

July 21, 2023

To whom it may concern:

It has been brought to my attention that there are concerns regarding when the proposed finance agreement would commence and when the first payment would be due. Standardly in our contracts, the first payment is not due until 30 days after the agreement commences. The agreement will not commence until all of the capital listed on the contract have been installed and delivered.

Here is an example of realistic time line based on our lead times on LP15s.

- Contract is signed in August of 2023
- The current lead time on LP15's is 50-52 weeks
- LP15's are delivered in September 2024 and the contract commences
- First payment is due 30 days in October 2024

If I can provide any additional information, please don't hesitate to contact me at 903-274-9384 or shawn.wilson@stryker.com.

Thank you,

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