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Dear Valuable Stony Brook Lyme Disease Laboratory Clients,

This letter is to inform you that due to reagent and supply issues, our In-House Lyme Disease Western Blot assay has been discontinued, effective immediately. Any requests received will not be tested. Our In-House ELISA as well as the ZEUS VlsE1/pepC10 IgG/IgM will not be affected and are still available. You may continue to use our requisition form until further notice.

Our laboratory plans to offer a replacement assay for the Lyme IgM & IgG Immunoblot, as well as other state of the art testing in the near future.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause and we look forward to serving your laboratory needs in the future.

Sincerely,

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