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Central Research Laboratories® Expanding Production Capacity In Order To Meet Increased Demand For Single-Use Beta Bags

Red Wing, MN (February 1, 2024) – [Central Research Laboratories® \(CRL\)](https://www.crlsolutions.com), a global leader in the remote-handling industry, is excited to announce that due to increased and steady demand for its Single-Use Beta Bags, it will be expanding the production capacity at its Red Wing, MN, manufacturing facility.

To facilitate the expansion, CRL reconfigured its clean-room area and is currently in the process of building the necessary tools and fixtures. When completed, the new manufacturing area will allow CRL to double the production capabilities for its Single-Use Beta Bag product line.

“As more and more biopharmaceutical manufacturers introduce single-use systems into their production operations, the demand for CRL Single-Use Beta Bags has continued to grow,” said Chris Gooding, Vice President and General Manager of CRL. “This exciting development has convinced us to expand our production capability, knowing that demand will only continue to increase. This expansion will also enable us to enhance efficiency and customer service by ensuring that the delivery lead times our customers have come to expect will not be compromised.”

Additionally, to meet the increased demand of the expanded production area, several new employees are being brought on to adequately staff the growing manufacturing operation. CRL will also be adding new storage racks in the facility to accommodate the additional inventory that will be created by the expanded manufacturing operation which will allow CRL to keep delivery lead times as tight as possible.

Introduced in 2019, CRL's disposable Single-Use Beta Bags are designed for use in the sterilization and transfer of components into isolation during the manufacture of aseptic life science products. The bags are constructed using a combination of Tyvek® and high-density polyethylene (HDPE) plastic. They are assembled in an ISO-certified clean room and available in autoclavable and gamma-sterilizable versions. CRL is currently offering its Single-Use Beta Bags in a 190-mm size, with additional sizes in development.

For more information on CRL and its extensive portfolio of remote-handling solutions, please visit [crlsolutions.com](https://www.crlsolutions.com).

About CRL & DESTACO

Headquartered in Red Wing, MN, USA, Central Research Laboratories® (CRL) became a DESTACO company in 2007. It possesses more than 70 years of innovation experience in the development of remote-handling systems, including Telemanipulators, Transfer Systems, Glove Ports and Waste Drum Transfer Systems. CRL solutions promote operator safety and efficiency when performing various tasks in nuclear and life sciences applications around the world. More information is available at [crlsolutions.com](https://www.crlsolutions.com).

DESTACO is based in Auburn Hills, Michigan, USA. and is a global leader in the design and manufacture of high-performance automation, workholding and remote-handling solutions. The company serves customers in a variety of end-markets, including the automotive, life sciences, consumer packaged goods, aerospace, industrial and nuclear sectors. The company has more than



800 employees with 13 locations in 9 countries across the Americas, Europe and Asia. More information is available at destaco.com.

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