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Gentlemen:

I want to acknowledge the work and results that the Air Liquide and Energy Science Inc. (ESI) teams achieved in applying your technologies to improve our Electron Beam nitrogen usage.

On press N° 10 ESI EZ-Cure machine, Air Liquide's Gas Seal Technology provided a 55 percent reduction in nitrogen consumption while reducing the oxygen level in the curing chamber by more than 70 percent.

On press N° 4 ESI EZ-Cure machine, we were unable to install the Air Liquide Gas Seal Technology because of the web path entry angle being greater than 30°. However, using the ESI Nitro-Mizer technology we were able to achieve a 25 percent reduction on this EB unit.

Overall, using a combination of Air Liquide's and ESI's technologies, we were able to reduce our nitrogen consumption by approximately 40%.

Thank you for your teamwork and help in making these units more operationally efficient.

Sincerely,

Don Lenard
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