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# Standard Form of Agreement between Owner and Vendor for Furniture, Furnishings, and Equipment (FF&E)

AGREEMENT made as of the « 10<sup>th</sup> » day of «April » in the year «2024 » (In words, indicate day, month, and year.)

**BETWEEN** the Owner: (Name, legal status, address, and other information)

« Tomball Independent School District »« » « 310 S. Cherry Street » « Tomball, Texas 77375 » « »

and the Vendor: (Name, legal status, address, and other information)

« »« » « » « » « »

for the following Project: (Name, location, and detailed description)

« Foodservice Equipment for the Manufacture, Delivery and Installation for » « Tomball ISD West High School Building » « 17803 Cypress Heights Drive » « Cypress, Texas 77433 »

The Architect: (Name, legal status, address, and other information)

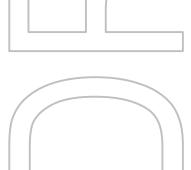
« Huckabee Architects, Inc. »« » « 1700 City Plaza Dr., Suite 125» « Spring, TX 77389 » « »

The Owner and Vendor agree as follows.



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#### **ARTICLE 1 GENERAL PROVISIONS**

# § 1.1 Governing Law, including the Uniform Commercial Code

This Agreement is for the sale of goods, specifically a Pre-Engineered Metal Building (PEMB) ("Equipment"), and shall be governed by the law of the place where the Project is located, excluding that jurisdiction's choice of law rule and including the jurisdiction's Uniform Commercial Code (UCC) as adopted. If this Agreement conflicts with terms provided by the UCC, the Agreement shall prevail.

# § 1.2 The Contract Documents

The Contract Documents are enumerated in Article 15 and consist of this Agreement (including, if applicable, Supplementary and other Conditions of the Contract), Drawings, Specifications, Addenda issued prior to the execution of this Agreement, other documents listed in this Agreement, and Modifications issued after execution of this Agreement. The intent of the Contract Documents is to include all items necessary for the proper execution and completion of the Work by the Vendor. The Contract Documents are complementary, and what is required by one shall be as binding as if required by all. Performance by the Vendor shall be required to the extent consistent with the Contract Documents and reasonably inferable from them as being necessary to produce the indicated results.

# § 1.3 The Contract

The Contract Documents form the Contract for the Work. The Contract represents the entire and integrated agreement between the parties hereto and supersedes all prior proposals, offers, terms and conditions, negotiations, representations, or agreements, either written or oral. The Contract may be amended or modified only by a Modification. The Contract Documents shall not be construed to create a contractual relationship of any kind between any persons or entities other than the Owner and the Vendor. The primary purpose of the Contract is the sale of goods, and any services provided are incidental to such primary purpose.

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# § 1.4 Modifications

A Modification is a written amendment to the Contract for changes in the Work signed by both parties or a written order for a minor change in the Work signed by the Architect. A minor change in the Work is a change that is consistent with the intent of the Contract Documents and does not involve an adjustment in the Contract Sum or an extension of the Contract Time.

# § 1.5 The Work

The Work means the Vendor's performance, including the sale of the Equipment and any incidental fabrication, shipping, warehousing, delivery, installation, and other items or services required by the Contract Documents and provided, or to be provided, by the Vendor. The Work includes all labor, materials, temporary protection, storage, and equipment necessary to fulfill the Vendor's obligations, except as specifically indicated in the Contract Documents to be the responsibility of others. The Work may constitute the whole or a part of the Project.

# § 1.6 Instruments of Service

Instruments of Service are representations, in any medium of expression now known or later developed, of the tangible and intangible creative work performed by the Architect and the Architect's consultants under their respective professional services agreements. Instruments of Service may include, without limitation, studies, surveys, models, sketches, drawings, specifications, and other similar materials.

# § 1.7 Ownership and Use of Drawings, Specifications, and Other Instruments of Service

**§ 1.7.1** The Architect and the Architect's consultants shall be deemed the authors and owners of their respective Instruments of Service, including the Drawings and Specifications, and will retain all common law, statutory, and other reserved rights in their Instruments of Service, including copyrights. The Vendor, sub-vendors, and suppliers shall not own or claim a copyright in the Instruments of Service. Submittal or distribution to meet official regulatory requirements or for other purposes in connection with the Project is not to be construed as publication in derogation of the Architect's or Architect's consultants' reserved rights.

**§ 1.7.2** The Vendor, sub-vendors, and suppliers are authorized to use and reproduce the Instruments of Service provided to them, subject to the protocols established pursuant to Sections 1.8 and 1.9, solely and exclusively for execution of the Work. All copies made under this authorization shall bear the copyright notice, if any, shown on the Instruments of Service. The Vendor, sub-vendors, and suppliers may not use the Instruments of Service on other projects, or in connection with additions to this Project outside the scope of the Work without the specific written consent of the Owner, Architect, and the Architect's consultants.

# § 1.8 Digital Data Use and Transmission

The parties shall agree upon protocols governing the transmission and use of Instruments of Service or any other information or documentation in digital form. The parties will use AIA Document E203<sup>TM</sup>–2013, Building Information Modeling and Digital Data Exhibit, to establish the protocols for the development, use, transmission, and exchange of digital data.

# § 1.9 Building Information Models Use and Reliance

Any use of, or reliance on, all or a portion of a building information model without agreement to protocols governing the use of, and reliance on, the information contained in the model and without having those protocols set forth in AIA Document E203<sup>TM</sup>\_2013, Building Information Modeling and Digital Data Exhibit, and the requisite AIA Document G202<sup>TM</sup>\_2013, Project Building Information Modeling Protocol Form, shall be at the using or relying party's sole risk and without liability to the other party and its vendors or consultants, the authors of, or contributors to, the building information model, and each of their agents and employees.

# § 1.10 Severability

The invalidity of any provision of the Contract Documents shall not invalidate the Contract or its remaining provisions. If it is determined that any provision of the Contract Documents violates any law, or is otherwise invalid or unenforceable, then that provision shall be revised to the extent necessary to make that provision legal and enforceable. In such case the Contract Documents shall be construed, to the fullest extent permitted by law, to give effect to the parties' intentions and purposes in executing the Contract.

# § 1.11 Notice

§ 1.11.1 Except as otherwise provided in Section 1.11.2, where the Contract Documents require one party to notify or give notice to the other party, such notice shall be provided in writing to the designated representative of the party to

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whom the notice is addressed and shall be deemed to have been duly served if delivered in person, by mail, by courier, or by electronic transmission, or as otherwise set forth below:

(If other than in accordance with AIA Document E203–2013, insert requirements for delivering Notice in electronic format such as name, title, and email address of the recipient and whether and how the system will be required to generate a read receipt for the transmission.)

« »

§ 1.11.2 Notice of Claims shall be provided in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly served only if delivered to the designated representative of the party to whom the notice is addressed by certified or registered mail, or by courier providing proof of delivery.

# § 1.12 Assignment of Contract

Neither party to the Contract shall assign the Contract without written consent of the other, except that the Owner may, without consent of the Vendor, assign the Contract to a lender providing financing for the Project if the lender assumes the Owner's rights and obligations under the Contract Documents. The Vendor shall execute all consents reasonably required to facilitate such assignment.

### ARTICLE 2 CONTRACT SUM AND PAYMENTS

### § 2.1 Contract Sum

§ 2.1.1 The Owner shall pay the Vendor the Contract Sum in current funds for the Vendor's performance of the Contract. The Contract Sum shall be «XXX Dollars» (\$ «XXXXXX »), subject to additions and deductions as provided in the Contract Documents.

### § 2.1.2 Alternates

§ 2.1.2.1 Alternates, if any, included in the Contract Sum:

Item	Price	
N/A		

§ 2.1.2.2 Subject to the conditions noted below, the following alternates may be accepted by the Owner following execution of this Agreement. Upon acceptance, the Owner shall issue a Modification to this Agreement. (Insert below each alternate and the conditions that must be met for the Owner to accept the alternate.)

Item	Price	Conditions for Acceptance
N/A		

# § 2.1.3 Unit prices, if any:

(Identify the item and state the unit price and the quantity limitations, if any, to which the unit price will be applicable.)

ltem	Units and Limitations	Price per Unit (\$0.00)	
N/A			
<b>§ 2.1.4</b> Allowances, if any, included in the Contract S <i>(Identify each allowance.)</i>	um:		

Item	Price	
TBD	TBD	

#### § 2.1.5 Liquidated damages, if any:

(Insert terms and conditions for liquidated damages, if any.)

« Time is of the essence in all of the Work. It is specifically understood and agreed by and between Owner and FF&E Provider that time is of the essence in the Delivery of the Project and Owner shall sustain actual and direct damages as a result of FF&E Provider's failure, neglect or refusal to achieve said deadlines. Such actual and direct damages are, and will continue to be, impracticable and extremely difficult to determine. Execution of this Agreement under these specifications shall constitute agreement by Owner and FF&E Provider that the amounts stated below are the minimum value of the costs and actual and direct damages caused by failure of FF&E

Provider to complete the Work within the allotted or agreed extended times of Delivery, that such sums are liquidated direct damages and shall not be construed as a penalty, and that such sums may be deducted from payments due FF&E Provider if such delay occurs. It is expressly understood that the said sum per day is agreed upon as a fair estimate of the pecuniary damages which will be sustained by the Owner in the event that the Work is not completed within the agreed time, or within the agreed extended time, if any, otherwise provided for herein. Said sum shall be considered as liquidated damages only and in no sense shall be considered a penalty, said damages being caused by, but not limited to, additional compensation for personnel, attorneys fees, architectural fees, engineering fees, program management fees, inspection fees, storage costs, food service costs, transportation costs, utilities costs, costs of temporary facilities, loss of interest on money, and other miscellaneous increased costs, all of which are difficult to exactly ascertain. Failure to complete the Work within the designated or agreed extended dates of Delivery, shall be construed as a breach of this Agreement.

It is expressly agreed as a part of the consideration inducing the Owner to execute this Agreement that the Owner may deduct from any Payment made to the FF&E Provider a sum equal to \$\(\ext{s1.000.00}\)) per day for each and every additional calendar day beyond the agreed date of Delivery, with a maximum amount not to exceed one percent (1%) of the Contract sum.»

### § 2.1.6 Other:

« During time of volatility in the market, if the project is put on hold, delayed or delivery is delayed, through no fault of Vendor, Vendor shall notify Owner upon receiving any announced increases by Vendor's suppliers that are not included in the Contract Sum. Vendor reserves the right to pass along any and all verifiable increases imposed by the suppliers, and the Contract Sum for the increases shall be adjusted via change order. »

#### $\ll N/A \gg$

### § 2.2 Payments

§ 2.2.1 The Owner shall make payments to the Vendor in conformance with the following payment terms: (Insert payment terms, such as payment due dates, deposit requirements, and prompt payment discounts, if any.)

« Provided that an Application for Payment is received by the Consultant not later than the «15th» day of a month, the Owner shall make payment of the amount certified to the Contractor not later than the «20th» day of the «following» month. If an Application for Payment is received by the Consultant after the application date fixed above, payment of the amount certified shall be made by the Owner not later than «forty-five» ( «45» ) days after the Consultant receives the Application for Payment.

Each Application for Payment shall be based on the most recent schedule of values submitted by the Contractor in accordance with the Contract Documents. The schedule of values shall allocate the entire Contract Sum among the various portions of the Work. The schedule of values shall be prepared in such form, and supported by such data to substantiate its accuracy, as the Consultant may require. This schedule of values shall be used as a basis for reviewing the Contractor's Applications for Payment.

Applications for Payment shall show the percentage of completion of each portion of the Work as of the end of the period covered by the Application for Payment. All payments shall be subject to 5% retainage.

Retainage shall be released upon final completion of the Work, receipt of Vendor's Release of Lien, commencement of warranty for equipment and labor. Prior to substantial completion the Owner has no liability for equipment storage under and by Vendor.»

§ 2.2.2 When payment is due pursuant to the payment terms of Section 2.2.1, the Vendor shall submit to the Owner an itemized invoice, supported by data substantiating the Vendor's right to payment.

§ 2.2.3 Except with the Owner's knowledge and consent, the Vendor shall not engage in any activity, or offer any employment, interest, or contribution to the Owner's employees or consultants, that would reasonably appear to compromise the Owner's employees' or consultants' judgment with respect to this Project.

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# ARTICLE 3 TIME § 3.1 Contract Time

§ 3.1.1 Unless otherwise provided, Contract Time is the period of time, including authorized adjustments, allotted in the Contract Documents for completion of the Work. The Contract Time shall be measured from the date of commencement. The term "day" as used in the Contract Documents shall mean calendar day unless otherwise specifically defined.

§ 3.1.2 Time limits stated in the Contract Documents are of the essence of the Contract. By executing this Agreement, the Vendor confirms that the Contract Time is a reasonable period for performing the Work.

§ 3.1.3 If the Vendor is delayed at any time in the commencement or progress of the Work by (1) changes ordered in the Work; (2) labor disputes, fire, unusual delay in deliveries, abnormal adverse weather conditions not reasonably anticipatable, unavoidable casualties, or any causes beyond the Vendor's control; or (3) other causes that the Vendor asserts, and the Architect determines, justify delay, then the Contract Time shall be extended for such reasonable time as the Architect may determine, subject to the provisions of Article 14.

§ 3.1.4 If the Vendor fails to achieve completion of the Work as provided in this Article 3, liquidated damages, if any, shall be assessed as set forth in Section 2.1.5.

# § 3.2 Date of Commencement

The date of commencement of the Work shall be: (Check one of the following boxes.)

[ « » ] The date of this Agreement.

[ **« X »**] A date set forth in a notice to proceed issued by the Owner.

[ « » ] Established as follows: (Insert a date or a means to determine the date of commencement of the Work.)

« »

If a date of commencement of the Work is not selected, then the date of commencement shall be the date of this Agreement.

# § 3.3 Completion

§ 3.3.1 Completion of the Work occurs upon acceptance of all the Equipment in the Contract Documents in accordance with Article 8.

§ 3.3.2 Subject to adjustments of the Contract Time as provided in the Contract Documents, the Vendor shall achieve completion of the entire Work:

(Check the appropriate box and complete the necessary information.)

[ « »] Not later than « » ( « » ) calendar days from the date of commencement of the Work.

[ **«X** »] By the following date: «January 16, 2026 »

§ 3.3.3 Subject to adjustments of the Contract Time as provided in the Contract Documents, if portions of the Work are to be completed prior to completion of the entire Work, the Vendor shall achieve completion of such portions by the following dates:

Portion of Work Shop Drawings Issued for approval Approved Shop Dwgs from Architect Manuf./Delivery of Foodservice Equip. Installation of Foodservice Equip.

**Completion Date** April 29, 2024 May 14, 2024 October 15, 2025 (contingent on approved shop drawings) January 16, 2026 (contingent on approved shop drawings)

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§ 3.3.4 The Owner may terminate this contract for convenience or for cause upon thirty (30) days written notice to Contractor, and in such event shall only be liable for costs incurred by Contractor for conforming products and services provided up to the date of termination.

# ARTICLE 4 OWNER

# § 4.1 The Owner's Representative

The Owner shall identify a representative authorized to act on behalf of the Owner with respect to the Project. The Owner's representative shall not be changed without ten days' prior notice to the Vendor. The Owner identifies the following representative:

(Name, address, email address, and other information)

« Lockwood, Andrews, & Newnam, Inc. »
« 2925 Briarpark Drive, Suite 400»
« Houston, Texas 77042 »
« »
« »

# § 4.2 Information and Services Required of the Owner

§ 4.2.1 The Owner shall retain an architect lawfully licensed to practice architecture, or an entity lawfully practicing architecture, in the jurisdiction where the Project is located. That person or entity is identified as the Architect in the Agreement and is referred to throughout the Contract Documents as if singular in number.

§ 4.2.2 Unless otherwise provided in the Contract Documents, the Owner shall provide

- .1 areas of the Project premises that the Vendor may use to perform the Work;
- .2 access to the Project premises for the Vendor at reasonable times;
- .3 information regarding any restrictions on the use of, or access to, the Project premises;
- .4 suitable space for receipt, inspection, acceptance, and staging of materials and the Equipment;
- .5 utilities and facilities on the Project premises and vertical transportation necessary for progress and execution of the Work; and
- .6 a secured premises for storage of the Equipment until acceptance.

§ 4.2.3 The Owner shall furnish information or services required of the Owner by the Contract Documents with reasonable promptness. The Owner shall furnish any other information or services under the Owner's control and relevant to the Vendor's performance of the Work with reasonable promptness after receiving the Vendor's written request for such information or services.

# ARTICLE 5 VENDOR

# § 5.1 The Vendor's Representative

The Vendor shall identify a representative authorized to act on behalf of the Vendor with respect to the Project. The Vendor's representative shall not be changed without ten days' prior notice to the Owner and Architect. The Vendor identifies the following representative:

(Name, address, email address, and other information)

« Name »
« Title »
« Company »
« Address »
« City/State/Zip »
« »
« »

**§ 5.2** The Vendor shall not be relieved of its obligations to perform the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents by activities or duties of the Architect in the Architect's administration of the Contract.

§ 5.3 The Vendor shall coordinate its Work with the work provided by the Owner and the Owner's other vendors, consultants, and contractors. The Vendor may communicate with the Owner's other vendors, consultants, and contractors, for the purposes of completing the Work. The Vendor shall keep the Owner reasonably informed of any

such communications. The Vendor shall be entitled to rely on the accuracy and completeness of work and information furnished by the Owner and the Owner's other vendors, consultants, and contractors. The Vendor shall provide prompt written notice to the Owner if the Vendor becomes aware of any error, omission, or inconsistency in such work or information.

# § 5.4 Review of Contract Documents and Inspection of Project Premises by Vendor

§ 5.4.1 Execution of the Contract by the Vendor is a representation that the Vendor has visited the Project premises, if required in the Contract Documents, and correlated personal observations with requirements of the Contract Documents.

**§ 5.4.2** Before starting each portion of the Work, including placing orders for the Equipment, the Vendor shall (1) carefully study and compare the various Contract Documents relative to that portion of the Work, as well as the information furnished by the Owner pursuant to Section 4.2; (2) visit and inspect the Project premises in order to gain an understanding of the conditions under which the Work is to be performed; (3) determine availability of facilities for access, delivery, transportation, and staging; (4) determine any restrictions imposed by the Owner and the Owner's separate vendors and contractors; and (5) correlate observations with the requirements of the Contract Documents. The Vendor shall promptly report to the Owner and Architect conditions observed that would impede the Vendor's performance of the Work. The Vendor's obligations to review the Contract Documents are for the purpose of facilitating delivery and installation by the Vendor and are not for the purpose of discovering errors, omissions, or inconsistencies in the Contract Documents; however, the Vendor shall promptly report to the Architect any errors, inconsistencies, or omissions discovered by or made known to the Vendor as a request for information in such form as the Architect may require. It is recognized that the Vendor's review is made in the Vendor's capacity as a vendor and not as a licensed design professional, unless otherwise specifically provided for in the Contract Documents.

§ 5.4.3 The Vendor is not required to ascertain that the Contract Documents are in accordance with applicable laws, statutes, ordinances, codes, rules and regulations, or lawful orders of public authorities, but the Vendor shall promptly report to the Architect any nonconformity discovered by or made known to the Vendor as a request for information in such form as the Architect may require.

**§ 5.4.4** If the Vendor believes that additional cost or time is involved because of clarifications or instructions the Architect issues in response to the Vendor's notices or requests for information pursuant to Sections 5.4.2 or 5.4.3, the Vendor shall submit Claims as provided in Article 14. If the Vendor fails to perform the obligations of Sections 5.4.2 or 5.4.3, the Vendor shall pay such costs and damages to the Owner, subject to Section 14.12, as would have been avoided if the Vendor had performed such obligations. If the Vendor performs those obligations, the Vendor shall not be hable to the Owner or Architect for damages resulting from errors, inconsistencies, or omissions in the Contract Documents, for differences between field measurements or conditions and the Contract Documents, or for nonconformities of the Contract Documents to applicable laws, statutes, ordinances, codes, rules and regulations, and lawful orders of public authorities.

# § 5.5 Supervision

**§ 5.5.1** The Vendor shall supervise and direct the Work using the Vendor's best skill and attention. The Vendor shall be solely responsible for and have control over the means, methods, techniques, sequences, and procedures of fabrication, shipment, delivery, and installation, and for coordinating all portions of the Work under the Contract, unless the Contract Documents give other specific instructions concerning these matters.

§ 5.5.2 The Vendor shall be responsible to the Owner for acts and omissions of the Vendor's employees, sub-vendors, and their agents and employees, and other persons or entities performing portions of the Work for or on behalf of the Vendor or any of its sub-vendors.

§ 5.5.3 The Vendor shall be responsible for inspection of portions of the Work already performed to determine that such portions are in proper condition for subsequent Work.

# § 5.6 Labor and Materials

**§ 5.6.1** Unless otherwise provided in the Contract Documents, the Vendor shall provide and pay for labor, materials, tools, installation equipment and machinery, delivery, and other facilities and services necessary for proper execution and completion of the Work whether temporary or permanent and whether or not incorporated or to be incorporated in the Work.

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§ 5.6.3 The Vendor shall make no substitution or change in the Contract Documents unless done in accordance with a Modification, and after providing the Architect notice and a reasonable opportunity to evaluate the proposed substitution or change and consult with the Owner.

# § 5.7 Taxes

The Vendor shall pay sales, consumer, use, and other similar taxes that are legally enacted when quotes are received or negotiations concluded, whether or not yet effective or merely scheduled to go into effect.

# § 5.8 Permits, Fees, Notices, and Compliance with Laws

**§ 5.8.1** Unless otherwise provided in the Contract Documents, the Vendor shall secure and pay for permits, fees, licenses, and inspections by government agencies necessary for proper execution and completion of the Work that are customarily secured after execution of the Contract and legally required at the time bids are received or negotiations concluded.

**§ 5.8.2** The Vendor shall comply with and give notices required by applicable laws, statutes, ordinances, codes, rules and regulations, and lawful orders of public authorities applicable to performance of the Work. If the Vendor performs Work knowing it to be contrary to applicable laws, statutes, ordinances, codes, rules and regulations, or lawful orders of public authorities, the Vendor shall assume appropriate responsibility for such Work and shall bear the costs attributable to correction.

# § 5.9 Allowances

The Vendor shall include in the Contract Sum all allowances stated in the Contract Documents. The Owner shall select items under allowances with reasonable promptness. Allowance amounts shall include the costs to the Vendor of items delivered at the Project premises and all required taxes, less applicable trade discounts. Vendor's costs for unloading and handling at the Project premises, labor, installation, overhead, profit, and other expenses contemplated for stated allowance amounts shall be included in the Contract Sum but not in the allowance. Whenever costs are more than or less than allowances, the Contract Sum shall be adjusted accordingly by Modification. The amount of the Modification shall reflect the difference between actual costs and the allowances under Section 2.1.4.

# § 5.10 Vendor's Schedules

**§ 5.10.1** The Vendor, promptly after being awarded the Contract, shall submit for the Owner's and Architect's information a progress schedule for the Work. The schedule shall not exceed time limits current under the Contract Documents, shall be revised at appropriate intervals as required by the progress of the Work and Project, shall be related to the entire Project, and shall provide for expeditious and practicable execution of the Work.

**§ 5.10.2** The Vendor shall perform the Work in general accordance with the most recent schedule submitted to the Owner and Architect.

**§ 5.10.3** The Vendor's progress schedule shall indicate dates for commencement and completion of phases of the Work within the Contract Time, including dates for order placement, fabrication, shipping, delivery, and installation. The schedule shall indicate other critical dates, such as deadlines for approval of submittals of colors, finishes, and materials. The Vendor shall obtain and submit for the Owner's and the Architect's information written confirmation from subvendors of dates of fabrication and delivery.

**§ 5.10.4** The Vendor shall cooperate with the Owner and Architect in coordinating the Vendor's progress schedule with those of contractors and separate vendors and with the requirements of the Owner and Architect. The Vendor shall cooperate in determining mutually acceptable dates and times for delivery, installation, and inspection of the Work, and use of services and facilities provided to the Vendor, all to be confirmed in writing within a reasonable time in advance of such dates and times.

# § 5.11 Submittals

§ 5.11.1 The Vendor shall review for compliance with the Contract Documents and submit to the Architect shop drawings, product data, samples, and similar submittals required by the Contract Documents in coordination with the Vendor's progress schedule and in such sequence as to allow the Architect reasonable time for review. By submitting

shop drawings, product data, samples, and similar submittals, the Vendor represents to the Owner and Architect that the Vendor has (1) reviewed and approved them; (2) determined and verified materials, field measurements, and field installation criteria related thereto, or will do so; and (3) checked and coordinated the information contained within such submittals with the requirements of the Work and of the Contract Documents. The Work shall be in accordance with approved submittals. Shop drawings, product data, samples and similar submittals are not Contract Documents.

§ 5.11.2 The Vendor shall provide the Owner with available manufacturer's warranty documents, product data, and material safety data sheets.

# § 5.12 Cleaning Up

The Vendor shall keep the Project premises and surrounding area free from accumulation of waste materials and rubbish caused by operations under the Contract. Dumpster shall be provided by others. At completion of the Work, the Vendor shall remove waste materials, rubbish, the Vendor's tools, construction equipment, machinery, and surplus material from and about the Project.

# § 5.13 Access to Work

The Vendor shall provide the Owner and Architect with reasonable access to the Work in preparation and progress wherever located.

# § 5.14 Indemnification

**§ 5.14.1** To the fullest extent permitted by law, the Vendor shall indemnify and hold harmless the Owner, Architect, Architect's consultants, and agents and employees of any of them from and against claims, damages, losses and expenses, including but not limited to attorneys' fees, arising out of or resulting from performance of the Work, provided that such claim, damage, loss, or expense is attributable to bodily injury, sickness, disease or death, or to injury to or destruction of tangible property (other than the Work itself), but only to the extent caused by the negligent acts or omissions of the Vendor, a sub-vendor, anyone directly or indirectly employed by them, or anyone for whose acts they may be liable, regardless of whether or not such claim, damage, loss, or expense is caused in part by a party indemnified hereunder. Such obligation shall not be construed to negate, abridge, or reduce other rights or obligations of indemnity which would otherwise exist as to a party or person described in this Section 5.14.1.

§ 5.14.2 In claims against any person or entity indemnified under Section 5.14.1 by an employee of the Vendor, a subvendor, anyone directly or indirectly employed by them, or anyone for whose acts they may be liable, the indemnification obligation under Section 5.14.1 shall not be limited by a limitation on amount or type of damages, compensation, or benefits payable by or for the Vendor or sub-vendor under workers' compensation acts, disability benefit acts, or other employee benefit acts.

**§ 5.14.3** Provided the Owner has fulfilled its payment obligations under the Contract Documents, the Vendor shall defend and indemnify the Owner from all loss, liability, damage or expense, including reasonable attorney's fees and litigation expenses, arising out of any lien claim or other claim for payment by any sub-vendor or supplier of any tier. Upon receipt of notice of a lien claim or other claim for payment, the Owner shall notify the Vendor. If approved by the applicable court, when required, the Vendor may substitute a surety bond for the property against which the lien or other claim for payment has been asserted.

# ARTICLE 6 TITLE AND RISK OF LOSS

§ 6.1 Title to all Equipment shall be transferred to the Owner upon acceptance in accordance with Article 8.

**§ 6.2** The risk of loss with respect to all Equipment provided by the Vendor shall remain with the Vendor, and the Owner has no obligation to insure such Equipment, until acceptance in accordance with Article 8.

# ARTICLE 7 DELIVERY AND INSTALLATION

§ 7.1 The Vendor shall deliver the Equipment in accordance with the Vendor's progress schedule, or at a time agreed upon by the Owner and Architect, and in accordance with Article 5.

§ 7.2 Delivery of all Equipment shall be made at the Project premises unless otherwise specified in the Contract Documents.

§ 7.3 The Vendor shall coordinate with the Owner regarding the logistics of the Vendor's delivery obligations at the Project premises.

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# ARTICLE 8 ACCEPTANCE

§ 8.1 The Owner and Architect may conduct a preliminary inspection of Equipment within seven days after its delivery to the Project premises for the purpose of verifying the delivery and quantities. Preliminary inspections shall not constitute acceptance of, taking charge over, or taking control of, such Equipment. The Architect shall report to the Vendor any defects, damage, deficiencies, or nonconformity observed during the preliminary inspection.

§ 8.2 When the Vendor considers the Work, or a portion thereof which the Owner agrees to accept separately, to be complete, the Vendor shall notify the Owner and Architect. The Vendor shall allow the Owner and Architect a reasonable amount of time to inspect the Equipment to determine, based on conformance with the Contract Documents, if it is accepted or rejected in whole or in part. Based on the Architect's recommendation to the Owner and the Owner's own inspection, if any, the Owner shall accept or reject the Equipment, in whole or in part.

§ 8.3 If the Owner rejects any of the Equipment, the Owner, or the Architect acting on behalf of the Owner, shall notify the Vendor within seven days of the date of inspection, specifying the basis for such rejection. Upon rejection, the Vendor shall provide a remedy and evidence of arrangements to accomplish such remedy. The Owner shall allow the Vendor a reasonable amount of time to remedy the rejected Equipment. When the Vendor considers the remedied Equipment to be complete, the parties shall follow the procedures set forth in Section 8.2. If the Owner rejects any of the Equipment for a second time, the Owner shall promptly notify the Vendor and the Vendor shall promptly remove the rejected Equipment from the Project premises and refund payments made for such rejected goods to the Owner. If the Vendor disagrees with an Owner's rejection, the Vendor may make a claim.

§ 8.4 Equipment not inspected in accordance with Section 8.2 or rejected in accordance with Section 8.3 shall be deemed accepted.

§ 8.5 The Owner's acceptance under this Article 8 cannot be revoked; however, the provisions of this Article 8 do not preclude recovery of damages as provided by law. The Owner's acceptance, or failure to discover a Vendor's breach after acceptance, shall not bar the Owner from making claims in accordance with Article 14 or from remedies and damages due to the Vendor's breach of this Agreement, including the Vendor's breach of warranties in Article 9.

#### ARTICLE 9 WARRANTIES

§ 9.1 The Vendor warrants to the Owner that the Equipment furnished under the Contract will be of good quality and new unless the Contract Documents require or permit otherwise. The Vendor further warrants that the Equipment will conform to the requirements of the Contract Documents. Equipment not conforming to these requirements may be considered defective. The Vendor's warranty excludes remedy for damage or defect caused by abuse, alterations to the Equipment not executed by the Vendor, improper or insufficient maintenance, improper operation, or normal wear and tear and normal usage.

§ 9.2 The Vendor assigns to the Owner all Equipment manufacturers' warranties and guarantees upon acceptance in accordance with Article 8.

§ 9.3 The Vendor hereby provides to the Owner all warranties relating to the Equipment implied by law, including the warranty of merchantability and warranty of fitness for a particular purpose.

§ 9.4 The Vendor acknowledges that no exclusion of, or limitation on, warranties contained in any proposal, product literature, or other submittal shall affect the warranties provided in this Article 9.

#### ARTICLE 10 ARCHITECT

§ 10.1 The Architect will provide administration of the Contract as described in the Contract Documents and will be an Owner's representative during the Vendor's performance, and until completion, of the Work. The Architect will have authority to act on behalf of the Owner only to the extent provided in the Contract Documents, unless otherwise modified in writing in accordance with other provisions of the Contract.

§ 10.2 Except as otherwise provided in the Contract Documents or when direct communications have been specially authorized, the Owner and Vendor shall endeavor to communicate with each other through the Architect about matters arising out of or relating to the Contract. Communications by and with the Architect's consultants shall be through the Architect. Communications by and with sub-vendors and suppliers shall be through the Vendor. Communications by

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and with separate vendors shall be through the Owner. The Contract Documents may specify other communication protocols.

**§ 10.3** The Architect will assist the Owner in coordinating schedules for fabrication, delivery, and installation of the Work, but will not be responsible for failure of the Vendor or a sub-vendor to meet schedules for completion or to perform their respective duties and responsibilities in conformance with applicable schedules.

**§ 10.4** The Architect will visit the Project premises at intervals appropriate to the stage of the Work, or as otherwise agreed with the Owner, to become generally familiar with, and to keep the Owner informed about, the progress and quality of the portion of the Work completed, and to determine, in general, if the Work observed is being performed in a manner indicating that the Work, when fully completed, will be in accordance with the Contract Documents. The Architect will not have control over, charge of, or responsibility for, the means, methods, techniques, sequences, or procedures of fabrication, shipment, delivery, storage, or installation, or for the safety precautions and programs in connection with the Work, as these are solely the Vendor's rights and responsibilities under the Contract Documents.

**§ 10.5** The Architect may order minor changes in the Work. The Architect's order for minor changes shall be in writing. If the Vendor believes that the proposed minor change in the Work will affect the Contract Sum or Contract Time, the Vendor shall notify the Architect and shall not proceed to implement the change in the Work. If the Vendor performs the Work set forth in the Architect's order for a minor change without prior notice to the Architect that such change will affect the Contract Sum or extension of the Contract Time.

**§ 10.6** The Architect will conduct inspections of Equipment and provide recommendations as set forth in Article 8. Pursuant to Article 8, the Architect is only responsible for identifying defects, deficiencies, or nonconformities that the Architect actually observes, or reasonably should observe, during its inspections. The Architect is not required to make exhaustive or continuous inspections to fulfill its responsibilities in Article 8 and has no responsibility to discover latent defects.

**§ 10.7** The Architect will review and approve or take other appropriate action upon the Vendor's submittals such as shop drawings, product data, and samples, but only for the limited purpose of checking for conformance with information given and the design concept expressed in the Contract Documents.

# ARTICLE 11 RELATED ACTIVITIES OF OWNER OR OF SEPARATE VENDORS

§ 11.1 The Owner shall coordinate the activities of the Owner's own forces and of each separate vendor or contractor, if any, with the Work.

**§ 11.2** If the Work depends for proper execution or results upon activities by the Owner or a separate vendor or contractor, the Vendor shall, prior to proceeding with that portion of the Work, promptly report to the Owner and Architect apparent discrepancies or defects in, or arising from, the activities of the Owner or separate vendors or contractors, that would impede the Vendor in achieving proper execution and results. If the Vendor fails to report reasonably discoverable discrepancies or defects, it shall be responsible for deficiencies or defects in its Work due to such deficiencies or defects.

§ 11.3 The Vendor shall reimburse the Owner for costs the Owner incurs that are payable to a separate vendor or contractor because of the Vendor's delays, improperly timed activities, or damage to the work of a separate vendor or contractor. The Owner shall be responsible to the Vendor for costs the Vendor incurs because of the delays, improperly timed activities, or damage to the delays, improperly timed activities, or damage to the Work caused by a separate vendor or contractor.

**§ 11.4** If a dispute arises among the Vendor, separate vendors, or contractors, and the Owner as to the responsibility under their respective contracts for maintaining the Project premises and surrounding area free from waste materials and rubbish, the Owner may clean up and the Architect will allocate the cost among those responsible.

# ARTICLE 12 PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

# § 12.1 Safety Precautions and Programs

The Vendor shall be responsible for initiating, maintaining, and supervising all safety precautions and programs in connection with the performance of the Contract. The Vendor shall take reasonable precautions for safety of, and shall provide reasonable protection to prevent damage, injury, or loss to

.1 employees on the Work and other persons who may be affected thereby;

- .2 the Work, and materials and Equipment to be incorporated therein, whether in storage on or off the Project premises, under care, custody, or control of the Vendor or sub-vendors; and
- .3 other property at the Project premises or adjacent thereto.

The Vendor shall comply with, and give notices required by, applicable laws, statutes, ordinances, codes, rules and regulations, and lawful orders of public authorities bearing on safety of persons and property and their protection from damage, injury, or loss. The Vendor shall promptly remedy damage and loss to property caused in whole or in part by the Vendor, sub-vendors, or anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them, or by anyone for whose acts they may be liable and for which the Vendor is responsible under Sections 12.1.2 and 12.1.3. The Vendor may make a claim for the cost to remedy the damage or loss to the extent such damage or loss is attributable to acts or omissions of the Owner or Architect, or of anyone for whose acts either of them may be liable, and not attributable to the fault or negligence of the Vendor. The foregoing obligations of the Vendor are in addition to the Vendor's obligations under Section 5.14.

# § 12.2 Hazardous Materials and Substances

**§ 12.2.1** The Vendor is responsible for compliance with the requirements of the Contract Documents regarding hazardous materials or substances. If the Vendor encounters a hazardous material or substance not addressed in the Contract Documents, and if reasonable precautions will be inadequate to prevent foreseeable bodily injury or death to persons resulting from a material or substance, including but not limited to asbestos or polychlorinated biphenyl (PCB), encountered on the Project premises by the Vendor, the Vendor shall, upon recognizing the condition, immediately stop Work in the affected area and notify the Owner and Architect of the condition. When the material or substance has been rendered harmless, Work in the affected area shall resume upon written agreement of the Owner and Vendor. By written agreement between the Owner and Vendor, the Contract Time shall be extended appropriately, and the Contract Sum shall be increased in the amount of the Vendor's reasonable additional costs of shutdown, delay, and start-up.

**§ 12.2.** To the fullest extent permitted by law, the Owner shall indemnify and hold harmless the Vendor, sub-vendors, Architect, Architect's consultants, and agents and employees of any of them from and against claims, damages, losses, and expenses, including but not limited to attorneys' fees, arising out of or resulting from performance of the Work in the affected area, if in fact, the material or substance presents the risk of bodily injury or death as described in Section 12.2.1 and has not been rendered harmless, provided that such claim, damage, loss, or expense is attributable to bodily injury, sickness, disease or death, or to injury to or destruction of tangible property (other than the Work itself), except to the extent that such damage, loss, or expense is due to the fault or negligence of the party seeking indemnity.

§ 12.2.3 If, without negligence on the part of the Vendor, the Vendor is held liable by a government agency for the cost of remediation of a hazardous material or substance solely by reason of performing Work as required by the Contract Documents, the Owner shall indemnify the Vendor for all cost and expense thereby incurred.

# ARTICLE 13 INSURANCE

**§ 13.1** The Vendor shall purchase and maintain insurance of the types and limits of liability, containing the endorsements, and subject to the terms and conditions, as described in this Article 13 or elsewhere in the Contract Documents. The Vendor shall purchase and maintain the insurance required by this Agreement from an insurance company or insurance companies lawfully authorized to issue insurance in the jurisdiction where the Project is located. The Vendor shall maintain the required insurance from the date of commencement of the Work to the date of completion of the Work, unless a different duration is stated below.

**§ 13.2** Commercial General Liability insurance for the Project written on an occurrence form with policy limits of not less than «One Million Dollars » (\$ «1,000,000 » ) each occurrence, « One Million Dollars » (\$ «1,000,000 » ) general aggregate, and « One Million Dollars » (\$ «1,000,000 » ) aggregate for products-completed operations hazard, providing coverage for claims including

- .1 damages because of bodily injury, sickness or disease, including occupational sickness or disease, and death of any person;
- .2 personal and advertising injury;
- .3 damages because of physical damage to or destruction of tangible property, including the loss of use of such property;
- .4 bodily injury or property damage arising out of completed operations; and
- .5 the Vendor's indemnity obligations under Section 5.14.

§ 13.3 Automobile Liability covering vehicles owned by the Vendor and non-owned vehicles used by the Vendor, with policy limits of not less than « One Million Dollars » (\$ «1,000,000 ») per accident, for bodily injury, death of any person, and property damage arising out of the ownership, maintenance, and use of those motor vehicles along with any other statutorily required automobile coverage.

§ 13.4 The Vendor may achieve the required limits and coverage for Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability through a combination of primary and excess or umbrella liability insurance, provided such primary and excess or umbrella insurance policies result in the same or greater coverage as those required under Sections 13.2 and 13.3, and in no event shall any excess or umbrella liability insurance provide narrower coverage than the primary policy. The excess policy shall not require the exhaustion of the underlying limits only through the actual payment by the underlying insurers.

§ 13.5 Workers' Compensation at statutory limits.

§ 13.6 Employers' Liability with policy limits not less than « One Million Dollars » (\$ «1,000,000 ») each accident, « One Million Dollars » (\$ «1,000,000 ») each employee, and « One Million Dollars » (\$ «1,000,000 ») policy limit.

§ 13.7 The Vendor shall procure Errors and Omissions or Professional Liability insurance covering performance of the Work, with policy limits of not less than « One Million Dollars » (\$ «1,000,000 ») per claim and « One Million Dollars » (\$ « 1,000,000 » ) in the aggregate.

§ 13.8 The Vendor shall provide certificates of insurance acceptable to the Owner evidencing compliance with the requirements in this Article 13 at the following times: (1) prior to commencement of the Work; (2) upon renewal or replacement of each required policy of insurance; and (3) upon the Owner's written request. An additional certificate evidencing continuation of liability coverage, including coverage for completed operations, shall be submitted with the final invoice and thereafter upon renewal or replacement of such coverage until the expiration of the period required by Section 13.1. The certificates will show the Owner as an additional insured on the Vendor's Commercial General Liability and excess or umbrella liability policy.

§ 13.9 The Vendor shall disclose to the Owner any deductible or self- insured retentions applicable to any insurance. required to be provided by the Vendor.

§ 13.10 To the fullest extent permitted by law, the Vendor shall cause the commercial liability coverage required by this Article 13 to include (1) the Owner, the Architect, and the Architect's Consultants as additional insureds for claims caused in whole or in part by the Vendor's negligent acts or omissions during the Vendor's operations; and (2) the Owner as an additional insured for claims caused in whole or in part by the Vendor's negligent acts or omissions for which loss occurs during completed operations. The additional insured coverage shall be primary and non-contributory to any of the Owner's general liability insurance policies and shall apply to both ongoing and completed operations. To the extent commercially available, the additional insured coverage shall be no less than that provided by Insurance Services Office, Inc. (ISO) forms CG 20 10 07 04, CG 20 37 07 04, and, with respect to the Architect and the Architect's Consultants, CG 20 32 07 04.

§ 13.11 Within three (3) business days of the date the Vendor becomes aware of an impending or actual cancellation or expiration of any insurance required by this Article 13, the Vendor shall provide notice to the Owner of such impending or actual cancellation or expiration. Upon receipt of notice from the Vendor, the Owner shall, unless the lapse in coverage arises from an act or omission of the Owner, have the right to stop the Work until the lapse in coverage has been cured by the procurement of replacement coverage by the Vendor. The furnishing of notice by the Vendor shall not relieve the Vendor of any contractual obligation to provide any required coverage.

# § 13.12 Other Bonds and Insurance Provided by the Vendor

(List below any other insurance coverage to be provided by the Vendor and any applicable limits.)

Coverage	Limits
Statutory Payment and Performance Bonds under Texas Government Code Chapter 2253	The Penal Sum shall be the full amount of the Contract Sum
Umbrella or Excess Liability	\$5,000,000

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# § 13.13 Waiver of Subrogation

§ 13.13.1 [Intentionally Deleted]

§ 13.13.2 A loss insured under the Owner's property insurance shall be adjusted by the Owner as fiduciary and made payable to the Owner as fiduciary for the insureds, as their interests may appear, subject to requirements of any applicable mortgagee clause. The Owner shall pay the Consultant and Vendor their just shares of insurance proceeds received by the Owner, and by appropriate agreements, written where legally required for validity, the Consultant and Vendor shall make payments to their consultants and sub-vendors in similar manner.

# § 13.14 Compliance With Gov't Code 552.372

The requirements of the Texas Public Information Act, Chapter 552 of the Texas Government Code, Subchapter J, may apply to this contract if it is valued at more than \$1 million. The Contractor agrees that this Contract can be terminated if the Contractor knowingly or intentionally fails to comply with a requirement of that subchapter, including the preservation of all "contracting information" (as defined in 552.003) and the provision, upon request of the Owner, of all contracting information. Contracting information includes, but is not limited to, records, communications and other documents related to the bid process, contract, payments, receipts, scope of work/services, and performance.

# § 13.15 Criminal Background Checks

The Contractor/Subcontractor shall certify the Criminal Background Check, as stated in the Owner's Board Policy CJA and the form provided to Contractor, as required by Texas Education Code Section 22.0834 and Texas Administrative Code Section 153.1101 and shall comply with all requirements of such laws and policy.

# § 13.16 Required Certifications

Contractor hereby certifies that it is not a company identified on the Texas Comptroller's list of companies known to have contracts with, or provide supplies or services to, a foreign organization designated as a Foreign Terrorist Organization by the U.S. Secretary of State under federal law. Contractor hereby certifies and verifies that neither Contractor, nor any affiliate, subsidiary, or parent company of Contractor, if any (the "Contractor Companies"), boycotts Israel, and contractor agrees that Contractor and Contractor Companies will not boycott Israel during the term of this Agreement. For purposes of this Agreement, the term "boycott" shall mean and include terminating business activities or otherwise taking any action that is intended to penalize, inflict economic harm on, or limit commercial relations with Israel, or with a person or entity doing business in Israel or in an Israeli-controlled territory,

Contractor verifies that: (1) it does not, and will not for the duration of the contract, boycott energy companies or (2) the verification required by Section 2274.002 of the Texas Government Code does not apply to the contract.

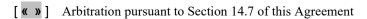
Contractor verifies that: (1) it does not, and will not for the duration of the contract, have a practice, policy, guidance, or directive that discriminates against a firearm entity or firearm trade association or (2) the verification required by Section 2274.002 of the Texas Government Code does not apply to the contract.

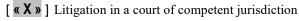
#### ARTICLE 14 CLAIMS AND DISPUTES

§ 14.1 Binding Dispute Resolution

For any claim subject to, but not resolved by, mediation pursuant to Section 14.6, the method of binding dispute resolution shall be as follows:

(Check the appropriate box.)





- [« »] Other (Specify)
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If the Owner and Vendor do not select a method of binding dispute resolution, or do not subsequently agree in writing to a binding dispute resolution method other than litigation, claims will be resolved in a court in Harris County, Texas.

§ 14.2 Claims, disputes, and other matters in question arising out of or relating to this Contract, including those alleging an error or omission by the Architect but excluding those arising under Section 12.2, shall be referred initially to the Architect for decision. Such matters, except those waived as provided for in Section 14.12, may, after initial decision by the Architect or 30 days after submission of the matter to the Architect, be subject to mediation upon mutual agreement of both parties.

# § 14.3 Notice of Claims

Claims by either the Owner or Vendor shall be initiated by notice to the other party in accordance with Section 1.11.2.

# § 14.4 Time Limits on Claims

The Owner and Vendor shall commence all claims and causes of action against the other and arising out of or related to the Contract in accordance with the requirements of the final dispute resolution method selected in this Agreement, whether in contract, tort, breach of warranty, or otherwise, within the period specified by applicable law, but in any case not more than 10 years after the date of completion of the Work. The Owner and Vendor waive all claims and causes of action not commenced in accordance with this Section 14.4.

**§ 14.5** If a claim, dispute, or other matter in question relates to or is the subject of a mechanic's lien, the party asserting such matter may proceed in accordance with applicable law to comply with the lien procedures, including notice or filing deadlines.

**§ 14.6** The parties shall endeavor to resolve their disputes by mediation which, unless the parties mutually agree otherwise, shall be administered by the American Arbitration Association in accordance with their Construction Industry Mediation Procedures in effect on the date of this Agreement. A request for mediation shall be made in writing, delivered to the other party to this Agreement, and filed with the person or entity administering the mediation. The request may be made concurrently with the binding dispute resolution proceedings but, in such event, mediation shall proceed in advance of binding dispute resolution proceedings, which shall be stayed pending mediation for a period of 60 days from the date of filing, unless stayed for a longer period by agreement of the parties or court order.

**§ 14.7** [Intentionally Deleted]

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**§ 14.9** [Intentionally Deleted]

§ 14.10 [Intentionally Deleted]

# § 14.11 Continuing Contract Performance

Pending final resolution of a Claim, except as otherwise agreed in writing, the Vendor shall proceed diligently with performance of the Contract and the Owner shall continue to make payments in accordance with the Contract Documents.

# § 14.12 Waiver of Claims for Consequential Damages

The Vendor and Owner waive claims against each other for consequential damages arising out of or relating to this Contract. This mutual waiver includes

- .1 damages incurred by the Owner for rental expenses, for losses of use, income, profit, financing, business and reputation, and for loss of management or employee productivity or of the services of such persons; and
- .2 damages incurred by the Vendor for principal office expenses including the compensation of personnel stationed there, for losses of financing, business, and reputation, and for loss of profit except anticipated profit arising directly from the work.

# ARTICLE 15 ENUMERATION OF CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

**§ 15.1** The Contract Documents are defined in Article 1 and, except for Modifications issued after execution of this Agreement, are enumerated in the sections below.

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§ 15.2 The Agreement is this executed AIA Document A151<sup>TM</sup>\_2019, Standard Form of Agreement Between Owner and Vendor for Furniture, Furnishings, and Equipment.

§ 15.3 AIA Document E203<sup>TM</sup>–2013, Building Information Modeling and Digital Data Exhibit, dated as indicated below:

(Insert the date of the E203–2013 incorporated into this Agreement.)

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The Drawings:			
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Number	Title	Date	
K1.0	FS Equipment Plan – Overall	11/02/23	
K1.1	FS Equipment Plan - North	11/02/23	
K1.2	FS Equipment Plan - South	11/02/23	
K1.3	FS Facility Model	11/02/23	
K1.4	FS Equipment Model	11/02/23	
K1.5	FS Special Conditions Plan - North	11/02/23	
K1.5.1	FS Special Conditions Plan - South	11/02/23	
K1.6	FS Plumbing Plan - North	11/02/23	
K1.6.1	FS Plumbing Plan - South	11/02/23	
K1.7	FS Electrical Plan - North	11/02/23	
K1.7.1	FS Electrical Plan - South	11/02/23	
K1.8	FS Condensing Units	11/02/23	
K1.9	FS Walk-Ins	11/02/23	
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Portions of Addenda relating to quotations or proposal requirements are not part of the Contract Documents unless the quotation or proposal requirements are enumerated in this Article 15.

§ 15.7 Additional documents, if any, forming part of the Contract Documents:

.1 Other Exhibits:

(Check all boxes that apply.)

[ « » ] The Sustainability Plan:

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	Document	Title	Date	Pages
.2	Other documents, if any, listed below: (List here any additional documents th	at are intended to form part	of the Contrac	t Documents.)
This Agreeme	ent entered into as of the day and year fin	rst written above.		
OWNER (Si	ignature)	VENDOR (Signatu	re)	
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