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Advanced Barrier Concepts, Inc. (ABC) of Cary, North Carolina today announced a system's integration collaboration with the STERIS Corporation of Mentor, Ohio.

This alliance allows ABC to work more closely with STERIS's Engineering and Service Groups to select, integrate and validate the company's vaporized hydrogen peroxide (VHP®) generators for specific pharmaceutical and biotechnology applications. In cooperation with STERIS, ABC will provide project leadership for integration services together with all aspects of qualification and validation. This includes Factory Acceptance Testing, Site Acceptance Testing, Commissioning, Installation Qualification, Operational Qualification, Cycle Development, Performance Qualification and Revalidation of advanced decontamination applications.

About ABC Partners:

ABC partners, Jim Rickloff and Bill Little, were part of the original Development and Application Engineering teams at STERIS, which developed the market for the VHP decontamination technology. Since ABC was formed in 1994, the company has successfully developed and validated more than 200 isolated sterility testing and aseptic processing applications using the hydrogen peroxide decontamination technology.

ABC is excited about this enhanced relationship with STERIS as it allows the company to leverage its experience to provide turnkey installation packages to satisfy our mutual client's decontamination applications.

About STERIS Corporation:

The mission of STERIS Corporation is to provide a healthier today and safer tomorrow through knowledgeable people and innovative infection prevention, decontamination and health science technologies, products and services. The Company has approximately 6,000 dedicated employees around the world working together to supply a broad array of solutions by offering a combination of equipment, consumables and services to healthcare, pharmaceutical, industrial and government Customers. The Company is listed on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol STE. For more information, visit www.steris.com.