

## Sterigenics Response to EPA NESHAP Regulations - April 11, 2023

"Sterigenics consistently complies with environmental permits issued for each of its sterilization facilities and has a track record of continuously implementing leading safety practices and the best available EO emission controls, going beyond regulatory requirements to further improve our already safe operations. We are confident that our on-going investments will continue to demonstrate our leadership in safety and EO emission control."

"Sterigenics supports EPA's mission and is firmly committed to regulation based on sound science. Unfortunately, the EPA's draft proposals rely on a flawed IRIS risk assessment that overstates actual risks related to EO levels found in everyday air and also contradicts real-world findings from the NIOSH study of actual sterilization facility employees which showed "no overall elevated risk for any type of cancer." The use of EO for the sterilization of medical devices is essential to the U.S. health care system and Sterigenics looks forward to continuing to collaborate with federal and state regulators for the safety of our employees, the patients we serve and the communities in which we operate."