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Dear Valued Client,

As we continue the successful integration of Hemex and Esoterix laboratories, we would like to provide you with an update on our services. Hemex and Esoterix have combined resources to offer superior customer service and scientific excellence, and to become a unified industry leader in Coagulation testing we will be integrating the Hemex name into the Esoterix brand.

Throughout the next 6 months you will notice the transition to the Esoterix name and logo on all Hemex correspondence including requisitions, reports, and shipping materials. This integration process will have no effect on test ordering, client services, billing or the testing performed at our laboratories.

During this transition period, the Hemex website, www.hemex.com, will be redirected to the Esoterix website, www.esoterix.com. All information that is currently available on the Hemex website will be transferred to the Esoterix webpage. Throughout the conversion process we will post updates to www.hemex.com to keep you fully informed of the website transition.

We appreciate your continued business and look forward to serving you and your patients. If you have questions or would like further information please contact our Client Services Department at 800-444-9111. We welcome your input and comments.

Sincerely,

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