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Dear Eugene Holzer:

Welcome back to the most exclusive club in business! On behalf of all of us at *Inc.*, I am delighted to inform you that Ascendo Resources has earned the position of 3994 on the 2018 Inc. 5000.

As you know, every year *Inc.* recognizes the fastest-growing private companies in America. This year, the winners have, once again, placed the bar very high. Companies that made the list, on average, have grown sixfold since 2014. Over a stretch when the economy grew around 11 percent, that's a result most businesses can only dream of.

But you've lived that dream before. This is your 6th time on the Inc. 5000, which is a truly extraordinary accomplishment. Needless to say, making the list gets harder every year as your starting base grows. Of the tens of thousands of companies that have applied to the Inc. 5000 over the years, only a fraction have made the list more than once. A mere six percent have made the list 6 times.

Congratulations to you and your team. You should be proud of all Ascendo Resources has achieved to date.

I hope I'll have the chance to meet you at the Inc. 5000 Gala in San Antonio, Texas, this October. You've earned the right to celebrate!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "James Ledbetter". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "J" and "L".

James Ledbetter
Editor in Chief, Inc. Media



3984	VIPdesk Connect	89%	Business Products & Services	\$6.6m	Virginia	Alexandria
3985	Arnold's Office Furniture	89%	Business Products & Services	\$13.1m	Pennsylvania	Bridgeport
3986	Sioux Falls Tower & Communications	89%	Telecommunications	\$21.6m	South Dakota	Sioux Falls
3987	AA Metals	89%	Business Products & Services	\$298.8m	Florida	Orlando
3988	Saturn Tech	89%	IT System Development	\$6.4m	Michigan	Farmington Hills
3989	Innovative Office Solutions	89%	Business Products & Services	\$106.6m	Minnesota	Burnsville
3990	nexVortex	89%	Telecommunications	\$19.2m	Virginia	Herdon
3991	Tigerchef.com	89%	Consumer Products & Services	\$10.6m	New York	Suffern
3992	Fora Financial	89%	Financial Services	\$50.8m	New York	New York City
3993	Fire Equipment	89%	Construction	\$17.8m	Massachusetts	Medford
3994	Ascendo Resources	89%	Human Resources	\$34.6m	Florida	Coral Gables
3995	Hope Power & Industrial	89%	Business Products & Services	\$4.4m	South Carolina	Greenville, SC
3996	Morales Group	88%	Human Resources	\$90.6m	Indiana	Indianapolis
3997	ThinkShout	88%	IT System Development	\$4.2m	Oregon	Portland
3998	Ware Malcomb	88%	Construction	\$90.3m	California	Irvine
3999	Onicx	88%	Construction	\$25.3m	Florida	Tampa
4000	Alliance Executive Search	88%	Human Resources	\$5.7m	Virginia	Vienna
4001	Valcor Commercial Real Estate	88%	Real Estate	\$2.1m	Texas	San Antonio