

AMENDMENT 2

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

Between
Ames Laboratory, Operated by Iowa State University
and
New Energy and Industrial Technology
Development Organization

Concerning Cooperation in Rare Earths and Other Critical Metals

Whereas the Parties are mutually desirous of further pursuing the basic objectives as outlined in the Memorandum of Understanding executed on September 9, 2013, as amended by Amendment 1, effective as of September 9, 2015 (hereinafter collectively referred to as "MOU"), the following Amendment 2 to the MOU is considered necessary.

In Section 2, insert the below amended points of contact table:

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In Section 4, amend 4.1 to read "Cooperative activities under this MOU may commence upon signature, and continue until September 30, 2020, unless sooner discontinued in accordance with paragraph 4.4."

All other terms and conditions of the original Agreement and Amendment 1 remain the same.

This Amendment 2 shall become effective upon the latter date of signature of the Parties.

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