day extension from the original submittal deadline of September 23, 2024. Orchid Orthopedics's Inventory must be submitted by no later than **October 23, 2024.**

DEQ remains available to meet with Orchid Orthopedics or provide feedback via email. Please contact me directly at (971) 300-3653 or amy.devita-mcbride@deq.oregon.gov, if you have any questions regarding this letter or CAO submittal requirements, and I look forward to your continued assistance with this process.

Sincerely,

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