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You will recall the DPAS system is used to prioritize government programs and contracts throughout the supply chain to support critical military, energy, homeland security, emergency preparedness, and infrastructure requirements. Under the guidance of the Department of Homeland Security and the Department of Defense, companies, contractors, and employees in the commercial and defense aerospace industry are designated as Essential Critical Infrastructure Workforce for the Defense Industrial Base, and have a special responsibility to maintain normal staffing and work schedules necessary to meet contract requirements. This specifically includes personnel performing under DO or DX rated defense contracts.

Together, we must maintain support for our United States Government customers who need our products and services now more than ever. We continue to be inspired by the resilience of our supplier partners as we face together the challenges of the coronavirus (COVID-19) situation. Thank you for all you do to ensure the health, safety, and welfare of your employees, while simultaneously supporting this critical work.

Sincerely,  
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Nitro-Vac Heat Treat Inc.,

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