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Terrence Jay (TJ) O'Neil, MD
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Dear Dr. O'Neil:

I am pleased to inform you that the U.S. Small Business Administration's (SBA) Tennessee District Office selected you as the 2022 Tennessee Inventor of the Year!

Your hard work, innovative ideas, and dedication to your community helped you design an outstanding and much-needed invention for dialysis patients. The SBA is pleased to celebrate your achievements and recognize your personal role in improving our nation's physical health and driving economic growth.

Every year since 1963, the President of the United States has issued a proclamation announcing National Small Business Week. President Joe Biden officially declared May 1-7 as this year's National Small Business Week. Please note that in early November 2022 (specific date to be determined), the Tennessee District Office will celebrate its state and national winners. I look forward to the opportunity to meet you and learn more about your important work. We will contact you soon with details regarding your award presentation.

Again, congratulations on a well-deserved honor.

Sincerely,

LaTanya Channel
District Director

*Dr. O'Neil,
it was such a
pleasure speaking with
you about your work to
prevent kidney disease.
Your passion is evident
and lives are and will
continue to be saved.
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