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My wife and I are long-time policyholders/members of Blue Cross. We object to any of the sales price going to the described "Foundation". The purposes of the foundation are admittedly vague, unrelated to Blue Cross' mission of providing health insurance to those who paid for it; the "advisory board" will be paid large unnecessary salaries (non-profit board members should be volunteers), and it can involve itself in politics. All of the sales price should be paid to its members, or to non-profit alternatives as chosen by each member (I have my own favorites, which focus more on the needs of my community, rather than Baton Rouge or Louisiana as whole, and have their headquarters in my home city, Donaldsonville).