



**FULTON
COUNTY**

CONTRACT AGREEMENT FOR #19RFP052019K-EC

**FULTON COUNTY JUSTICE CENTER TOWER
DUCT SYSTEM CLEANING – PHASE II**

For

**DEPARTMENT OF REAL ESTATE AND ASSET
MANAGEMENT**

STATE OF GEORGIA

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BUSINESS INFORMATION

BUSINESS NAME : AQS, Inc.
CONTROL NUMBER : 18147265
BUSINESS TYPE : Domestic Profit Corporation

BUSINESS INFORMATION CURRENTLY ON FILE

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REGISTERED AGENT NAME : Anton Kotze
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AUTHORIZER TITLE : Officer



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Business Name: **AQS, Inc.** Control Number: **18147265**

Business Type: **Domestic Profit Corporation** Business Status: **Active/Compliance**

NAICS Code: **Any legal purpose** NAICS Sub Code:

Principal Office Address: **2594 Winslow Drive, Atlanta, GA, 30305, USA** Date of Formation / Registration Date: **12/12/2018**

State of Formation: **Georgia** Last Annual Registration Year: **2019**

REGISTERED AGENT INFORMATION

Registered Agent Name: **Anton Kotze**

Physical Address: **2594 Winslow Drive, Atlanta, GA, 30305, USA**

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	GWINNETT COUNTY CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY PERMIT NUMBER: TNC2019-00573	
BUILDING ADDRESS: 5925 PEACHTREE CORN, NORCROSS, GA 30071 CITY: NORCROSS ZIP CODE: 30071 PARCEL NUMBER: 6273 023	BUILDING NUMBER: BUILDING/TENANT AREA: 9600 TYPE OF WORK: Tenant Change BUILDING/TENANT KNOWN AS: AQS, INC.	SUITE NUMBER:
OFFICE OF THE FIRE MARSHAL Department of Fire and Emergency Services		
NFPA OCCUPANCY CLASSIFICATION: Business OCCUPANT LOAD: 30		
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS:		
<p>This certifies that the premises described herein conforms substantially to the approved plans and specifications and to the requirements of the applicable laws, rules and regulations, codes, standards and ordinances for the uses and occupancy specified. This Certificate of Occupancy shall be made null and void if change of use, occupancy, or physical alterations, additions, renovations, or a fire or destructive event of serious consequence, or other hazard(s) identified. This document shall be available for inspection at the building at all reasonable times.</p> <p>The Fire Marshal is authorized to, in writing, suspend or revoke this Certificate of Occupancy under the provisions of the Gwinnett County Code of Ordinances, Chapter 46, when it is determined that the premises described herein or portion thereof is in violation of any applicable law, rules and regulations, codes, standards, and ordinances or any provision thereof.</p> <p>This inspection or permitting of any building, structure or plan under the requirements of the codes shall not be construed in any court as a warranty of the physical condition of such building or the adequacy of such plan. No jurisdiction nor any employee thereof shall be liable in court for damages for any defect or hazardous or illegal condition or inadequacy in such building or plan, nor for any failures of any component of such building, which may occur subsequent to such inspection or permitting.</p>		
ISSUED BY: DMNYAMOHANGA DATE ISSUED: 4/16/2019		TITLE: Inspector SIGNATURE: DMNYAMOHANGA

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OWNER - CONTRACTOR AGREEMENT

#19RFP052019K-EC, Fulton County Justice Center Tower Duct System Cleaning – Phase II

Contractor: AQS d/b/a Air Quality Systems

Project No. 19RFP052019K-EC

Address: 5925 Peachtree Corners East
Norcross, GA 30071

Telephone: 770-446-1142

Contact: Anton Kotze, President

Email: anton.kotze@aqsatlanta.com

THIS AGREEMENT is effective as of the 31st day of January, 2020, by and between Fulton County, a political subdivision of the State of Georgia (hereinafter called the "County"), and the above named CONTRACTOR in accordance with all provisions of this Construction Agreement ("Contract"), which consists of the following: Owner-Contractor Agreement, Owner's invitation for bid, instructions to bidders, bid form, performance bond, payment bond, acknowledgments, general conditions, special conditions, scope of work and specifications, plans, drawings, exhibits, addenda, Purchasing forms, Office of Contract Compliance Forms, Risk Management insurance provisions forms and written change orders.

The specific Exhibits of this Contract are as follows:

- Exhibit A: General Conditions
- Exhibit B: Special Conditions
- Exhibit C: Addenda
- Exhibit D: Bid Form
- Exhibit E: Bonds (Payment & Performance)
- Exhibit F: Scope of Work and Technical Specifications
- Exhibit G: Exhibits
- Exhibit H: Purchasing Forms
- Exhibit I: Office of Contract Compliance Forms
- Exhibit J: Risk Management Insurance Provisions Forms

WITNESSETH: That the said Contractor has agreed, and by these present does agree with the said County, for and in consideration of a Contract Price of **Nine Hundred Ninety Eight Thousand, Five Hundred Dollars and Zero Cent, (\$998,500.00)** and other good and valuable consideration, and under the penalty expressed on Bonds hereto attached, to furnish all equipment, tools, materials, skill, and labor of every description necessary to carry out and complete in good, firm, and workmanlike manner, the Work specified, in strict conformity with the Drawings and the Specifications hereinafter set forth, which Drawings and Specifications together with the bid submittals made by the Contractor, General Conditions, Special Provisions, Detailed Specifications, Exhibits, and this Construction Agreement, shall all form essential parts of this Contract. The Work covered by this Contract includes all Work indicated on Plans and Specifications and listed in the Bid entitled:

Project Number: #19RFP052019K-EC

Fulton County Justice Center Tower Duct System Cleaning – Phase II

The Contractor, providing services as an Independent Contractor, shall commence the Work with adequate force and equipment within 10 days from receipt of Notice to Proceed ("NTP") from the County, and shall complete the work within **365** calendar days from the Notice to Proceed or the date work begins, whichever comes first. The Contractor shall remain responsible for performing, in accordance with the terms of the Contract, all work assigned prior to the expiration of the said calendar days allowed for completion of the work even if the work is not completed until after the expiration of such days. The Contractor shall agree that in the performance of this Contract he will comply with all lawful agreements, if any, which the contractor has made with any association, union or other entity, with respect to wages, salaries and working conditions, so as to cause inconvenience, picketing or work stoppage.

For each calendar day that any work remains uncompleted after the time allowed for completion of the work, the Contractor shall pay the County the sum of \$ 500.00 not as a penalty but as liquidated damages, which liquidated damages the County may deduct from any money due the contractor. At the County's convenience and not to it prejudice the County may provide written notice of the commencement of the assessment of liquidated damages].

As full compensation for the faithful performance of this Contract, the County shall pay the Contractor in accordance with the General Conditions and the prices stipulated in the Bid, hereto attached.

It is further mutually agreed between the parties hereto that if, at any time after the execution of this Agreement and the Surety Bonds hereto attached for its faithful performance, the County shall deem the surety or sureties upon such bonds to be unsatisfactory, or, if, for any reason, such bonds cease to be adequate to cover the performance of the Work, the Contractor shall, at his expense, within five days after receipt of notice from the County so to do, furnish an additional bond or bonds in such form and amount, and with such surety or sureties as shall be satisfactory to the County. In such event no further payment to the Contractor shall be deemed to be due under this Agreement until such new or additional security for the faithful performance of the Work shall be furnished in manner and form satisfactory to the County.

The Contractor hereby assumes the entire responsibility and liability for any and all injury to or death of any and all persons, including the Contractor's agents, servants, and employees, and in addition thereto, for any and all damages to property caused by or resulting from or arising out of any act or omission in connection with this contract or the prosecution of work hereunder, whether caused by the Contractor or the Contractor's agents, Servants, or employees, or by any of the Contractor's subcontractors or suppliers, and the Contractor shall indemnify and hold harmless the County, the Construction Manager, County's Commissioners, officers, employees, successors, assigns and agents, or any of their subcontractors from and against any and all loss and/or expense which they or any of them may suffer or pay as a result of claims or suits due to, because of, or arising out of any and all such injuries, deaths and/or damage, irrespective of County or Construction Manager negligence (except that no party shall be indemnified for their own sole negligence). The Contractor, if requested, shall assume and defend at the Contractor's own expense, any suit, action or other legal proceedings arising there from, and the Contractor hereby agrees to satisfy, pay, and cause to be discharged of record any judgment which may be rendered against the County and the Construction Manager arising there from.

In the event of any such loss, expense, damage, or injury, or if any claim or demand for damages as heretofore set forth is made against the County or the Construction Manager, the County may withhold from any payment due or thereafter to become due to the Contractor under the terms of this Contract, an amount sufficient in its judgment to protect and indemnify it and the Construction Manager, County's Commissioners, officers, employees, successors, assigns and agents from any and all claims, expense, loss, damages, or injury; and the County, in its discretion, may require the Contractor to furnish a surety bond satisfactory to the County providing for such protection and indemnity, which bond shall be furnished by the Contractor within five (5) days after written demand has been made therefore. The expense of said Bond shall be borne by the Contractor. **[See General Conditions for similar provision]**

This Contract constitutes the full agreement between the parties, and the Contractor shall not sublet, assign, transfer, pledge, convey, sell or otherwise dispose of the whole or any part of this Contract or his right, title, or interest therein to any person, firm or corporation without the previous consent of the County in writing. Subject to applicable provisions of law, this Contract shall be in full force and effect as a Contract, from the date on which a fully executed and approved counterpart hereof is delivered to the Contractor and shall remain and continue in full force and effect until after the expiration of any guarantee period and the Contractor and his sureties are finally released by the County.

This agreement was approved by the Fulton County Board of Commissioner on December 4, 2019, BOC #19-1015.

[SIGNATURES NEXT PAGE]

IN WITNESS THEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused this Contract to be executed by their duly authorized representatives as attested and witnessed and their corporate seals to be hereunto affixed as of the day and year date first above written.

OWNER:

FULTON COUNTY, GEORGIA

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Robert L. Pitts

Robert L. Pitts, Chair
Board of Commissioners

ATTEST:

DocuSigned by:

Tonya R. Grier

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Tonya R. Grier
Chief Deputy Clerk to the Commissioners

(Affix County Seal)



APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Office of the County Attorney

APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:

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Joseph Davis

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Joseph Davis, Director
Department of Real Estate and Asset
Management

CONTRACTOR:

**AQS D/B/A AIR QUALITY
SYSTEMS**

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Anton Kotze

Anton Kotze
President

ATTEST:

DocuSigned by:

Shannon Kotze

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Secretary/
Assistant Secretary

(Affix Corporate Seal)



DocuSigned by:

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END OF SECTION



EXHIBIT A
GENERAL CONDITIONS

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GENERAL CONDITIONS

00700-1 FAMILIARITY WITH SITE

Execution of this agreement by the Contractor is a representation that the Contractor has visited the site, has become familiar with the local conditions under which the work is to be performed, and has correlated personal observations with the requirements of this agreement.

00700-2 CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

This agreement consists of Owner's invitation for bid, instructions to bidders, bid form, performance bond, payment bond, acknowledgments, the contract, general conditions, special conditions, specifications, plans, drawings, exhibits, addenda, and written change orders.

- A. Notice of Award of Contract:
- B. Execution of Contract Documents

Upon notification of Award of Contract, the Owner shall furnish the Contractor the conformed copies of Contract Documents for execution by the Contractor and the Contractor's surety.

Within ten (10) days after receipt the Contractor shall return all the documents properly executed by the Contractor and the Contractor's surety. Attached to each document shall be an original power-of-attorney for the person executing the bonds for the surety and certificates of insurance for the required insurance coverage.

After receipt of the documents executed by the Contractor and his surety with the power-of-attorney and certificates of insurance, the Owner shall complete the execution of the documents. Distribution of the completed documents will be made upon completion.

Should the Contractor and/or Surety fail to execute the documents within the time specified; the Owner shall have the right to proceed on the Bid Bond accompanying the bid.

If the Owner fails to execute the documents within the time limit specified, the Contractor shall have the right to withdraw the Contractor's bid without penalty.

Drawings and Specifications:

The Drawings, Specifications, Contract Documents, and all supplemental documents, are considered essential parts of the Contract, and requirements occurring in one are as binding as though occurring in all. They are intended to define, describe and provide for all Work necessary to complete the Project in an acceptable manner, ready for use, occupancy, or operation by the Owner.

In case of conflict between the Drawings and Specifications, the Specifications shall govern. Figure dimensions on Drawings shall govern over scale dimensions, and detailed Drawings shall govern over general Drawings.

In cases where products or quantities are omitted from the Specifications, the description and quantities shown on the Drawings shall govern.

Any ambiguities or need for clarification of the Drawings or Specifications shall be immediately reported to the FC Project Manager in writing. Any such ambiguity or need for clarification shall be handled by the FC Project Manager in writing. No clarification of the Drawings and Specifications hereunder by the FC Project Manager shall entitle the Contractor to any additional monies unless a Change Order has been processed as provided by "Changes in the Contract" hereof.

Any work done by the Contractor following a discovery of such differing site condition or ambiguity or need for clarification in the Contract Drawings and Specifications prior to a written report to the FC Project Manager shall not entitle the Contractor to additional monies and shall be done at the Contractor's risk.

The FC Project Manager will furnish the Contractor one (1) electronic copy of the Contract Drawings and the Specifications, one copy of which the Contractor shall have available at all times on the Project site.

00700-3 DEFINITIONS

The following terms as used in this agreement are defined as follows to the extent the definitions herein differ or conflict with those in the Instructions for Bidders, Section 00100, the definitions herein shall control.

Alternate bids – the amount stated in the bid or proposal to be added to or deducted from the amount of the base bid or base proposal if the corresponding change in project scope or alternate materials or methods of construction is accepted.

Base bid – the amount of money stated in the bid or proposal as the sum for which the bidder or proposer offers to perform the work.

Change Order - an alteration, addition, or deduction from the original scope of work as defined by the contract documents to address changes or unforeseen conditions necessary for project completion. A written order to the Contractor issued by the County pursuant to Fulton County Code Section 102-420 for changes in the work within the general scope of the contract documents, adjustment of the contract price, extension of the contract time, or reservation of determination of a time extension.

FC Project Manager - shall mean the individual designated in writing, by the DREAM Department as the FC Project Manager.

Contractor - shall mean the party of the second part to the Contract Agreement or the authorized and legal representative of such party.

Contract Documents- include the Contract Agreement, Contractor's Bid (including all documentation accompanying the Bid and any post-Bid documentation required by the County prior to the Notice of Award), Bonds, all Special Conditions, General Conditions, Supplementary Conditions, Specifications, Drawings and addenda, together with written amendments, change orders, field orders and the FC Project Manager 's written interpretations and clarifications issued in accordance with the General Conditions on or after the date of the Contract Agreement.

Shop drawing submittals reviewed in accordance with the General Conditions, geotechnical investigations and soils report and drawings of physical conditions in or relating to existing surface structures at or contiguous to the site are not Contract Documents.

Contract Price - The sum specified in the Agreement to be paid to the Contractor in consideration of the Work.

Contract Time - shall mean the number of consecutive calendar days as provided in the Contract Agreement for completion of the Work, to be computed from the date of Notice to Proceed.

Owner or County - shall mean Fulton County Government, party of the first part to the Contract Agreement, or its authorized and legal representatives.

Day - A calendar day of twenty-four hours lasting from midnight of one day to midnight the next day.

Director - Director of the Department of Real Estate and Asset Management of Fulton County, Georgia or the designee thereof.

Final Completion - shall mean the completion of all work as required in accordance with the terms and conditions of the contract documents.

Liquidated Damages - shall mean the amount, stated in the Contract Agreement, which the Contractor agrees to pay to the Owner for each consecutive calendar day beyond the Contract time required to complete the Project or for failing to comply with associated milestones. Liquidated Damages will end upon written notification from the Owner of Final Acceptance of the Project or upon written notification of from the Owner of completion of the milestone.

Notice to Proceed - A written communication issued by the County to the Contractor authorizing it to proceed with the work, establishing the date of commencement and completion of the work, and providing other direction to the Contractor.

Products - shall mean materials or equipment permanently incorporated into the work.

Project Manual - The Contract Documents.

Provide - shall mean to furnish and install.

Substantial Completion - The date certified by the FC Project Manager when all or a part of the work, as established pursuant to General Condition 0700-81, is sufficiently completed in accordance with the requirements of the contract documents so that the identified portion of the work can be utilized for the purposes for which it is intended.

Work or Project - All of the services specified, indicated, shown or contemplated by the contract documents, and furnishing by the Contractor of all materials, equipment, labor, methods, processes, construction and manufacturing materials and equipment, tools, plans, supplies, power, water, transportation and other things necessary to complete such services in accordance with the contract documents to insure a functional and complete facility.

00700-4 CODES

All codes, specifications, and standards referenced in the contract documents shall be the latest editions, amendments and revisions of such referenced standards in effect as of the date of the request for proposals for this contract.

00700-5 REVIEW OF CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

Before making its proposal to the County, and continuously after the execution of the agreement, the Contractor shall carefully study and compare the contract documents and shall at once report to the FC Project Manager any error, ambiguity, inconsistency or omission that may be discovered, including any requirement which may be contrary to any law, ordinance, rule, or regulation of any public authority bearing on the performance of the work. By submitting its proposal, the Contractor agrees that the contract

documents, along with any supplementary written instructions issued by or through the FC Project Manager that have become a part of the contract documents, appear accurate, consistent and complete insofar as can be reasonably determined. If the Contractor has timely reported in writing any error, inconsistency, or omission to the FC Project Manager, has properly stopped the affected work until instructed to proceed, and has otherwise followed the instructions of the FC Project Manager, the Contractor shall not be liable to the County for any damage resulting from any such error, inconsistency, or omission in the contract documents. The Contractor shall not perform any portion of the work without the contract documents, approved plans, specifications, products and data, or samples for such portion of the work. For purposes of this section "timely" is defined as the time period in which the contractor discovers, or should have discovered, the error, inconsistency, or omission, with the exercise of reasonable diligence.

00700-6 STRICT COMPLIANCE

No observation, inspection, test or approval of the County or FC Project Manager shall relieve the Contractor from its obligation to perform the work in strict conformity with the contract documents except as provided in General Condition 00700-48.

00700-7 APPLICABLE LAW

All applicable State laws, County ordinances, codes, and rules and regulations of all authorities having jurisdiction over the construction of the project shall apply to this agreement. The Contractor shall comply with the requirements of any Fulton County program concerning non-discrimination in contracting. All work performed within the right of way of the Georgia Department of Transportation and any railroad crossing shall be in accordance with Georgia Department of Transportation regulations, policies and procedures and, where applicable, those of any affected railroad. The Contractor shall comply with all laws, ordinances, codes, rules and regulations bearing on the conduct of the work as specified and the Contractor agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the County, its officers, agents and employees, as well as the FC Project Manager and the Program Manager against any claim or liability arising from or based on the violation of any law, ordinance, regulation, order or decree affecting the conduct of the work, whether occasioned by the Contractor, his agents or employees.

00700-8 PERMITS, LICENSES AND BONDS

All permits and licenses necessary for the work shall be secured and paid for by the Contractor. If any permit, license or certificate expires or is revoked, terminated, or suspended as a result of any action on the part of the Contractor, the Contractor shall not be entitled to additional compensation or time. The Contractor shall obtain and keep in force at all times performance and payment bonds payable to Fulton County in penal amounts equal to 100% of the Contract price.

00700-9 TAXES

- A. The Contractor shall pay all sales, retail, occupational, service, excise, old age benefit and unemployment compensation taxes, consumer, use and other similar taxes, as well as any other taxes or duties on the materials, equipment, and labor for the work provided by the Contractor which are legally enacted by any municipal, county, state or federal authority, department or agency at the time bids are received, whether or not yet effective. The Contractor shall maintain records pertaining to such taxes and levies as well as payment thereof and shall make the same available to the County at all reasonable times for inspection and copying. The Contractor shall apply for any and all tax exemptions which may be

applicable and shall timely request from the County such documents and information as may be necessary to obtain such tax exemptions. The County shall have no liability to the Contractor for payment of any tax from which it is exempt.

- B. The Contractor is obligated to comply with all local and State Sales and Use Tax laws. The Contractor shall provide the Owner with documentation to assist the Owner in obtaining sales and/or use tax refunds for eligible machinery and equipment used for the primary purpose of reducing or eliminating air or water pollution as provided for in Chapter 48-8-3 (36) and (37) of the Official Code of Georgia. All taxes shall be paid by the Contractor. All refunds will accrue to the Owner.

Acceptance of the project as complete and final payment will not be made by the Owner until the Contractor has fully complied with this requirement.

00700-10 DELINQUENT CONTRACTORS

The County shall not pay any claim, debt, demand or account whatsoever to any person firm or corporation who is in arrears to the County for taxes. The County shall be entitled to a counterclaim, back charge, and offset for any such debt in the amount of taxes in arrears, and no assignment or transfer of such debt after the taxes become due shall affect the right of the County to offset any taxes owed against said debt.

00700-11 LIEN WAIVERS

The Contractor shall furnish the County with evidence that all persons who have performed work or furnished materials pursuant to this agreement have been paid in full prior to submitting its demand for final payment pursuant to this agreement. A final affidavit, Exhibit A, must be completed, and submitted to comply with requirements of 00700-11. In the event that such evidence is not furnished, the County may retain sufficient sums necessary to meet all lawful claims of such laborers and materialmen. The County assumes no obligation nor in any way undertakes to pay such lawful claims from any funds due or that may become due to the Contractor.

00700-12 MEASUREMENT

All items of work to be paid for per unit of measurement shall be subject to inspection, measurement, and confirmation by the FC Project Manager.

00700-13 ASSIGNMENT

The Contractor shall not assign any portion of this agreement or moneys due there from (include factoring of receivables) without the prior written consent of the County. The Contractor shall retain personal control and shall provide personal attention to the fulfillment of its obligations pursuant to this agreement. Any assignment without the express written consent of the County shall render this contract voidable at the sole option of the County.

00700-14 FOREIGN CONTRACTORS

In the event that the Contractor is a foreign corporation, partnership, or sole proprietorship, the Contractor hereby irrevocably appoints the Secretary of State of Georgia as its agent for service of all legal process for the purpose of this contract only.

00700-15 INDEMNIFICATION

The Contractor hereby assumes the entire responsibility and liability for any and all injury to or death of any and all persons, including the Contractor's agents, servants, and employees, and in addition thereto, for any and all damages to property caused by or resulting from or arising out of any act or omission in connection with this contract or the prosecution of work hereunder, whether caused by the Contractor or the Contractor's agents, Servants, or employees, or by any of the Contractor's subcontractors or suppliers, and the Contractor shall indemnify and hold harmless the County, the FC Project Manager, County's Commissioners, officers, employees, successors, assigns and agents, or any of their subcontractors from and against any and all loss and/or expense which they or any of them may suffer or pay as a result of claims or suits due to, because of, or arising out of any and all such injuries, deaths and/or damage, irrespective of County or FC Project Manager negligence (except that no party shall be indemnified for their own sole negligence). The Contractor, if requested, shall assume and defend at the Contractor's own expense, any suit, action or other legal proceedings arising there from, and the Contractor hereby agrees to satisfy, pay, and cause to be discharged of record any judgment which may be rendered against the County and the FC Project Manager arising there from.

In the event of any such loss, expense, damage, or injury, or if any claim or demand for damages as heretofore set forth is made against the County or the FC Project Manager , the County may withhold from any payment due or thereafter to become due to the Contractor under the terms of this Contract, an amount sufficient in its judgment to protect and indemnify it and the FC Project Manager , County's Commissioners, officers, employees, successors, assigns and agents from any and all claims, expense, loss, damages, or injury; and the County, in its discretion, may require the Contractor to furnish a surety bond satisfactory to the County providing for such protection and indemnity, which bond shall be furnished by the Contractor within five (5) days after written demand has been made therefore. The expense of said Bond shall be borne by the Contractor.

00700-16 SUPERVISION OF WORK AND COORDINATION WITH OTHERS

The Contractor shall supervise and direct the work using the Contractor's best skill and attention. The Contractor shall be solely responsible for all construction methods and procedures and shall coordinate all portions of the work pursuant to the contract subject to the overall coordination of the FC Project Manager. All work pursuant to this agreement shall be performed in a skillful and workmanlike manner.

The County reserves the right to perform work related to the Project with the County's own forces and to award separate contracts in connection with other portions of the project, other work on the site under these or similar conditions of the contract, or work which has been extracted from the Contractor's work by the County.

When separate contracts are awarded for different portions of the project or other work on the site, the term "separate contractor" in the Contract Documents in each case shall mean the contractor who executes each separate County Agreement.

The Contractor shall cooperate with the County and separate contractors in arranging the introduction and storage of materials and equipment and execution of their work and shall cooperate in coordinating connection of its work with theirs as required by the Contract Documents.

If any part of the Contractor's Work depends for proper execution or results upon the work of the County or any separate contractor, the Contractor shall, prior to proceeding with that portion of the Work, promptly report to the FC Project Manager any apparent discrepancies or defects in such other work that render it unsuitable for such proper execution and results **within fourteen (14) days** of discovery of such discrepancy or defect. Failure of the Contractor to so report in writing shall constitute an acceptance of the County's or separate contractor's work as fit and proper to receive the Work, except as to any defects which may subsequently become apparent in such work by others.

Any costs caused by defective or untimely work shall be borne by the party responsible, therefore.

Should the Contractor wrongfully cause damage to the work or property of the County or to other work or property on the site, including the work of separate contractors, the Contractor shall promptly remedy such damage at the Contractor's expense.

Should the Contractor be caused damage by any other contractor on the Project, by reason of such other contractor's failure to perform properly his contract with the County, no action shall lie against the County or the FC Project Manager inasmuch as the parties to this agreement are the only beneficiaries hereof and there are no third party beneficiaries and neither the County nor the FC Project Manager shall have liabilities therefore, but the Contractor may assert his claim for damages solely against such other contractor. The Contractor shall not be excused from performance of the contract by reason of any dispute as to damages with any other contractor or third party.

Where the Work of this Contract shall be performed concurrently in the same areas as other construction work, the Contractor shall coordinate with the FC Project Manager and the separate contractors in establishing mutually acceptable schedules and procedures that shall permit all jobs to proceed with minimum interference.

If a dispute arises between the Contractor and separate contractors as to their responsibility for cleaning up, the County may clean up and charge the cost thereof to the Contractor or contractors responsible therefore as the County shall determine to be just.

00700-17 ADMINISTRATION OF CONTRACT

The Program Manager and the FC Project Manager shall provide administration services as hereinafter described.

For the administration of this Contract, the FC Project Manager shall serve as the County's primary representative during design and construction and until final payment to the Contractor is due. The FC Project Manager shall advise and consult with the County and the Program Manager. The primary point of contact for the Contractor shall be the FC Project Manager. All correspondence from the Contractor to the County shall be forwarded through the FC Project Manager. Likewise, all correspondence and instructions to the Contractor shall be forwarded through the FC Project Manager.

The FC Project Manager will determine in general that the construction is being performed in accordance with design and engineering requirements and will endeavor to guard the County against defects and deficiencies in the Work.

The FC Project Manager will not be responsible for or have control or charge of construction means, methods, techniques, sequences, or procedures, or for safety precautions and programs in connection with the Work, nor will it be responsible for the Contractor's failure to carry out the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents.

The FC Project Manager will not be responsible for or have control or charge over the acts or omissions of the Contractor, its engineers, consultants, subcontractors, or any of their agents or employees, or any other persons performing the Work.

Based on the FC Project Manager's observations regarding the Contractor's Applications for Payment, the FC Project Manager shall determine the amounts owing to the Contractor, in accordance with the payment terms of the Contract, and shall issue Certificates for Payment in such amount to the County.

The FC Project Manager shall render interpretations necessary for the proper execution or progress of the Work. Either party to the Contract may make written requests to the FC Project Manager for such interpretations.

Claims, disputes and other matters in question between the Contractor and the County relating to the progress of the Work or the interpretation of the Contract Documents shall be referred to the FC Project Manager for interpretation.

All interpretations of the FC Project Manager shall be consistent with the intent of and reasonably inferable from the Contract Documents and shall be in writing or in graphic form.

Except as otherwise provided in this Contract, the FC Project Manager shall issue a decision on any disagreement concerning a question of fact arising under this Contract. The FC Project Manager shall reduce the decision to writing and mail or otherwise furnish a copy thereof to the Contractor. The decision of the FC Project Manager shall be final and conclusive unless, within thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of such copy, the Contractor files a written appeal with the Director of Public Works and mails or otherwise furnishes the FC Project Manager a copy of such appeal. The decision of the Director of Public Works or the Director's duly authorized representative for the determination of such appeals shall be final and conclusive. Such final decision shall not be pleaded in any suit involving a question of fact arising under this Contract, provided such is not fraudulent, capricious, arbitrary, so grossly erroneous as necessarily implying bad faith, or is not supported by substantial evidence. In connection with any appeal proceeding under this Article, the Contractor shall be afforded an opportunity to be heard and to offer evidence in support of Contractor's appeal. Pending any final decision of a dispute hereunder, the Contractor shall proceed diligently with the performance of the Contract as directed by the FC Project Manager.

The FC Project Manager shall have authority to reject Work which does not conform to the Contract Documents. Whenever, in the FC Project Manager's opinion, it is considered necessary or advisable for the implementation of the intent of the Contract Documents, the County shall have authority to require special inspection or testing of the Work whether or not such Work be then fabricated, installed or completed. The Contractor shall pay for such special inspection or testing if the Work so inspected or tested is found not to comply with the requirements of the contract; the County shall pay for special inspection and testing if the Work is found to comply with the contract. Neither the FC Project Manager's authority to act under this Subparagraph, nor any decision made by the FC Project Manager in good faith either to exercise or not to exercise such authority, shall give rise to any duty or responsibility of the FC Project Manager to the Contractor, any subcontractor, any of their agents or employees, or any other person performing any of the Work.

The Contractor shall provide such shop drawings, product data, and samples as may be required by the FC Project Manager and/or as required by these Contract Documents.

The FC Project Manager shall conduct inspections to determine Substantial Completion and Final Completion and shall receive and forward to the County for review written warranties and related documents required by the Contract Documents and assembled by the Contractor. The FC Project Manager shall approve and issue Certificates for Payment upon compliance with Substantial and Final Completion requirements indicated in General Conditions 00700-81, 00700-82, 00700-84 and 00700-85 of this Agreement.

Except as provided in General Condition 00700-48, the Contractor shall not be relieved from the Contractor's obligations to perform the work in accordance with the contract documents by the activities or duties of the County or any of its officers, employees, or agents, including inspections, tests or approvals, required or performed pursuant to this agreement.

00700-18 RESPONSIBILITY FOR ACTS OF EMPLOYEES

The Contractor shall employ only competent and skilled personnel. The Contractor shall, upon demand from the FC Project Manager, immediately remove any superintendent, foreman or workman whom the FC Project Manager may consider incompetent or undesirable.

The Contractor shall be responsible to the County for the acts and omissions of the Contractor's employees, subcontractors, and agents as well as any other persons performing work pursuant to this agreement for the Contractor.

00700-19 LABOR, MATERIALS, SUPPLIES, AND EQUIPMENT

Unless otherwise provided in this agreement, the Contractor shall make all arrangements with necessary support agencies and utility companies provide and pay for all labor, materials, equipment, tools, construction equipment and machinery, water, heat, utilities, transportation, and other facilities and services necessary for the execution and completion of the work.

00700-20 DISCIPLINE ON WORK SITE

The Contractor shall enforce strict discipline and good order among its employees and subcontractors at all times during the performance of the work, to include compliance with the Fulton County Drug Free Work Place Policy. The Contractor shall not employ any subcontractor who is not skilled in the task assigned to it. The FC Project Manager *may*, by written notice, require the Contractor to remove from the work any subcontractor or employee deemed by the FC Project Manager to be incompetent.

00700-21 HOURS OF OPERATION

All work at the construction site shall be performed during regular business hours of the Fulton County government, except upon the FC Project Manager's prior written consent to other work hours. It is further understood that the Contractor's construction schedule is based on a normal 40 hours, five-day work week, less Fulton County-recognized holidays. Contractors work schedule shall not violate Fulton County Noise Ordinance by working hours inconsistent with the Fulton County Noise Ordinance. The County's current noise ordinance or other applicable ordinance shall govern. If the Contractor desires to work in excess of this limit, the Contractor shall submit a written request to the FC Project Manager, a minimum of five days prior to the desired work date. The Contractor shall be responsible for any additional expenses incurred by the Owner as a result of the extended work hours, including resident inspection overtime. The cost associated with resident inspector overtime shall be deducted from the Contractor monthly payment request.

00700-22 FAMILIARITY WITH WORK CONDITIONS

The Contractor shall take all steps necessary to ascertain the nature and location of the work and the general and local conditions which may affect the work or the cost thereof. The Contractor's failure to fully acquaint itself with the conditions which may affect the work, including, but not limited to conditions relating to transportation, handling, storage of materials, availability of utilities, labor, water, roads, weather, topographic and subsurface conditions, other separate contracts to be entered into by the County relating to the project which may affect the work of the Contractor, applicable provisions of law, and the character and availability of equipment and facilities necessary prior to and during the performance of the work shall not relieve the Contractor of its responsibilities pursuant to this agreement and shall not constitute a basis for an equitable adjustment of the contract terms. The County reserves the right to perform with its own forces or to contract with other entities for other portions of the project work, in which case the Contractor's responsibility to assure its familiarity with work conditions hereunder shall include all coordination with such other contractors and the County necessary to insure that there is no interference between contractors as will delay or hinder any contractor in its prosecution of work on the project. The County assumes no responsibility for any understandings or representations concerning conditions of the work made by any of its officers, agents, or employees prior to the execution of this agreement.

00700-23 RIGHT OF ENTRY

The County reserves the right to enter the site of the work by such agent, including the FC Project Manager, as it may elect for the purpose of inspecting the work or installing such collateral work as the County may desire. The Contractor shall provide safe facilities for such access so that the County and its agents may perform their functions.

00700-24 NOTICES

Any notice, order, instruction, claim or other written communication required pursuant to this agreement shall be deemed to have been delivered or received as follows:

Upon personal delivery to the Contractor, its authorized representative, or the FC Project Manager on behalf of the County. Personal delivery may be accomplished by in-person hand delivery or bona fide overnight express service.

Three days after depositing in the United States mail a certified letter addressed to the Contractor or the FC Project Manager for the County. For purposes of mailed notices, the County's mailing address shall be 141 Pryor Street, 6th Floor, Atlanta, Georgia 30303, or as the County shall have otherwise notified the Contractor. The Contractor's mailing address shall be the address stated in its proposal or as it shall have most recently notified the FC Project Manager in writing.

00700-25 SAFETY

A. SAFETY, HEALTH AND LOSS PREVENTION

The Contractor shall be responsible for implementing a comprehensive project-specific safety, health and loss prevention program and employee substance abuse program for this project. All Sub-Contractors must either implement their own program or follow the Contractor's safety, health and loss prevention program and employee substance abuse program.

The Contractor's safety, health and loss prevention program and employee substance abuse program must meet or exceed all governmental regulations

(OSHA, EPA, DOT, State, local), and any other specific Fulton County requirements

B. COUNTY'S SAFETY, HEALTH, AND LOSS PREVENTION PROCESS GUIDELINES AND REQUIREMENTS

The County and its agents reserve the right, but assume no duty, to establish and enforce safety, health, and loss prevention guidelines and to make the appropriate changes in the guidelines, for the protection of persons and property and to review the efficiency of all protective measures taken by the Contractor. The Contractor shall comply with all safety, health, and loss prevention process guidelines and requirements and changes made by the County or its agent(s). The issuance of any such guidelines or changes by the County or its agent(s) shall not relieve the Contractor of its duties and responsibilities under this Agreement, and the County or its agent(s) shall not thereby assume, nor be deemed to have assumed, any such duties or responsibilities of the Contractor.

C. COMPLIANCE OF WORK, EQUIPMENT, AND PROCEDURES WITH ALL APPLICABLE LAWS and REGULATIONS

All Work, whether performed by the Contractor or its Sub-Contractors of any tier, or anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them, and all equipment, appliances, machinery, materials, tools and like items incorporated or used in the Work, shall be in compliance with and conform to:

1. All applicable laws, ordinances, rules, regulations and orders of any public, quasi-public or other governmental authority relating to the safety of persons and their protection against injury, specifically including, but in no event limited to, the Federal Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970, as amended, and all rules and regulations now or hereafter in effect pursuant to said Act.
2. All rules, regulations, and requirements of the County or its agent(s) and its insurance carriers relating there to. In the event of a conflict or differing requirements the more stringent shall govern.

D. PROTECTION OF THE WORK

1. The Contractor shall, throughout the performance of the Work, maintain adequate and continuous protection of all Work and temporary facilities against loss or damage from whatever cause, shall protect the property of the County and third parties from loss or damage from whatever cause arising out of the performance of the Work, and shall comply with the requirements of the County or its agent(s) and its insurance carriers, and with all applicable laws, codes, rules and regulations, (as same may be amended) with respect to the prevention of loss or damage to property as a result of fire or other hazards.
2. The County or its agent(s) may, but shall not be required to, make periodic inspections of the Project work area. In such event, however, the Contractor shall not be relieved of its aforesaid responsibilities and the County or its agent(s) shall not assume, nor shall it be deemed to have assumed, any responsibility otherwise imposed upon the assurance of Contractor by this Agreement.

E. SAFETY EQUIPMENT

1. The Contractor shall provide to each worker on the Project work area the proper safety equipment for the duties being performed by that worker and will not permit any worker on the Project work area who fails or refuses to use the same. The County or its agent shall have the right, but not the obligation, to order the removal of a worker from the Project work site for his/her failure to comply with safe practices or substance abuse policies.

F. EMERGENCIES

1. In any emergency affecting the safety of persons or property, or in the event of a claimed violation of any federal or state safety or health law or regulation, arising out of or in any way connected with the Work or its performance, the Contractor shall act immediately to prevent threatened damage, injury or loss and to remedy said violation. Failing such action, the County or its agent(s) may immediately take whatever steps it deems necessary including, but not limited to, suspending the Work as provided in this Agreement.
2. The County or its agent(s) may offset any and all costs or expenses of whatever nature, including attorneys' fees, paid or incurred by the County or its agent(s) (whether such fees are for in-house counsel or counsel retained by the County or its agent), in taking the steps authorized by Section 00700-25(G) (1) above against any sums then or thereafter due to the Contractor. The Contractor shall defend, indemnify and hold the County, its officers, agents, and employees harmless against any and all costs or expenses caused by or arising from the exercise by the County of its authority to act in an emergency as set out herein. If the Contractor shall be entitled to any additional compensation or extension of time change order on account of emergency work not due to the fault or neglect of the Contractor or its Sub-Contractors, such additional compensation or extension of time shall be determined in accordance with General Condition 00700-52 and General Condition 00700-87 of this Agreement.

G. SUSPENSION OF THE WORK

1. Should, in the judgment of the County or its agent(s), the Contractor or any Sub-Contractor fail to provide a safe and healthy work place, the County or its agent shall have the right, but not the obligation, to suspend work in the unsafe areas until deficiencies are corrected. All costs of any nature (including, without limitation, overtime pay, liquidated damages or other costs arising out of delays) resulting from the suspension, by whomsoever incurred, shall be borne by the Contractor.
2. Should the Contractor or any Sub-Contractor fail to provide a safe and healthy work place after being formally notified in writing by the County or its agents of such non-compliance, the contract may be terminated following the termination provision of the contract.

H. **CONTRACTOR'S INDEMNITY OF THE COUNTY FOR CONTRACTOR'S NON-COMPLIANCE WITH SAFETY PROGRAM**

1. The Contractor recognizes that it has sole responsibility to assure its Safety Program is implemented and to assure its construction services are safely provided. The Contractor shall indemnify, defend and hold the County and its agents harmless, from and against any and all liability (whether public or private), penalties (contractual or otherwise), losses, damages, costs, attorneys' fees, expenses, causes of action, claims or judgments resulting, either in whole or in part, from any failure of the Contractor, its Sub-Contractors of any tier or anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them or for whose acts any of them may be liable, to comply with the safety requirements of the contract. The Contractor shall not be relieved of its responsibilities under the safety requirements of the Contract should the County or its agent(s) act or fail to act pursuant to its rights hereunder.
2. The Contractor shall not raise as a defense to its obligation to indemnify under this Subparagraph I any failure of those indemnified hereunder to assure Contractor operates safely, it being understood and agreed that no such failure shall relieve the Contractor from its obligation to assure safe operations or from its obligation to so indemnify. The Contractor also hereby waives any rights it may have to seek contribution, either directly or indirectly, from those indemnified hereunder.
3. In any and all claims against those indemnified hereunder by any employee of the Contractor, any Sub-Contractor of any tier or anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them or anyone for whose acts any of them may be liable, the indemnification obligation under this Subparagraph I shall not be limited in any way as to the amount or type of damages, compensation or benefits payable by or for the Contractor or any Sub-Contractor of any tier under any workers' compensation act, disability benefit or other employee benefit acts.

00700-26 BLASTING AND EXCAVATION

The Contractor acknowledges that it is fully aware of the contents and requirements of O.C.G.A. § 25-9-1 through 25-9-12 concerning blasting and excavation near underground gas pipes and facilities and shall fully comply therewith.

00700-27 HIGH VOLTAGE LINES

The Contractor acknowledges that it is fully aware of the contents and requirements O.C.G.A. § 46-3-30 through 46-3-39 concerning safeguards against contact with high voltage lines, and the Contractor shall fully comply with said provisions.

00700-28 SCAFFOLDING AND STAGING

The Contractor acknowledges that it is the person responsible for employing and directing others to perform labor within the meaning of O.C.G.A. § 34-1-1 and agrees to comply with said provisions.

00700-29 CLEAN-UP

The Contractor shall clean up all refuse, rubbish, scrap materials, and debris caused by its operations to the end that the site of the work shall present a neat, orderly and workmanlike appearance at all times.

00700-30 PROTECTION OF WORK

The Contractor shall be responsible for maintenance and protection of the work, which shall include any County-furnished supplies, material, equipment, until final completion of this agreement and acceptance of the work as defined herein. Any portion of the work suffering injury, damage or loss shall be considered defective and shall be corrected or replaced by the Contractor without additional cost to the County.

00700-31 REJECTED WORK

The Contractor shall promptly remove from the project all work rejected by the FC Project Manager for failure to comply with the contract documents and the Contractor shall promptly replace and re-execute the work in accordance with the contract documents and without expense to the County. The Contractor shall also bear the expense of making good all work of other Contractors destroyed or damaged by such removal or replacement.

00700-32 DEFECTIVE WORK

If the Contractor defaults or neglects to carry out any portion of the work in accordance with the contract documents, and fails within three days after receipt of written notice from the FC Project Manager to commence and continue correction of such default or neglect with diligence and promptness, the County may, after three days following receipt by the Contractor of an additional written notice and without prejudice to any other remedy the County may have, make good such deficiencies and complete all or any portion of any work through such means as the County may select, including the use of a separate Contractor. In such case, an appropriate change order shall be issued deducting from the payments then or thereafter due the Contractor the cost of correcting such deficiencies. In the event the payments then or thereafter due the Contractor are not sufficient to cover such amount; the Contractor shall pay the difference to the County on demand.

The County may, at its option, accept defective or nonconforming work instead of requiring its removal or correction. In such case, a change order shall be issued reducing the price due the contractor to the extent appropriate and equitable. Such contract price adjustment shall be affected whether or not final payment has been made.

00700-33 WARRANTY OF NEW MATERIALS

The Contractor warrants to the County that all materials and equipment furnished under this contract will be new unless otherwise specified, and the Contractor further warrants that all work will be of good quality, free from faults and defects, and in conformance with the contract documents. The warranty set forth in this paragraph shall survive final acceptance of the work.

00700-34 CONTRACTOR'S WARRANTY OF THE WORK

If within one year after the date of issuance of the certificate of final payment pursuant to General Condition 84, or within such longer period of time as may be prescribed by law or by the term of any applicable special warranty required by the contract documents, any of the work is found to be defective or not in accordance with the contract documents, the Contractor shall correct such work promptly after receipt of written notice from the FC Project Manager to do so. This obligation shall survive both final payment for the work and termination of the contract.

00700-35 ASSIGNMENT OF MANUFACTURERS' WARRANTIES

Without limiting the responsibility or liability of the Contractor pursuant to this agreement, all warranties given by manufacturers on materials or equipment incorporated in the work are hereby assigned by the Contractor to the County. If requested, the Contractor shall execute formal assignments of said manufacturer's warranties to the County. All such warranties shall be directly enforceable by the County.

00700-36 WARRANTIES IMPLIED BY LAW

The warranties contained in this agreement, as well as those warranties implied by law, shall be deemed cumulative and shall not be deemed alternative or exclusive. No one or more of the warranties contained herein shall be deemed to alter or limit any other.

00700-37 STOP WORK ORDERS

In the event that the Contractor fails to correct defective work as required by the contract documents or fails to carry out the work in accordance with contract documents, the FC Project Manager, in writing, may order the Contractor to stop work until the cause for such order has been eliminated. This right of the County to stop work shall not give rise to any duty on the part of the County or the FC Project Manager to execute this right for the benefit of the Contractor or for any other person or entity.

00700-38 TERMINATION FOR CAUSE

If the Contractor is adjudged bankrupt, makes a general assignment for the benefit of creditors, suffers the appointment of a receiver on account of its insolvency, fails to supply sufficient properly skilled workers or materials, fails to make prompt payment to subcontractors or materialmen, disregards laws, ordinances, rules, regulations, or orders of any public authority having jurisdiction, fails to diligently prosecute the work, or is otherwise guilty of a material violation of this agreement and fails within seven days after receipt of written notice to commence and continue correction of such default, neglect, or violation with diligence and promptness, the County may, after seven days following receipt by the Contractor of an additional written notice and without prejudice to any other remedy the County may have, terminate the employment of the Contractor and take possession of the site as well as all materials, equipment, tools, construction equipment and machinery thereon. The County may finish the work by whatever methods the County deems expedient. In such case, the Contractor shall not be entitled to receive any further payment until the work is completed.

Upon completion of the work, the County shall determine in its sole discretion whether the Contractor is due any compensation for those services the Contractor performed prior to the termination to the satisfaction of the County ("Unpaid Satisfactory Work"), and shall compensate Contractor for the same. The County shall further determine in its sole discretion whether the County's completion of the work was made more costly as a result of failures, acts, or omissions of the Contractor, and if so, shall deduct such amounts ("Overages") from any amounts that may be due to the Contractor. In the event that the Overages exceed the Unpaid Satisfactory Work, the Contractor shall immediately pay the difference to the County on demand. These obligations for payment shall survive the termination of the contract. Termination of this agreement pursuant to this paragraph may result in disqualification of the Contractor from bidding on future County contracts.

00700-39 TERMINATION FOR CONVENIENCE

The County may, at any time upon written notice to the Contractor, terminate the whole or any portion of the work for the convenience of the County. The effective date of the termination shall be provided in the written notice. Said termination shall be without prejudice to any right or remedy of the County provided herein. In addition, in the event this agreement has been terminated by the County through the Termination for Cause provisions due to a claim of default by the Contractor, and it is later determined that the Contractor was not in default pursuant to the provisions of this agreement at the time of termination, then such termination shall be considered a Termination for Convenience pursuant to this paragraph and administered according to the provisions related to Termination for Convenience set out in this Contract.

00700-40 TERMINATION FOR CONVENIENCE - PAYMENT

If the Contract is terminated for convenience by the Owner as provided in this article, Contractor will be paid compensation for those services actually performed as approved by the Owner or his representative. Partially completed tasks will be compensated for based on a signed statement of completion prepared by the Project Manager and submitted to the Contractor which shall itemize each task element and briefly state what work has been completed and what work remains to be done. Contractor shall also be paid for reasonable costs for the orderly filing and closing of the project.

00700-41 TERMINATION FOR CONVENIENCE - PAYMENT LIMITATIONS

Except for normal spoilage, and except to the extent that the County shall have otherwise expressly assumed the risk of loss, there shall be excluded from the amounts payable to the Contractor the fair value, as determined by the FC Project Manager, of property which is destroyed, lost, stolen or damaged so as to become undeliverable to the County or to another buyer.

00700-42 COST TO CURE

If the County terminates for cause the whole or any part of the work pursuant to this agreement, then the County may procure upon such terms and in such manner as the FC Project Manager may deem appropriate, supplies or services similar to those so terminated, for the purpose of completing the work for which the Contractor was contractually engaged, and the Contractor shall be liable to the County for any excess costs for such similar supplies or services. The Contractor shall continue the performance of this agreement to the extent not terminated hereunder.

00700-43 ATTORNEY'S FEES

Should the Contractor default pursuant to any of the provisions of this agreement, the Contractor and its surety shall pay to the County such reasonable attorney's fees as the County may expend as a result thereof and all costs, expenses, and filing fees incidental thereto.

00700-44 CONTRACTOR'S RESPONSIBILITIES UPON TERMINATION

After receipt of a notice of termination from the County, and except as otherwise directed by the FC Project Manager, the Contractor shall:

1. Stop work under the contract on the date and to the extent specified in the notice of termination;

2. Place no further orders or subcontracts for materials, services or facilities, except as may be necessary for completion of such portion of the work under the agreement as is not terminated;
3. Unless otherwise directed by the FC Project Manager, terminate all orders and subcontracts to the extent that they relate to the performance of work terminated by the notice of termination;
4. Assign to the County in the manner, at the times, and to the extent directed by the FC Project Manager, all of the rights, title and interest of the Contractor under the orders and subcontracts so terminated, in which case the County shall have the right, at its discretion, to settle or pay any and all claims arising out of the termination of such orders or subcontracts;
5. Settle all outstanding liabilities and all claims arising out of such termination of orders and subcontracts with the approval or ratification of the FC Project Manager, to the extent the FC Project Manager may require, which approval or ratification shall be final for all purposes;
6. Transfer title and deliver to the entity or entities designated by the FC Project Manager, in the manner, at the times, and to the extent, if any, directed by the FC Project Manager, and to the extent specifically produced or specifically acquired by the Contractor for the performance of such portion of the work as has been terminated:
 - a. The fabricated or un-fabricated parts, work, and progress, partially completed supplies, and equipment, materials, parts, tools, dyes, jigs, and other fixtures, completed work, supplies, and other material produced as a part of or acquired in connection with the performance of the work terminated by the notice of termination; and
 - b. The completed or partially completed plans, drawings, information, and other property to the work.
7. Use its best efforts to sell in the manner, at the times, to the extent, and at the prices directed or authorized by the FC Project Manager, any property described in Section 6 of this paragraph, provided, however, that the Contractor shall not be required to extend credit to any buyer and further provided that the proceeds of any such transfer or disposition shall be applied in reduction of any payments to be made by the County to the Contractor pursuant to this agreement.
8. Complete performance of such part of the work as shall not have been terminated by the notice of termination; and
9. Take such action as may be necessary, or as the FC Project Manager may direct, for the protection and preservation of the property related to the agreement which is in the possession of the Contractor and in which the County has or may acquire an interest.

00700-45 RECORDS

The Contractor shall preserve and make available to the County all of its records, books, documents and other evidence bearing on the costs and expenses of the Contractor and

any subcontractor pursuant to this agreement upon three days advance notice to the Contractor.

00700-46 DEDUCTIONS

In arriving at any amount due the Contractor pursuant to the terms of this agreement, there shall be deducted all liquidated damages, advance payments made to the Contractor applicable to the termination portion of the contract, the amount of any claim which the County may have against the Contractor, the amount determined by the FC Project Manager to be necessary to protect the County against loss due to outstanding potential liens or claims, and the agreed price of any materials acquired or sold by the Contractor and not otherwise recovered by or credited to the County.

00700-47 REIMBURSEMENT OF THE COUNTY

In the event of termination for cause or convenience, the Contractor shall refund to the County any amount paid by the County to the Contractor in excess of the costs properly reimbursable to the Contractor.

00700-48 SUSPENSION, INTERRUPTION, DELAY, DAMAGES

The Contractor shall be entitled to only those damages and that relief from termination by the County as specifically set forth in this agreement. The FC Project Manager may issue a written order requiring the Contractor to suspend, delay or interrupt all or any part of the work for such period of time as the County may determine to be appropriate for the convenience of the County. If the performance of the work is interrupted for an unreasonable period of time by an act of the County or any of its officers, agents, employees, contractors, or consultants in the administration of this agreement, an equitable adjustment shall be made for any increase in the Contractor's costs of performance and any increase in the time required for performance of the work necessarily caused by the unreasonable suspension, delay, or interruption. Any equitable adjustment shall be reduced to writing and shall constitute a modification to this agreement. In no event, however, shall an equitable adjustment be made to the extent that performance of this agreement would have been suspended, delayed or interrupted by any other cause, including the fault or negligence of the Contractor. No claim for an equitable adjustment pursuant to this paragraph shall be permitted before the Contractor shall have notified the FC Project Manager in writing of the act or failure to act involved, and no claim shall be allowed unless asserted in writing to the FC Project Manager within ten days after the termination of such suspension, delay or interruption.

00700-49 COMMENCEMENT AND DURATION OF WORK

The County may issue a Notice to Proceed at any time within 120 days following execution of the contract by the County. The Contractor shall commence work pursuant to this agreement within ten days of mailing or delivery of written notice to proceed. The Contractor shall diligently conduct the work to completion within the time specified therefore in the Agreement. The capacity of the Contractor's construction and manufacturing equipment and plan, sequence and method of operation and forces employed, including management and supervisory personnel, shall be such as to insure completion of the work within the time specified in the Agreement. The Contractor and County hereby agree that the contract time for completion of the work is reasonable taking into consideration the average climatic conditions prevailing in the locality of the work and anticipated work schedules of other contractors whose activities are in conjunction with or may affect the work under this contract.

00700-50 TIME OF THE ESSENCE

All time limits stated in this agreement are of the essence of this contract.

00700-51 IMPACT DAMAGES

Except as specifically provided pursuant to a stop work order or change order, the Contractor shall not be entitled to payment or compensation of any kind from the County for direct or indirect or impact damages including, but not limited to, costs of acceleration arising because of delay, disruption, interference or hindrance from any cause whatsoever whether such delay, disruption, interference or hindrance is reasonable or unreasonable, foreseeable or unforeseeable, or avoidable, provided, however, that this provision shall not preclude the recovery of damages by the Contractor for hindrances or delays due solely to fraud or bad faith on the part of the County, its agents, or employees. The Contractor shall be entitled only to extensions in the time required for performance of the work as specifically provided in the contract.

00700-52 DELAY

The Contractor may be entitled to an extension of the contract time, but not an increase in the contract price or damages, for delays arising from unforeseeable causes beyond the control and without the fault or negligence of the Contractor or its subcontractors for labor strikes, acts of God, acts of the public enemy, acts of the state, federal or local government in its sovereign capacity, by acts of another separate contractor, or by an act or neglect of the County.

00700-53 INCLEMENT WEATHER

The Contractor shall not be entitled to an extension of the contract time due to normal inclement weather. Unless the Contractor can substantiate to the satisfaction of the FC Project Manager that there was greater than normal inclement weather and that such greater than normal inclement weather actually delayed the work, the Contractor shall not be entitled to an extension of time therefore. The following shall be considered the normal inclement weather days for each month listed, and extensions of time shall be granted in increments of not less than one half day only for inclement weather in excess of the days set out.

January	10 days
February	10 days
March	7 days
April	6 days
May	4 days
June	3 days
July	4 days
August	2 days
September	2 days
October	3 days
November	6 days
December	9 days

00700-54 DELAY - NOTICE AND CLAIM

The Contractor shall not receive an extension of time unless a Notice of Delay is filed with the FC Project Manager within ten days of the first instance of such delay, disruption, interference or hindrance and a written Statement of the Claim is filed with the FC Project Manager within 20 days of the first such instance. In the event that the Contractor fails to comply with this provision, it waives any claim which it may have for an extension of time pursuant to this agreement.

00700-55 STATEMENT OF CLAIM - CONTENTS

The Statement of Claim referenced in Article 00700-54 shall include specific information concerning the nature of the delay, the date of commencement of the delay, the construction activities affected by the delay, the person or organization responsible for the delay, the anticipated extent of the delay, and any recommended action to avoid or minimize the delay.

00700-56 WORK BEHIND SCHEDULE, REMEDY BY CONTRACTOR

If the work actually in place falls behind the currently updated and approved schedule, and it becomes apparent from the current schedule that work will not be completed within the contract time, the Contractor agrees that it will, as necessary, or as directed by the FC Project Manager, take action at no additional cost to the County to improve the progress of the work, including increasing manpower, increasing the number of working hours per shift or shifts per working day, increasing the amount of equipment at the site, and any other measure reasonably required to complete the work in a timely fashion.

00700-57 DILIGENCE

The Contractor's failure to substantially comply with the requirements of the preceding paragraph may be grounds for determination by the County that the Contractor is failing to prosecute the work with such diligence as will insure its completion within the time specified. In such event, the County shall have the right to furnish, from its own forces or by contract, such additional labor and materials as may be required to comply with the schedule after 48 hours written notice to the Contractor, and the Contractor shall be liable for such costs incurred by the County.

00700-58 SET-OFFS

Any monies due to the Contractor pursuant to the preceding paragraph of this agreement may be deducted by the County against monies due from the County to the Contractor.

00700-59 REMEDIES CUMULATIVE

The remedies of the County under Articles 00700-56, 00700-57, and 00700-58 are in addition to and without prejudice to all of the rights and remedies of the County at law, in equity, or contained in this agreement.

00700-60 TITLE TO MATERIALS

No materials or supplies shall be purchased by the Contractor or by any Subcontractor subject to any chattel mortgage or under a conditional sales contract or other agreement by which any interest is retained by the seller. The Contractor hereby warrants that it has good and marketable title to all materials and supplies used by it in the work, and

the Contractor further warrants that all materials and supplies shall be free from all liens, claims, or encumbrances at the time of incorporation in the work.

00700-61 INSPECTION OF MATERIALS

All materials and equipment used in the construction of the project shall be subject to adequate inspection and testing in accordance with accepted standards and in accordance with the requirements of the contract documents. Additional tests performed after the rejection of materials or equipment shall be at the Contractor's expense.

00700-62 FC PROJECT MANAGER 'S PRESENCE DURING TESTING

All tests performed by the Contractor shall be witnessed by the FC Project Manager unless the requirement therefore is waived in writing. The FC Project Manager may perform additional tests on materials previously tested by the Contractor, and the Contractor shall furnish samples for this purpose as requested.

00700-63 MATERIALS INCORPORATED IN WORK

The Contractor shall furnish all materials and equipment to be incorporated in the work. All such materials or equipment shall be new and of the highest quality available. Manufactured materials and equipment shall be obtained from sources which are currently manufacturing such materials, except as otherwise specifically approved by the FC Project Manager .

00700-64 STORAGE OF MATERIALS

Materials and equipment to be incorporated in the work shall be stored in such a manner as to preserve their quality and fitness for the work and to facilitate inspection.

00700-65 PAYROLL REPORTS

The Contractor may be required to furnish payroll reports to the FC Project Manager as required by the Owner Controlled Insurance Program.

00700-66 CONTRACTORS' REPRESENTATIVE

Before beginning work, the Contractor shall notify the FC Project Manager in writing of one person within its organization who shall have complete authority to supervise the work, receive orders from the FC Project Manager, and represent the Contractor in all matters arising pursuant to this agreement. The Contractor shall not remove its representative without first designating in writing a new representative. The Contractor's representative shall normally be present at or about the site of work while the work is in progress. When neither the Contractor nor its representative is present at the work site, the superintendent, foreman, or other of the Contractor' employee in charge of the work shall be an authorized representative of the Contractor.

00700-67 SPECIALTY SUB-CONTRACTORS

The Contractor may utilize the services of specialty subcontractors on those parts of the project which, under normal contracting practices, are performed by specialty subcontractors. The Contractor shall not award more than seventy-five percent of the work to subcontractors.

00700-68 INSPECTION BY THE FC PROJECT MANAGER

All work pursuant to this agreement shall be subject to inspection by the FC Project Manager for conformity with contract drawings and specifications. The Contractor shall

give the FC Project Manager reasonable advance notice of operations requiring special inspection of a portion of the work.

00700-69 WORK COVERED PRIOR TO FC PROJECT MANAGER 'S INSPECTION

In the event that work is covered or completed without the approval of the FC Project Manager , and such approval is required by the specifications or required in advance by the FC Project Manager , the Contractor shall bear all costs involved in inspection notwithstanding conformance of such portion of the work to the contract drawings and specifications.

00700-70 SCHEDULING OF THE WORK

The work of this contract shall be planned, scheduled, executed, and reported as required by the Contract Documents.

00700-71 PROGRESS ESTIMATES

The Contractor shall prepare a written report for the FC Project Manager's approval, on County forms, of the total value of work performed and materials and equipment obtained to the date of submission. Such a report must accompany each request for a progress payment and is subject to review and approval by the FC Project Manager. Approval of a progress estimate or tendering of a progress payment shall not be considered an approval or acceptance of any work performed, and all estimates and payments shall be subject to correction in subsequent estimates. Progress payments shall be made for all completed activities and for materials suitably stored on-site.

00700-72 PROGRESS PAYMENTS

Upon approval of each monthly estimate of work performed and materials furnished, the FC Project Manager shall approve payment to the Contractor for the estimated value of such work, materials, and equipment, less the amount of all prior payments and any liquidated damages. The Contractor will be paid 100 percent, less retainage, of the cost of materials received and properly stored on-site but not incorporated into the work. Payments for materials or equipment stored on the site shall be conditioned upon submission by the Contractor of bills of sale to establish the County's title to such materials or equipment. The Contractor's request for payment shall provide sufficient detail as to the work completed or materials purchased for which payment is requested to permit meaningful review by the FC Project Manager.

00700-73 TIME OF PAYMENT

The Contractor will be paid within 45 days following receipt of an approved Progress Estimate. The Contractor expressly agrees that the payment provisions within this Contract shall supersede the rates of interest, payment periods, and contract and subcontract terms provided for under the Georgia Prompt Pay Act, O.C.G.A. §13-11-1 et seq., and that the rates of interest, payment periods, and contract and subcontract terms provided for under the Prompt Pay Act shall have no application to this Contract. The County shall not be liable for any late payment interest or penalty.

Submittal of Invoices: Invoices shall be submitted as follows:

Via Mail:

Fulton County Government
141 Pryor Street, SW
Suite 7001
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

Attn: Finance Department – Accounts Payable

OR

Via Email:

Email: Accounts.Payable@fultoncountyga.gov

At minimum, original invoices must reference all of the following information:

- 1) Vendor Information
 - a. Vendor Name
 - b. Vendor Address
 - c. Vendor Code
 - d. Vendor Contact Information
 - e. Remittance Address
- 2) Invoice Details
 - a. Invoice Date
 - b. Invoice Number (uniquely numbered, no duplicates)
 - c. Purchase Order Reference Number
 - d. Date(s) of Services Performed
 - e. A written report of the total value of work performed and materials and equipment obtained to the date of submission
- 3) Fulton County Department Information (needed for invoice approval)
 - a. Department Name
 - b. Department Representative Name

00700-74 RETAINAGE

The County shall retain from each progress payment ten percent of the estimated value of the work performed until the progress payments, including retainage, total 50 percent of the contract price. If a contract includes two or more projects or assignments that have been separately priced and have separate budgets, and the performances of such projects or assignments are not related to or dependent upon the performance of any other, the 50 per cent limit shall be based upon the price for each individual project or assignment. Thereafter, no further retainage shall be withheld so long as the Contractor is making satisfactory progress to insure completion of the work within the time specified, therefore. The County may reinstate the ten percent retainage in the event the FC Project Manager determines that the Contractor is not making satisfactory progress to complete the work within the time specified in this agreement or in the event that the FC Project Manager provides a specific cause for such withholding. The County may also withhold retainage upon substantial completion of the work as provided in O.C.G.A. §13-10-81(c). Interest may be paid upon the retainage in accordance with Georgia law.

00700-75 PAYMENT OF SUBCONTRACTORS

The Contractor shall promptly pay each subcontractor upon the receipt of payment from the County. Such payment shall be made from the amount paid to the Contractor pursuant to the subcontractor's work. The Contractor shall also maintain the records of the percentage retained from payments to the Contractor pursuant to such subcontractor's work. The Contractor shall procure agreements from each subcontractor

requiring each subcontractor to pay their subcontractors, agents and employees in a similar manner. The County reserves the right to inquire of any subcontractor, supplier, materialmen, or subconsultant, the status of any indebtedness of the Contractor. The County further reserves the right to require the Contractor to designate on each instrument of payment exceeding \$400.00 to subcontractors, suppliers, materialmen, and subconsultants that such payment is on account of the work under this Contract.

00700-76 COUNTY'S RESPONSIBILITIES TO SUBCONTRACTORS

Neither the County nor the FC Project Manager shall have any obligation to pay any subcontractor except as otherwise required by law.

00700-77 PROGRESS PAYMENTS - ACCEPTANCE OF WORK

Certification of progress payments, as well as the actual payment thereof, shall not constitute the County's acceptance of work performed pursuant to this agreement.

00700-78 PAYMENTS IN TRUST

All sums paid to the Contractor pursuant to this agreement are hereby declared to constitute trust funds in the hands of the contractor to be applied first to the payment of claims of subcontractors, laborers, and suppliers arising out of the work, to claims for utilities furnished and taxes imposed, and to the payment of premiums on surety and other bonds and on insurance for any other application.

00700-79 JOINT PAYMENTS

The County reserves the right to issue any progress payment or final payment by check jointly to the Contractor and any subcontractor or supplier.

00700-80 RIGHT TO WITHHOLD PAYMENT

The FC Project Manager may decline to approve payment and may withhold payment in whole or in part to the extent reasonable and necessary to protect the County against loss due to defective work, probable or actual third party claims, the Contractor's failure to pay subcontractors or materialmen, reasonable evidence that the work will not be completed within the contract time or contract price or damage to the County or any other contractor on the project.

00700-81 CERTIFICATE OF SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION

Upon the Contractor's submission of a request for a certificate of Substantial Completion, the FC Project Manager shall inspect the work and determine whether the work is Substantially Complete. If the work is Substantially Complete, the FC Project Manager shall issue a certificate of Substantial Completion of the work which shall establish the date of Substantial Completion, shall state the responsibilities of the County and the Contractor for security, maintenance, heat, utilities, damage to the work and insurance, and shall fix the time within which the Contractor shall complete the items submitted by the Contractor as requiring correction or further work. The certificate of substantial completion of the work shall be submitted to the County and the Contractor for their written acceptance of the responsibilities assigned to them pursuant to such certificate.

If in the sole opinion of the FC Project Manager, the work is not substantially complete, the FC Project Manager shall notify the Contractor of such, in writing, and outline requirements to be met to achieve Substantial Completion.

00700-82 PAYMENT UPON SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION

Upon Substantial Completion of the work and upon application by the Contractor and approval by the FC Project Manager, the County shall make payment reflecting 100% work completed, less value of work remaining as determined by FC Project Manager and any authorized retainage.

00700-83 COMMENCEMENT OF WARRANTIES

Warranties required by this agreement shall commence on the date of final completion of the project as determined under Article 00700-84 unless otherwise provided in the certificate of Substantial Completion.

00700-84 FINAL PAYMENT - WAIVER OF CLAIMS, DISPUTE OF FINAL PAYMENT

The acceptance of the Substantial Completion payment shall constitute a waiver of all claims by the Contractor except those previously made in writing and identified by the Contractor as unsettled at the time of application for payment at Substantial Completion and except for the retainage sums due at final acceptance. Following the FC Project Manager's issuance of the certificate of Substantial Completion and the Contractor's completion of the work pursuant to this agreement, the Contractor shall forward to the FC Project Manager a written notice that the work is ready for final inspection and acceptance. If after inspection the FC Project Manager certifies that the work is complete and issues written notification of such to the Contractor, the Contractor shall forward to the FC Project Manager a final application for payment. The FC Project Manager shall issue a certificate for payment, which shall approve final payment to the Contractor and shall establish the date of final completion.

In the event the Contractor timely disputes the amount of the final payment, the amount due the Contractor shall be deemed by the Contractor and the County to be an unliquidated sum and no interest shall accrue or be payable on the sum finally determined to be due to the Contractor for any period prior to final determination of such sum, whether such determination be by agreement of the Contractor and the County or by final judgment of the proper court in the event of litigation between the County and the Contractor. The Contractor specifically waives and renounces any and all rights it may have under O.C.G.A. §13-6-13 and agrees that in the event suit is brought by the Contractor against the County for any sum claimed by the Contractor under the Contract or for any extra or additional work, no interest shall be awarded on any sum found to be due from the County to the Contractor in the final judgment entered in such suit. All final judgments shall draw interest at the legal rate, as specified by law.

00700-85 DOCUMENTATION OF COMPLETION OF WORK

Neither the final payment nor the remaining retainage shall become due until the Contractor submits the following documents to the FC Project Manager:

- a. An affidavit that all payrolls, bills for materials and equipment, and other indebtedness connected with the work have been paid other otherwise satisfied;
- b. The surety's consent to final payment; and
- c. Any other data reasonably required by the County or FC Project Manager establishing payment or satisfaction of all such obligations, including releases, waivers of liens, and documents of satisfaction of debts.

In the event that a subcontractor refuses to furnish a release or waiver as required by the County or FC Project Manager, the Contractor may furnish a bond satisfactory to the County to indemnify the County against such loss. In the event that any lien or indebtedness remains unsatisfied after all payments are made, the contractor shall refund to the County all moneys that the County may become compelled to pay in discharging such lien or other indebtedness, including all costs and reasonable attorney's fees.

00700-86 GOVERNING LAW

Each and every provision of this agreement shall be construed in accordance with and governed by Georgia law. The parties acknowledge that this contract is executed in Fulton County, Georgia and that the contract is to be performed in Fulton County, Georgia. Each party hereby consents to the Fulton Superior Court's sole jurisdiction over any dispute which arises as a result of the execution or performance of this agreement, and each party hereby waives any and all objections to venue in the Fulton Superior Court.

00700-87 CHANGES IN THE WORK

A. CHANGE ORDERS

1. A Change Order is a written order to the Contractor signed to show the approval and the authorization of the County, issued after execution of the Contract, authorizing a change in the Work and/or an adjustment in the Contract Sum or the Contract Time. Change Orders shall be written using forms designated by the County with Contractor providing supporting documentation as required by the FC Project Manager. The Contract Sum and the Contract Time may be changed only by approved Change Order pursuant to Fulton County Procedure 800-6. The amount payable by the Change Order is payment in full for all direct and indirect costs incurred and related to the work under said Change Order, including but not limited to delays, imports, acceleration, disruption and extended overhead. A Change Order signed by the Contractor indicates the Contractor's agreement therewith, including the adjustment in either or both of the Contract Sum or the Contract Time.
2. The County, without invalidating the Contract, may order changes in the Work within the general scope of the Contract as defined herein. The time allowed for performance of the work and the contract price to be paid to the Contractor may be adjusted accordingly.
3. The cost or credit to the County resulting from a change in the Work shall be determined in one or more of the following ways:
 - a. By mutual acceptance of a lump sum properly itemized and supported by sufficient substantiating data to permit evaluation;
 - b. By unit prices stated in the Contract Documents or subsequently agreed upon;
 - c. By cost to be determined in a manner agreed upon by the parties and a mutually acceptable fixed or percentage fee; or
 - d. By the method provided in Subparagraph A4 below.

4. If none of the methods set forth in Subparagraphs 3a, 3b, or 3c above is agreed upon, the Contractor, provided a written order signed by the FC Project Manager is received, shall promptly proceed with the Work involved. The cost of such Work shall then be determined by the FC Project Manager on basis of the reasonable expenditures and savings of those performing the Work attributable to the change. The cost of the change shall include only the items listed in Subparagraph 5a below, and in the case of either a decrease or an increase in the Contract Sum, an allowance for overhead and profit in accordance with the schedules set forth in Subparagraphs 5b and 6 below shall be applied to the cost or credit.
 - a. In such case, and also under Subparagraph 3a above, the Contractor shall keep and present, in such form as the FC Project Manager may prescribe, an itemized accounting of all actual costs expended, together with appropriate supporting data for inclusion in a Change Order.
 - b. All hourly rate charges shall be submitted to the FC Project Manager for prior review and approval. All hourly rate charges shall be properly supported as required by the FC Project Manager with certified payrolls, or their acceptable equivalent. When authorized to proceed for a given change and actual expenditures have been made prior to execution of a Change Order for the entire change, such actual expenditures may be summarized monthly, and if approved, incorporated into a Change Order. When both additions and credits covering related Work or substitutions are involved in any one change, the allowance for overhead and profit shall be figured on the basis of the net increase or decrease, if any, with respect to that change.
5. In Subparagraphs 3 and 4 above, the items included in "Cost and "Overhead" shall be based on the following schedule:
 - a. Unless otherwise provided in the Contract Documents, "Cost" shall be limited to the following: cost of materials incorporated into the Work, including sales tax and cost of delivery; cost of direct labor (labor cost may include a pro rata share of foreman's account of the change) including social security, old age and unemployment insurance, and fringe benefits required by agreement or custom; workers' or workmen's compensation insurance; rental value of equipment and machinery; costs for preparing Shop Drawings.
 - b. Unless otherwise provided in the Contract Documents, "Overhead" shall include the following: bond and insurance premiums including increase and decreases from change in the Work, supervision, superintendence, construction parking, wages of timekeepers, watchmen and clerks, small tools, consumable supplies, expendables, incidentals, general office expense, the cost of additional reproduction for the Contractor's subcontractors beyond that agreed upon in the Contract Documents, construction parking, any additional costs of craft supervision by the

Contractor's or subcontractors' superintendents, and overhead charges which would be customary and expended regardless of the change in the Work due to other overlapping activities which are included as part of the original Contract, and all other expenses not included in "Cost" above.

- c. In the event that a change is issued by the County which would require the expenditure of substantial amounts of special supervision (beyond the foreman level) by the Contractor, the Contractor may, at the sole direction of the FC Project Manager, be allowed to incorporate these charges into the agreement cost for the change.
6. In Subparagraphs 3 and 4 above, the allowance for overhead and profit combined, included in the total cost or credit to the County, shall be based on the following schedule:
 - a. For the Contractor, for any work performed by the Contractor's own forces, ten (10) percent of the cost.
 - b. For the Contractor, for any work performed by a Contractor's subcontractor, five (5) percent of the amount due the subcontractor.
 - c. For each subcontractor or sub-subcontractor involved, for any work performed by that subcontractor's or sub-subcontractor's own forces, ten (10) percent of the cost.
 - d. For each subcontractor, for work performed by a sub-subcontractor, five (5) percent of the amount due to the sub-subcontractor.
 - e. Cost to which overhead and profit is to be applied shall be determined in accordance with Subparagraph 5 above unless modified otherwise.
7. In order to facilitate checking of quotations for extras or credits, all proposals or bids, except those so minor that their propriety can be seen by inspection, shall be accompanied by a complete itemization of costs, including labor cost, materials and subcontracts. Labor and materials shall be itemized in the manner defined in Subparagraph 4 above. Where major cost items are subcontracts, they shall be itemized also. In no case shall a change be approved without such itemization.
8. No payment shall be made for any changes to the contract that are not included in a fully executed Change Order.

B. CONCEALED, UNKNOWN AND DIFFERING CONDITIONS

1. Should concealed conditions be encountered in the performance of the Work below the surface of the ground, or should concealed or unknown conditions in an existing structure be at variance with the conditions indicated by the Contract Documents, or should unknown physical conditions below the surface of the ground or concealed or unknown conditions in an existing structure of an unusual nature, differing materially from those ordinarily encountered and generally recognized as inherent in work of the character provided for in this Contract, be

encountered, the Contract Sum and Contract Time shall be equitably adjusted by Change Order upon request by either party made **within twenty (20) days after the first observance** of the conditions. No such request for equitable adjustment shall be valid unless the Contractor complies with this (20) days' notice and Subparagraph C.1. below.

2. The Contractor shall promptly, and before such conditions are disturbed, notify the FC Project Manager in writing of any claim of concealed, unknown or differing conditions pursuant to this paragraph. The FC Project Manager shall authorize the Engineer to investigate the conditions, and if it is found that such conditions do materially so differ and cause an increase or decrease in the Contractor's cost of, or the time required for, performance of any part of the Work under this Contract, whether or not changed as a result of such conditions, an equitable adjustment shall be recommended to the FC Project Manager .
3. No claim of the Contractor under this clause shall be allowed unless the Contractor has given the notice required in (a) above, prior to disturbing the condition.
4. No claim by the Contractor for an equitable adjustment shall be allowed if asserted after final payment under this Contract.
5. Any materially differing site condition as between what is shown on the Drawings and Specifications and actually found on site shall be immediately reported to the FC Project Manager in writing prior to the commencement of Work at the site. Failure of the Contractor to notify the FC Project Manager in writing of the differing site condition prior to performance of Work at the site shall constitute a waiver of any claim for additional monies. Any Change Order necessitated by the differing site condition shall be processed as provided under "Changes in the Contract".

C. REQUESTS FOR ADDITIONAL COST

1. If the Contractor wishes to request an increase in the Contract Sum, the Contractor shall give the FC Project Manager written notice thereof within twenty (20) days after the occurrence of the event, or identification of the conditions, giving rise to such request. This notice shall be given by the Contractor before proceeding to execute the Work, except in an emergency endangering life or property in which case the Contractor shall proceed in accordance with Article 00700-25 and Subparagraph A.4 above. No such request shall be valid unless so made within the twenty (20) days specified above. If the County and the Contractor cannot agree on the amount of the adjustment in the Contract Sum, it shall be determined by the FC Project Manager. Any change in the Contract Sum resulting from such claim shall be documented by Change Order.
2. If the Contractor claims that addition cost is involved because of, but not limited to (1) any written interpretation pursuant to General Condition 00700-17 of this Agreement, (2) any order by the County to stop the Work pursuant to Articles 00700-25 and 00700-37 of this Agreement where the Contractor was not at fault, or any such order by the FC Project Manager as the County's agent, or (3) any written order for a minor change in the

Work issued pursuant to Paragraph D below, the Contractor shall submit a request for an increase in the Contract Sum as provided in Subparagraph C.1 above. No such claim shall be valid unless the Contractor complies with Subparagraph C.1 above and approved by the County pursuant to Change Order Policy 800-6.

D. MINOR CHANGES IN THE WORK

The FC Project Manager may order minor changes in the Work not involving an adjustment in the Contract Price, extension of the time allowed for performance of the work and not inconsistent with the intent of the Contract Documents. Such changes shall be affected by a written Change Directive issued by the FC Project Manager, and shall be binding on the County and the Contractor. The Contractor shall carry out such written orders promptly.

E. BONDS

If any change order results in an increase in the contract price, the contractor shall increase the penal sum of the performance and payment bonds to equal the increased price.

00700-88 DISAGREEMENT WITH ORDERS FOR CHANGE

Contractor's written acceptance of a Change Order or other order for changes shall constitute his final and binding agreement to the provisions thereof and a waiver of all claims in connection therewith, whether direct or consequential in nature. Should Contractor disagree with any order for changes, he may submit a notice of potential claim to the FC Project Manager, at such time as the order is set forth in the form of a Change Order. Disagreement with the provisions of an order for changes shall not relieve Contractor of his obligation under Article 00700-87 of this Agreement.

00700-89 NO WAIVER OF REMEDIES

Exercise by the County of any remedy is not exclusive of any other remedy available to County and shall not constitute a waiver of any such other remedies. Failure of the County to exercise any remedy, including breach of contract remedies, shall not preclude the County from exercising such remedies in similar circumstances in the future.

00700-90 LAND AND RIGHTS-OF-WAY

The owner will provide, as indicated in the Contract Documents and prior to Notice to Proceed, the lands upon which the work is to be done, right-of-way for access thereto, and such other lands which are designated for the use of the Contractor. The Contractor shall confine the Contractor's work and all associated activities to the easements and other areas designated for the Contractor's use. The Contractor shall comply with any limits on construction methods and practices which may be required by easement agreements. If, due to some unforeseen reason, the necessary easements are not obtained, the Contractor shall receive an equitable extension of contract time dependent upon the effect on the critical path of the project schedule or the County may terminate the Contract for its convenience.

00700-91 COORDINATION WITH STATE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

No clearing or grading shall be completed by Contractor within the State Department of Transportation (DOT) area under construction. The Contractor must coordinate his construction scheduling with DOT.

If the Contractor begins work before DOT's completion date, he must obtain the approval of DOT before starting work in the area. The state DOT has the right to stop the Contractor's work the DOT area.

The Contractor shall receive no additional compensation or damages resulting from delay or work stoppage from DOT actions or scheduling.

Contractor shall obtain DOT drawings of the DOT, project area for verification of road geometry, storm drains, etc. from Georgia Department of Transportation or Fulton County. The Contractor is responsible for obtaining any pertinent DOT revisions.

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EXHIBIT A
FINAL AFFIDAVIT

TO FULTON COUNTY, GEORGIA

I, _____, hereby certify that all suppliers of materials, equipment and service, subcontractors, mechanic, and laborers employed by _____ or any of his subcontractors in connection with the design and/or construction of _____ at Fulton County have been paid and satisfied in full as of _____, 20__, and that there are no outstanding obligations or claims of any kind for the payment of which Fulton County on the above-named project might be liable, or subject to, in any lawful proceeding at law or in equity.

Signature

Title

Personally appeared before me this _____ day of _____, 20____. _____, who under Oath deposes and says that he is _____ of the firm of _____, that he has read the above statement and that to the best of his knowledge and belief same is an exact true statement.

Notary Public

My Commission expires

END OF SECTION

EXHIBIT B
SPECIAL CONDITIONS

SPECIAL CONDITIONS

ODORS FROM ENCAPSULATION MATERIALS

The Contractor should take whatever reasonable efforts to minimize the odors emitting from the encapsulating materials. Tenants will occupy the building each day and the goal is to minimize the number of complaints from these odors. If necessary, the work may be moved to weekends.

Initially, the following will be required:

- Encapsulating material installation shall cease at 3:00AM each tenant workday. The Contractor shall arrange to have the associated AHU turned on so that the fans will begin immediately after 3:00AM to help dissipate the odors. The Contractor shall arrange to have the AHU set to manual to keep the associated AHU running until 8:00AM each workday. The AHU should be set to normal after 8:00AM each workday.
- On the Weekends and Holidays, any encapsulating material installation shall cease at 3:00AM the day when the tenant workday resumes, and following the same procedures noted above.

EXHIBIT C

ADDENDA

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ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF ADDENDUM NO. 1

The undersigned Proponent acknowledges receipt of this Addendum by returning one (1) copy of this Acknowledgement form with the proposal submittal package to the Department of Purchasing & Contract Compliance, Fulton County Public Safety Building, 130 Peachtree Street, S.W., Suite 1168, Atlanta, Georgia 30303 by the RFP due date and time Wednesday, July 10, 2019 at 11:00 a.m.

This is to acknowledge receipt of Addendum No. 1, 3RD day of July, 2019.

ARS, INC
Legal Name of Proponent

[Signature]
Signature of Authorized Representative

PRESIDENT
Title

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ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF ADDENDUM NO. 2

The undersigned Proponent acknowledges receipt of this Addendum by returning one (1) copy of this Acknowledgement form with the proposal submittal package to the Department of Purchasing & Contract Compliance, Fulton County Public Safety Building, 130 Peachtree Street, S.W., Suite 1168, Atlanta, Georgia 30303 by the RFP due date and time Monday, July 15, 2019 at 11:00 a.m.

This is to acknowledge receipt of Addendum No. 2, 5th day of July, 2019.

ARS inc
Legal Name of Proponent

[Signature]
Signature of Authorized Representative

PRESIDENT
Title

EXHIBIT D

BID FORM



July 15, 2019

Department of Real Estate and Asset Management
130 Peachtree St
1st Floor, Suite 1168
Atlanta, GA 30303

Re: #19RFP052019K-EC, Fulton County Justice Center Tower Duct System Cleaning Phase II

Dear Evaluation Committee:

The Air Quality Systems team is pleased to present the attached cost proposal for the duct system remediation project of the Fulton County Justice Center in the amount of \$998,500.00.

The company has studied the floor plans that were made available through the RFP to determine multiple resource and material requirements. We have not included specific detail on the procedures and actual results of many calculations for this project.

It is worth noting that a firm was hired to calculate the linear feet of duct work in the building. The coating product that is anticipated to be used in this project amounts to 90% of all materials that will be utilized. It was very important for us to have a clear understanding of this number. The following factors were all integral in determining the overall cost of the proposed project:

- The number of technician hours required to clean and coat one air handler unit and associated duct work. The following items helped determine the hours required:
 - Number of VAVs
 - Number of FPBs
 - Number of grilles/vents to be cleaned
 - Transportation and moving of coating material
 - Physical location of AHU and the floor that is serviced by that unit
 - Time required to adequately protect/cover floors, furniture, etc
 - Time required for setup and cleanup
- Calculation of the coverage area of lined ductwork that will require coating. Our calculations show approximately 30,000 linear feet of lined ductwork varying in size. Air Quality Systems calculates a need for 2,250 – 2,500 gallons of coating material.
- Calculation of the number of holes that will have to be cut and patched, not only to clean each linear feet of duct work, but also to coat all the lined duct work.



- The amount of drop clothes and/or poly sheeting required to adequately protect/cover floors, furniture and equipment and the time associated with the activity.
- The level of managerial oversight and record keeping required.
- An estimate had to be made to anticipate the filters required for each system.
- Typical travel, parking, and meal cost were included.
- The probability of unforeseen expenses, scheduling conflicts, and possible schedule compression had to be included in the price assumption.

As with any project of this size, the ability to (1) break it up into sections and (2) sequence it in a way that makes logical sense, will lead to a successful outcome. Continued interaction and feedback will help us streamline what we deliver and assure optimal owner satisfaction.

We are very excited and ready to help you get this project completed in a timely manner without interruption to the ongoing activity at the building.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Anton Kotze', with a horizontal line extending from the end.

Anton Kotze
President
Air Quality Systems

REVISED**COST PROPOSAL FORM**

Submitted To: Fulton County Government

Submitted By: AQS, Inc.For: RFP #19RFP052019K-ECSubmitted on July 15, 2019

The undersigned, as Proposer, hereby declares that the only person or persons interested in the Proposal as principal or principals is or are named herein and that no other person than herein mentioned has any interest in this Proposal or in the Contract to be entered into; that this Proposal is made without connection with any other person, company or parties making a Proposal; and that it is in all respects fair and in good faith without collusion or fraud.

The Proposer further declares that he has examined the site of the work and informed himself fully in regard to all conditions pertaining to the place where the work is to be done; that he has examined the Drawings and Specifications for the work and contractual documents relative thereto, and has read all instructions to Proposers and General Conditions furnished prior to the openings of Proposals; that he has satisfied himself relative to the work to be performed.

The Proposer proposes and agrees, if this Proposal is accepted, to contract with the Board of Commissioners of Fulton County, Atlanta, Georgia, in the form of contract specified, to furnish all necessary materials, equipment, machinery, tools, apparatus, means of transportation and labor necessary, and to complete the construction of the work in full and complete accordance with the provided, noted, and reasonably intended requirements of the Specifications and Contract Documents to the full and entire satisfaction of the Board of Commissioners of Fulton County, Atlanta, Georgia, with a definite understanding that no money will be allowed for extra work except as set forth in the attached General Conditions and Contract Documents for the following prices.

THE BASE PROPOSAL PLUS ANY ALTERANATES AS DETERMINED BY THE COUNTY IS THE AMOUNT UPON WHICH THE PROPOSER WILL BE FORMALLY EVALUATED AND WHICH WILL BE USED TO DETERMINE THE LOWEST RESPONSIBLE PROPOSER.

The base Proposal may not be withdrawn or modified for a period of sixty (60) days following the receipt of Proposals.

BASE PROPOSAL AMOUNT (Do not include any Proposal Alternates)\$ \$998,500**(Dollar Amount In Numbers)**nine hundred ninety eight thousand, five hundred**(Dollar Amount in Words)**

The Proposer agrees hereby to commence work under this Contract, with adequate personnel and equipment, on a date to be specified in a written "Notice to Proceed" from the County.

The Proposer declares that he understands that the quantities shown for the unit prices items are subject to either increase or decrease, and that should the quantities of any of the items of

work be increased, the Proposer proposes to do the additional work at the unit prices stated herein; and should the quantities be decreased, the Proposer also understands that payment will be made on the basis of actual quantities at the unit price Proposal and will make no claim for anticipated profits for any decrease in quantities; and that actual quantities will be determined upon completion of work, at which time adjustments will be made to the contract amount by direct increase or decrease.

Proposer: AQS, Inc.

Proposer shall list the required compensation for the performance of these Design/Build Team services per the table below. Proposer shall include all cost for travel, parking, printing, telephone, reproductions, copies, etc... as part of their compensation in the values of the table below. No additional compensation for any other incurred expenses shall be chargeable to Fulton County.

SERVICE	Cleaning	Resurfacing Option	Total
Parking and Service Level	\$ 14,391	\$ 2,179	\$ 16,570
Ground Level	\$ 30,696	\$ 56,890	\$ 87,586
Level 1	\$ 49,189	\$ 64,753	\$ 113,942
Level 2	\$ 63,869	\$ 104,074	\$ 167,943
Level 3	\$ 45,567	\$ 82,847	\$ 128,414
Level 4	\$ 48,423	\$ 83,016	\$ 131,439
Level 5	\$ 11,478	\$ 1,000	\$ 12,478
Level 7	\$ 28,640	\$ 38,204	\$ 66,844
Level 8	\$ 27,905	\$ 45,543	\$ 73,448
Level 9	\$ 35,242	\$ 54,594	\$ 89,836
Access Doors (allow 50)			\$ 10,000
Total			\$ 898,500
Owner Controlled Contingency			\$100,000.00
Unit Price for Access Doors (+/-)		Each	\$ 250
Total Base Proposal			\$ 998,500

ALTERNATE #1 (add additional lines as needed)

DESCRIPTION	Add/Deduct	TOTAL COST
All Work to be Performed from 5:00PM Friday until 1:00AM Monday	\$0	\$ 998,500

ALTERNATE #2A (add additional lines as needed)

DESCRIPTION	Deduct	TOTAL COST
Perform and Complete all work in 548 calendar days.	\$0	\$ 998,500

ALTERNATE #2B (add additional lines as needed)

DESCRIPTION	Add/Deduct	TOTAL COST
Perform the work in Alternate 2A where All Work will be performed from 5:00PM Friday until 1:00AM Monday.	\$0	\$ 998,500

ALTERNATE #3A (add additional lines as needed)

DESCRIPTION	Deduct	TOTAL COST
Perform and Complete all work in 730 calendar days	\$0	\$ 998,500

ALTERNATE #3B (add additional lines as needed)

DESCRIPTION	Add/Deduct	TOTAL COST
Perform the work in Alternate 3A where All Work will be performed from 5:00PM Friday until 1:00AM Monday.	\$0	\$ 998,500

The Proposer furthermore agrees that, in the case of a failure on his part to execute the Contract Agreement and Bonds within ten (10) days after receipt of conformed contract documents for execution, the Proposer Bond accompanying his Proposer and the monies payable thereon shall be paid into the funds of the Owner as liquidated damages for such failure.

Enclosed is a Proposer Bond in the approved form, in the sum of:

Fifty Thousand Dollars

(\$ 50,000.00) according to the conditions of "Instructions to Proposers" and provisions thereof.

The undersigned acknowledges receipt of the following addenda (list by the number and date appearing on each addendum) and thereby affirms that its Proposer considers and incorporates any modifications to the originally issued Proposing Documents included therein.

ADDENDUM # 1 DATED 6/26/19

ADDENDUM # 2 DATED 7/8/19

ADDENDUM # _____ DATED _____

ADDENDUM # _____ DATED _____

PROPOSER: AQS, Inc.

Signed by: Anton Kotze
[Type or Print Name]

Title: President

Business Address: 5925 Peachtree Corners East

Norcross, GA 30071

Business Phone: 770-446-1142

Note: If the Proposer is a corporation, the Proposer shall be signed by an officer of the corporation; if a partnership, it shall be signed by a partner. If signed by others, authority for signature shall be attached. The full name and addresses of persons or parties interested in the foregoing Proposer, as principals, are as follows:

Name	Address
Anton Kotze	2594 Winslow Dr. Atlanta, GA 30305
Shannon Kotze	2594 Winslow Dr. Atlanta, GA 30305

EXHIBIT E
BONDS (PAYMENT AND PERFORMANCE)

PAYMENT BOND

INSTRUCTIONS

1. This form is required for use in connection with the Agreement identified on its face. There shall be no deviation from this form without approval by the County.
2. The full legal name and business address of the Principal shall be inserted in the space designated "Principal" on the face of the form. The bond shall be signed by an authorized person. Where such person is signing in a representative capacity (e.g., an attorney-in-fact), but is not a member of the firm, partnership, or joint venture, or an office of the corporation involved, evidence of this authority must be furnished.
3. Corporation executing the bond as surety must be among those appearing on the U.S. Treasury Department's most current list of approved sureties and must be acting within the amounts and limitations set forth therein.
4. Corporate surety shall be duly authorized by the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Georgia to transact surety business in the State of Georgia.
5. Do not date this bond. The County will date this bond the same date or later than the date of the Agreement.
6. The Surety shall attach a duly authorized power-of-attorney authorizing signature on its behalf of any attorney-in-fact.
7. Corporations executing the bond shall affix their corporate seals. Individuals shall execute the bond opposite the word "Seal."
8. The name of each person signing this bond shall be typed or printed in the space provided.

PAYMENT BOND

"County:" means Fulton County Government; a political subdivision of the State of Georgia (hereinafter called the "Owner").

"Project:" #19RFP052019K-EC, Fulton County Justice Center Tower Duct System Cleaning – Phase II

"Principal:" AQS d/b/a Air Quality Systems (hereinafter called the "Principal")
5925 Peachtree Corners East
Norcross, GA 30071

Type of Organization ("X" one): _____ Individual
_____ Partnership
_____ Joint Venture
_____ Corporation

"Surety:" (Name and Business Address) _____

duly authorized by the Commissioner of
Insurance of the State of Georgia to
transact surety business in the State of
Georgia.

"Contract:" Agreement between Principal and Owner, dated _____ day of _____,
20____, regarding performance of Work relative to the Project.

"Penal Sum:" [100% of contract amount] \$998,500.00

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that we, the Principal and Surety hereto, as named above, are held and firmly bound to the Owner in the above Penal Sum for the payment of which well and truly to be made we bind ourselves, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and severally.

WHEREAS, the Principal and the Owner entered into a certain written Contract identified above, which is incorporated herein by reference in its entirety (hereinafter called the "Contract"), for construction-type services for the Project identified above;

NOW, THEREFORE, the conditions of this obligation are such that if the Principal shall promptly make payment of all persons working on or supplying labor or materials or equipment for the performance of said work, this obligation shall be void; otherwise of full force and effect.

1. A "Claimant" shall be defined herein as any subcontractor, person, party, partnership, corporation or the entity furnishing labor, services or materials used, or reasonably required for use, in the performance of the Contract, without regard to whether such labor, services or materials were sold, leased or rented, and without regard to whether such Claimant is or is not in privity of contract with the Principal or any subcontractor performing work on the Project, including, but not limited to, the following labor, services, or materials: water, gas, power, light, heat, oil, gasoline, telephone service or rental of equipment directly applicable to the Contract.

2. In the event a Claimant files a lien against the property of the Owner, and the Principal fails or refuses to satisfy or remove it promptly, the Surety shall satisfy or remove the lien promptly upon written notice from the Owner, either by bond or as otherwise provided in the Contract.
3. The Surety hereby waives notice of any and all modifications, omissions, additions, changes, alterations, extensions of time, changes in the payment terms, and any other amendments in or about the Contract and agrees that the obligations undertaken by this Bond shall not be impaired in any manner by reason of any such modifications, omissions, additions, changes, alterations, extensions of time, changes in payment terms, and amendments.
4. The Surety hereby agrees that this Bond shall be deemed amended automatically and immediately, without formal or separate amendments hereto, upon any amendment or modifications to the Contract, so as to bind the Principal and Surety, jointly and severally, to the full payment of any Claimant under the Contract, as amended or modified, provided only that the Surety shall not be liable for more than the penal sum of the Bond, as specified in the first paragraph hereof.
5. This Bond is made for the use and benefit of all persons, firms, and corporations who or which may furnish any materials or perform any labor for or on account of the construction-type services to be performed or supplied under the Contract, and any amendments thereto, and they and each of them may sue hereon.
6. No action may be maintained on this Bond after one (1) year from the date the last services, labor, or materials were provided under the Contract by the Claimant prosecuting said action.
7. This Bond is intended to comply with O.C.G.A. Section 13-10-1, and shall be interpreted so as to comply with the minimum requirements thereof. However, in the event the express language of this Bond extends protection to the Owner beyond that contemplated by O.C.G.A. Section 13-10-1 and 36-91-1, *et seq.*, or any other statutory law applicable to this Project, then the additional protection shall be enforced in favor of the Owner, whether or not such protection is found in the applicable statutes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Principal and Surety have hereunto affixed their corporate seals and caused this obligations to be signed by their duly authorized representatives this____ day of _____, 20__.

PRINCIPAL:_____

President/Vice President (Sign)

President/Vice President (Type or Print)

Attested to by:

Secretary/Assistant Secretary (Seal)

SURETY:_____

By: _____

Attorney-in-Fact (Sign)

Attorney-in-Fact (Type or Print)

Secretary/Assistant Secretary (Seal)

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NOW, THEREFORE, the conditions of this obligation are such that if the Principal shall faithfully and fully comply with, perform and fulfill all of the undertakings, covenants, conditions and all other of the terms and conditions of said Contract, including any and all duly authorized modifications of such Contract, within the original term of such Contract and any extensions thereof, which shall include, but not be limited to any obligations created by way of warranties and/or guarantees for workmanship and materials which warranty and/or guarantee may extend for a period of time of one year beyond completion of said Contract, this obligation shall be void; otherwise, of full force and effect.

Whenever the Principal shall be, and declared by the Owner to be, in default under the Construction-Type Contract, the Surety shall promptly remedy the default as follows:

1. Complete the Contract in accordance with its terms and conditions; or, at the sole option of the Owner,
2. Obtain a bid or bids for completing the Contract in accordance with its terms and conditions, and upon determination by the Surety and the Owner of the lowest responsible bidder, arrange for a contract between such bidder and Owner and make available as the work progresses (even though there should be a default or succession of defaults under the Contract or contracts of completion arranged under this paragraph) sufficient funds to pay the

cost of completion less the balance of the contract price; but not exceeding, including other costs and damages for which the Surety may be liable hereunder, the penal sum set forth in the first paragraph hereof, as may be adjusted, and the Surety shall make available and pay to the Owner the funds required by this Paragraph prior to the payment of the Owner of the balance of the contract price, or any portion thereof. The term "balance of the contract price," as used in this paragraph, shall mean the total amount payable by the Owner to the Contractor under the Contract, and any amendments thereto, less the amount paid by the Owner to the Contractor; or, at the sole option of the Owner,

3. Allow Owner to complete the work and reimburse the Owner for all reasonable costs incurred in completing the work.

In addition to performing as required in the above paragraphs, the Surety shall indemnify and hold harmless the Owner from any and all losses, liability and damages, claims, judgments, liens, costs and fees of every description, including reasonable attorney's fees, litigation costs and expert witness fees, which the Owner may incur, sustain or suffer by reason of the failure or default on the part of the Principal in the performance of any or all of the terms, provisions, and requirements of the Contract, including any and all amendments and modifications thereto, or incurred by the Owner in making good any such failure of performance on the part of the Principal.

The Surety shall commence performance of its obligations and undertakings under this Bond promptly and without delay, after written notice from the Owner to the Surety.

The Surety hereby waives notice of any and all modifications, omissions, additions, changes, alterations, extensions of time, changes in payment terms, and any other amendments in or about the Contract, and agrees that the obligations undertaken by this Bond shall not be impaired in any manner by reason of any such modifications, omissions, additions, changes, alterations, extensions of time, change in payment terms, and amendments.

The Surety hereby agrees that this Bond shall be deemed amended automatically and immediately, without formal or separate amendments hereto, upon any amendment to the Contract, so as to bind the Principal and the Surety to the full and faithful performance of the Contract as so amended or modified, and so as to increase the penal sum to the adjusted Contract Price of the Contract.

No right of action shall accrue on this Bond to or for the use of any person, entity or corporation other than the Owner and any other obligee named herein, or their executors, administrators, successors or assigns.

This Bond is intended to comply with O.C.G.A. Section 36-91-1 et seq., and shall be interpreted so; as to comply with; the minimum requirements thereof. However, in the event the express language of this Bond extends protection to; the Owner beyond that contemplated by O.C.G.A. Section 36-91-1 et seq. and O.C.G.A. Section 13-10-1, as amended, or any other statutory law applicable to this Project, then the additional protection shall be enforced in favor of the Owner, whether or not such protection is found in the applicable statutes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Principal and the Surety have caused these presents to be duly signed and sealed this _____ day of _____, 20____.

PRINCIPAL:_____

President/Vice President (Sign)

President/Vice President (Type or Print)

Attested to by:

Secretary/Assistant Secretary (Seal)

SURETY:_____

By: _____
Attorney-in-Fact (Sign)

Attorney-in-Fact (Type or Print)

END OF SECTION

EXHIBIT F

SCOPE OF WORK TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

SCOPE OF WORK AND TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

The Contractor shall provide the following services:

- Duct System Cleaning Associated with all AHU's in the Justice Center Tower, except for the following work which was completed in Phase I:
 - AHU #701, #801, and #802.

The Justice Center Tower is located at 185 Central Ave., SW - Atlanta, GA 30303.

CONTRACTOR CERTIFICATIONS

The Contract shall provide evidence of the following:

1. Membership in the National Air Duct Cleaning Association (NADCA).
 - a. Air Systems Cleaning Specialist (ASCS) Certification.
2. Background checks and drug test for all employees to be assigned to the project.

SCOPE OF WORK

The scope of work will include the following:

1. Inspect the layout of the air distribution system to determine the level of cleaning required. The majority of the ductwork is internally lined with insulation.
2. Take photographs depicting the conditions of the ductwork and equipment before the work begins and after the work is completed. The photographs shall be taken no less that every ten (10) feet of ductwork.
3. Provide temporary protection for areas where the work will be performed. Remove and replace the temporary protection each day so that spaces can function in the intended manner during normal business hours.
4. Remove all registers, grilles, etc., and clean them.
5. Use high powered vacuums, and compressed air, to dislodge the debris out of the ductwork. If necessary, use mechanical agitation methods to remove particulate, debris, and surface contamination. Cleaning activities shall not damage any HVAC components.
6. All supply and return air duct shall be cleaned up to and including the air handling unit.
 - a. Include cleaning of the air handling unit coils, blower motor housing, return air ducts and plenum grilles, filter compartment and condensate drain pan.
7. The entire duct system shall be treated with an EPA registered sanitizing solution that will kill mold, mildew, fungus, viruses, and bacteria.
 - a. An option (separate price) to this would be to spray an encapsulating EPA approved material on all of the internally lined ductwork. Resurfacing may be considered when thermal acoustic fibrous glass components, including air duct liner or duct board in the HVAC system, are considered friable, or exhibit visual signs of abrasion, degradation, or other undesirable conditions. If resurfacing is to be performed, an assessment shall be made to determine whether the surface of the components will provide a strong, bondable surface for the coating material after undergoing proper cleaning.
 - i. The option for each AHU will be approved prior to the start of any work on that AHU.

8. If there is evidence of damage, deterioration, delaminating, friable material, such that cleaning, or resurfacing cannot restore fibrous glass materials, replacement may be required. If that occurs, the Contractor will submit a separate proposal to perform that work.
9. Furnish and Install new filters (in AHU's, PIU's, VAV's, etc.) after the system is cleaned.
10. Reinstall all registers, grilles, etc.
11. If access holes are required, remove and replace the existing construction components and leave the area in the same condition before the work began.
 - a. If necessary, 24" x 24" access panels may be installed at the direction of the owner. Provide 50 access panels in the proposed fees, and provide a unit price (+/-) for providing more or, less than 50. The installation should be turnkey, including painting of the panels to closely match the existing adjacent finish.
12. See additional requirements in Exhibits.
 - a. Exhibit A: Fulton County – Contractor Rules and Regulations
 - b. Exhibit B: Fulton County Safety Requirements

CONSTRUCTION PHASING

The work shall implement the following phasing:

To be Determined

Work hours are as follows:

Monday through Friday after 5:00PM and before 5:00AM the next business day.

Work hours for the Alternate are as follows:

Weekends – Friday after 5:00PM and before 5:00AM the following Monday, or Tuesday (if there is a Monday Holiday).

EXHIBIT G

EXHIBITS

EXHIBIT 1. FULTON COUNTY CONTRACTOR SAFETY AND HEALTH MANAGEMENT PROCESS

EXHIBIT 2. CONTRACTOR RULES AND REGULATIONS

EXHIBIT 1

FULTON COUNTY CONTRACTOR SAFETY AND HEALTH MANAGEMENT PROCESS

EXHIBIT 1

FULTON COUNTY CONTRACTOR SAFETY AND HEALTH MANAGEMENT PROCESS

1.0 INTRODUCTION

Every Contractor performing construction related services shall follow the procedures outlined in this document.

2.0 REFERENCES

- 1.1 Occupational Safety and Health Regulations (OSHA) 29CFR1910 and 29CFR1926
- 1.2 Environmental Protection Agency Regulations (EPA) 40CFR
- 1.3 Fulton County Safety and Health and Requirements
- 1.4 Georgia Department of Transportation Regulations and Requirements
- 1.5 US Department of Transportation Requirements
- 1.6 Manual of Uniform Traffic Control Devices for Streets and Highways (ANSI D6.1)
- 1.7 Georgia Department of Natural Resources Environmental Protection Division Regulations

Safety rules and regulations will be followed using federal, state or local regulations in force. Should a Contractor's rule be in use which is more effective, the most stringent rule or regulation will be enforced by the Contractor, Sub-Contractors and Fulton County designated Safety Representative(s).

3.0 RESPONSIBILITY

The Contractor receiving the bid has the ultimate responsibility for the safety and health of all Sub-Contractors, all employees on the project, and the general public and complying with all governmental regulations and requirements (OSHA, EPA, DOT, state, local).

The Contractor is responsible for:

1. Implementing a safety, health and loss prevention process and program that meets or exceeds all the requirements in the Contract Documents and the safety, health and loss prevention guidelines referenced in the Contract Documents;
2. Reporting all accidents, incidents and near misses as required in the safety guidelines;
3. Coordinating the investigation of major accidents and incidents with the Project Manager;
4. Designating an employee on the site to be responsible for the Contractor's safety program; and
5. Implementing corrective action plans to address safety, health and loss prevention findings identified on the work site.

Nothing contained herein shall relieve the Contractor or any Sub-Contractor of such responsibility or liability.

4.0 PROCEDURE

- 4.1 The Contractor and each Sub-Contractor must implement a written safety and health prevention process and program following the guidelines contained in this document and in any other relevant portion of the Contract Documents. This program must be accepted by Fulton County or its Representatives prior to Notice to Proceed.
- 4.2 The Contractor and each Sub-Contractor must implement a drug and alcohol policy following the guidelines contained in this document and in the bid specific actions. This program must be accepted by Fulton County or its Representatives prior to Notice to Proceed.
- 4.3 The Contractor must designate a person responsible for site safety. Each Sub-Contractor must designate a person responsible for site safety.
- 4.4 Not Used.
- 4.5 Contractor is responsible for providing all necessary safety supplies and personal protective equipment required to protect its employees, Sub-Contractors, and the 'general public.
- 4.6 Contractor shall make available certified First-aid services, First-aid supplies, and provisions for medical care for all employees at the construction site prior to beginning work on site.
- 4.7 Contractor shall maintain a competent person at the construction site at all times with an OSHA 10-hour certification, Said person shall have the knowledge to recognize hazards or potential hazards and has the authority to correct such hazards.
- 4.8 The status of project safety shall be included in the Contractor's agenda, which is required in Progress Meetings.

5.0 DRUG AND ALCOHOL POLICY

The Contractor and each Sub-Contractor must implement a drug and alcohol policy in order to maintain a safe and efficient work environment. This policy must include the following elements.

1. Written policy that prohibits the use, transportation, sale and possession of these materials
2. Disciplinary action plan for violations
3. Any treatment or reinstatement reemployment options
4. Drug and alcohol testing schedule that includes pre-employment, periodic for safety sensitive or critical jobs, and for cause

Note: AGC, ABC and/or Fulton County programs may be used as guidance documents.

6.0 OTHER CONTROLLED ITEMS

The Contractor and each Sub-Contractor is required to include in the Project Safety Program a prohibition against the use, possession, concealment, transportation, promotion or sale of the following controlled items

1. Firearms, weapons, and ammunition.
2. Switchblades
3. Unauthorized explosives including fireworks
4. Stolen property or contraband
5. Controlled chemicals or chemicals recognized as being able to be used for improper purposes

7.0 EMERGENCY PROCEDURES/GUIDELINES

- 7.1 The Contractor is required to establish site specific emergency procedures in the Project Safety Program to manage emergencies that may occur at any time in the following categories:
 1. Fire
 2. Employee injury
 3. Pedestrian injury due to work activity of any kind
 4. Property damage and damage to various utilities (i.e., electrical, gas, sewerage, water, telephone or public roadways)
 5. Public demonstrations
 6. Bomb threats
 7. Flood, Wind, Lightening, Hail
 8. Terrorists Threats
 9. Work place violence
- 7.2 These Emergency Procedures will be made part of the Contractor's Project Safety Program submittal and shall include but not be limited to the following elements:
 1. A list of emergency phone numbers posted at the job site, along with information to be transmitted in such emergencies.
 2. An incident command structure defining duties and responsibilities
 3. A system to train supervisors and employees on this emergency plan
 4. Procedures on how to handle emergencies including access to the site by emergency responders, accounting for workers, and securing the area.
 5. Procedures for media releases. These releases must be coordinated through the Fulton County Information and Public Affairs Office in coordination with the County's designated Representative.
 6. A plan that addresses serious incidents that includes notification to Fulton County, Fulton County's designated Representative immediately after the incident.

7. A review and updating frequency that includes forwarding a copy to Fulton County and the County's designated Representative.

8.0 ACCIDENT AND INCIDENT INVESTIGATION AND REPORTING

- 8.1 The Contractor is responsible for reporting all accidents and incidents on the project site to the County's designated Representative within (1) business day. Accidents or incidents resulting in a fatality, property loss in excess of \$5,000, or involvement with the general public must be reported immediately to Fulton County's designated Representative and the investigation of the accident or incident coordinated with Fulton County Safety staff.
- 8.2 The Contractor will maintain a log of all injuries that occur on the job site. This log will be current and available for review.
- 8.3 For any incidents such as fires, explosions, fatalities, etc., the Contractor must notify Fulton County's designated Representative immediately and must coordinate any releases to the news media through the County's designated Representative and the County's Information and Public Affairs Office.
- 8.4 If a work-related injury should occur on this project, Contractor shall perform a thorough investigation of the incident and document the information.
- 8.5 A written accident investigation report containing the following information a minimum must be forwarded to the Fulton County's designated Representative within 24 hours of incident.
 1. Company Name
 2. Location
 3. Date and Time of incident
 4. Description of incident
 5. Names of all parties involved and all witnesses
 6. Corrective action(s) taken to prevent recurrence
 7. If the incident involves injury or illness, the following information must be provided:
 - a) A medical description of the injury or illness
 - b) OSHA recordability status i.e. first aid, medical treatment, lost time, days of restricted work.
 - c) If the public is involved, information about treatment and treatment location.
 8. Any pictures, site drawings, etc. if they assist in describing the incident.

If the investigation cannot be completed in 24 hours, a preliminary report marked as such shall be forwarded and the report completed and forwarded as soon as possible.

9.0 JOB SAFETY ANALYSIS

- 9.1 The Contractor and each Sub-Contractor must implement a procedure to conduct a written job safety analysis or job hazard analysis for all project work tasks prior to beginning each task. Reference Appendix A.
- 9.2 The job safety analysis should follow National Safety Council, AGC, or other recognized guidelines and address all safety and health hazards for the work, identify personal protective and other safety equipment required, identify potential hazards to the general public if applicable, and identify any safety equipment, training, or controls that must be implemented prior to starting the work.
- 9.3 The Contractor must maintain a file for all job safety analysis forms, which is Accessible for review.

10.0 SAFETY AND HEALTH COMPLIANCE AUDITING

10.1 Self-Auditing Requirements

- 10.1.1 The Contractor and each Sub-Contractor must implement a procedure to assure that written safety and health audits or inspections are conducted at least biweekly (every 2 weeks). Safety checklists used by Fulton County's designated Representative may be used. The Contractor may use this checklist or an equivalent approved by Fulton County's designated Representative.
- 10.1.2 Each written safety audit must be filed on the site and a copy forwarded to Fulton County designated Representative.

10.2 NOT USED

10.3 INSPECTIONS BY REGULATORY AGENCIES

- 10.3.1 The Contractor must notify the Fulton County designated Representative whenever a 051-IA compliance officer, health inspector, or EPA or Georgia Environmental Protection Division Representative arrives at the project site to conduct an inspection.
- 10.3.2 The Contractor is required to forward a copy of all regulatory citations, notice of violations, or similar for this project to Fulton County's designated Representative.
- 10.3.3 These records will be reviewed with Fulton County designated Representative and included in the Construction Project files.

10.4 SAFETY INSPECTION AND AUDIT FOLLOW UP

- 10.4.1 Every safety audit or regulatory inspection conducted per the requirements above may be reviewed by the Fulton County designated Representative. This review may identify serious and repeat safety items, look at trends, identify risks and potential losses, and site safety and loss prevention activities.
- 10.4.2 After this review the findings may identify areas needing improvement.
- 10.4.3 A copy of the audit and any areas identified, as needing improvement will be forwarded to the Contractor's senior management.
- 10.4.4 For findings that indicate major loss potential or serious concerns about site safety, the areas identified as needing improvement and the overall performance may be reviewed by Fulton County's designated Representative. A written action plan to address the Contractor's performance issues may be developed.
- 10.4.5 Fulton County or designated Representative may meet the Contractor's senior management to discuss the findings, contract requirements, and their plans to address the findings.
- 10.4.6 The number and frequency of safety audits and site visits may be increased until improvements are noted.

11.0 SAFETY MEETINGS

- 11.1 The Contractor will conduct weekly safety meetings with all Contractor and Sub-Contractor employees on the site.
- 11.2 The Contractor will keep safety-meeting records that include meeting topic(s), outline of items discussed, and attendance and sign in sheet. At this meeting any accidents or audit findings and corrective actions from the previous week will be discussed.
- 11.3 The Contractor will maintain a job site file that contains copies of the safety meeting records.

12.0 TRAINING, INSPECTION AND CERTIFICATION

12.1 Employee Training

- 12.1.1 The Contractor must be able to show when requested the required safety training for all Contractor and Subcontractor employees and competent persons working on the site including any required craft training,

- 12.1.2 The Contractor must be able to show when requested that all employees operating mobile equipment or cranes have met or exceeded training and licensing requirements.
- 12.1.3 The Contractor must be able to show when requested that all scaffolds are erected under the direction of a competent scaffold builder, that all users are properly trained, and that the scaffold is inspected daily.
- 12.1.4 The Contractor shall ensure that each employee is properly trained in the recognition and avoidance of unsafe conditions and the regulations applicable to his or her work environment to control or eliminate any hazards or other exposure to illness or injury.
- 12.1.5 If Contractor or Sub-Contractor employs anyone who cannot effectively communicate using the English language, a translator must be maintained on site who can relay instructions, questions, or concerns in a manner that the non-English and English-speaking employees will understand. The identification of this translator shall be provided to Fulton County's designated Representative.
- 12.1.6 Contractor shall orient all supervision and employees concerning safety requirements before working on the project.

12.2 Equipment Certification and Inspection

- 12.2.1 The Contractor must be able to document that all cranes and mobile equipment used on the job site have current inspections and certifications.
- 12.2.2 The Contractor must assure that required daily and weekly equipment inspections are performed and documented in writing per governmental regulations and the requirements of this policy.
- 12.2.3 The Contractor must maintain a job site file for these required inspections and certifications.
- 12.2.4 Equipment identified as having safety problems or not meeting standards or codes shall be tagged as defective and shall not be used until those identified items have been corrected.
- 12.2.5 Contractor shall maintain, and have available for viewing, safety inspection reports for ladder, electrical cords, scaffolds, and trenches/excavations.

13.0 SAFETY AND HEALTH PROGRAM ELEMENTS

Note: Based on the project work activities and scope of work, some program elements may be not applicable to the project work and therefore do not have to be implemented. Elements marked with an asterisk are applicable to all Projects.

13.1 Return to Work Policy*

The Contractor and each Sub-Contractor will be required to establish a transitional work program for employees injured at work, which provides modified duty within the employee's physical limitations.

13.2 Fire Prevention Program*

The Contractor and each Sub-Contractor will be required to submit a temporary fire protection plan to be in effect for the duration of the contract. This plan must be submitted as part of the Contractor's Safety Program submittal, it must include provisions for fire protection systems and equipment, as identified in OSHA Safety and Health for Construction 1926, Sub-Part F, Fire Protection and Prevention.

13.3 Hazard Communication (HAZCOM)*

The Contractor and each Sub-Contractor shall have a written HAZCOM Program. The program shall meet OSHA 1926 Requirements and provide for training so that all employees will be able to:

- Understand the program and identify hazardous chemicals with which they work.
- Understand product-warning labels.
- Have MSDSs for all potentially hazardous materials brought onto, used on, or stored at the job site.
- Know the physical location of the Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS).

13.4 Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)*

All Contractor and Sub-Contractor employees and other site visitors will be required to wear the PPE necessary to accomplish the work in a safe manner, PPE required will vary from job to job and must be based on a written hazard assessment. A list of PPE that is required is identified below:

- Hard Hats shall be worn at all times on all projects
- Hearing Protection for operations that create noise in excess of 65 dBA is required.
- Contractor shall provide eye or face protection equipment when machines or operations present potential eye or face injury from physical, chemical, or radiation agents.
Work boots or work shoes made of leather shall be required. No open toed shoes or canvas shoes are allowed
- Shirts with sleeves at least 4 inches long are required. Tank tops and mesh shirt are not allowed.
- Full Body Safety Harnesses with shock absorbing lanyards for fall protection are required.
- Full body and chemical splash protection is required when handling hazardous chemicals.
- Respirators are required when employees may be exposed to dust and/or chemicals in excess of the OSHA permissible exposure limits.
- * Long pants are required.

13.5 Confined Space Entry

If the project work involves permit required confined spaces, a permit required confined space entry program that meets 051-iA requirements must be established. This program must include but is not limited to the following elements.

- Confined Space Identification
- Environmental Testing
- Rescue
- Communication with employees in the confined space
- Employee Training
- Permit System for entry

13.6 Excavations

If the Contractor or Sub-Contractor must make a cut, cavity, trench or depression in an earth surface formed by earth removal, the work must comply with the OSHA Regulations on trenching and excavations. A competent person must be assigned for each excavation. Requirements include but are not limited to:

- Employee Training
- * Daily inspections
- Soil testing
- Protective or support systems.

13.7 Electrical Tools, Equipment, and Systems*

- * The Contractor and each Sub-Contractor must implement Assured Grounding Program or use Ground Fault Circuit Interrupter (GFCI) devices on all electrical tools and extension cords.
- All electrical work must be performed in accordance with the National Electrical Code (NEC) and OSHA,
- All electrical tools and extension cords must be in good repair and the Contractor must establish a written inspection program for all electrical tools. The frequency of inspection shall be at least monthly.

13.8 Lockout/Tagout Procedure

The Contractor and each Sub-Contractor will be required to implement a written Lockout/Tag procedure that meets OSHA requirements if their work requires energy isolation, Program elements include but are not limited to the following:

- Energy isolation lists for each piece of equipment
- Employee training
- Individually keyed locks and danger tags
- Written Procedure that assigns responsibilities

13.9 Fall Protection*

Contractor shall provide an approved fall protection system for all employees working at an elevation of 6 feet or higher on this project, including scaffolding work and steel erection. Employees will be

responsible for utilizing the fall protection 100% of the time. Sub-Contractor will be responsible for ascertaining their employees' compliance with this requirement. The plan must address the following items:

- Only full body harnesses with shock absorbing lanyards and double locking hooks shall be use.
- Falls should be limited to less than. 6 feet such than employee can neither fall more than 6 feet nor contact any lower level.
- Fall protection systems must be planned into the job and must be designed to handle loads and forces expected. The project goal is 100% fall protection.
- Employee training and enforcement of these requirements are mandatory to assure an effective program.

13.10 Scaffolding

All scaffolds and work platforms shall be constructed to meet the requirements of OSHA 1926.451 and ANSI A10.8. Some program elements include but are not limited to:

- User training for all employees who may use scaffolds;
- Scaffolding is to be designed and erected by competent person(s) following manufacturer's guidelines. Employees must use fall protection when erecting scaffolding;
- Daily inspection by competent person. Must implement daily tag system to document inspection;
- Must have engineering approval for scaffolds above 100 feet in height;
- Must be able to document competent person credentials; and
- Scaffolds must have proper egress (ladder/stairs) and should have guardrails, complete deck, toe boards and netting if anything can fall on people below. If guardrails or decking is not complete, fall protection must be used.

13.11 Cranes and Other Lifting Devices

- Trained and experienced operators shall operate Cranes in accordance with the applicable OSHA and ANSI/ASME.
- The Contractor is responsible for ensuring that the crane is properly sized for the job and that all required inspections and maintenance required by 051-IA and ANSI/ASME standards have been conducted.
- All cranes should have anti-two block devices installed and operational. Cranes lifting employees in personnel baskets must have an anti-two block device to stops the crane if this condition occurs (positive acting).
- Tag lines are required to secure materials while being moved or handled by cranes.
- All cranes working in the vicinity of overhead power lines shall be grounded and be equipped with proximity guards.
- A lift plan must be submitted for all lifts that exceed 20,000 pounds or 75% of the crane's lift capacity. This plan must be reviewed and approved by the Contractor.

- Slings, hooks, and other lifting devices must be inspected on regular basis and stored properly.

13.12 Use of Personnel Baskets

- Personnel baskets should only be used as the last practical means after documenting that all other means are unacceptable.
- The personnel basket must be manufactured, tested, and used in accordance with OSHA 1926.550. The crane lifting the basket must also meet OSHA requirements.

13.13 Personal Lifts with Articulating Booms (Jig) and Scissors Lifts

- Operators must be trained in the safe operation of the lift including daily inspection procedures prior to use.
- Operators of JLG lifts must wear a full body harness with shock absorbing lanyard and be tied off while the lift is operation. Operators in a scissors lift must use fall protection anytime the guardrail system removed or altered.

13.14 Ladders*

- Ladders are acceptable means of access when used in compliance with OSHA 1926.1053.
- Ladders must be in good repair, have safety feet and be inspected.
- Extension ladders must be either held by an employee on the ground or tied off at the top.
- Homemade ladders not meeting OSHA requirements should not be used.
- Non-conducting ladders are required for electrical work.
- Fall protection is encouraged for employees working on ladders especially if they will be leaning and turning in their work activities.

13.15 Tools and Equipment

All tools and equipment used on the project must be in a safe operating condition, with all guards in place, and must meet or exceed all governmental regulations (OSHA, EPA, DOT, etc.). Tools and equipment must be maintained, inspected, tested, and used in accordance with OSHA regulations.

13.16 Compressed Gas Cylinders*

- Compressed gas cylinders must be used, stored, and transported in accordance with OSHA requirements, DOT requirements, and Compressed Gas Association standards.
- Fuel and oxygen cylinders must be stored separately or separated in accordance with the appropriate code.
- Compressed gas cylinders are not allowed inside confined spaces.

13.17 Welding, Burning, and Cutting*

- The Contractor's program must meet or exceed OSHA and NFPA requirements.
- All flammables must be removed from work area and a fire watch posted in area until 30 minutes after the job is completed.

- At a minimum a 10 LB ABC rated fire extinguisher must be available in the immediate work area.
- Regulators must be in good working order and must have anti-flash back and check valves.
- Welding shields and burning goggles must be used.

13.18 Sanitation and Housekeeping*

- The project site shall have an adequate number of portable toilets and hand washing facilities.
- The project site must establish a housekeeping plan that includes daily site clean-up and trash and debris removal.

13.19 Hearing Conservation*

The Contractor and each Sub-Contractor who has employees exposed to noise levels exceeding 85 dBA must establish a hearing conservation program that meets or exceeds OSHA requirements. Minimum program elements include audiometric testing, noise monitoring, use of hearing protectors, and employee training.

13.20 Respiratory Protection

The Contractor and each Sub-Contractor who has employees who wear respiratory protection must implement a respiratory protection program that meets or exceeds OSHA requirements. Minimum program elements include risk based respirator selection, medical surveillance, employee training, respirator fit testing, and written operating procedures.

14.0 SPECIALIZED SAFETY PROGRAM ELEMENTS

If required by the project scope of work and specific work site or activities, specialized programs listed below shall be included in the Contractor's Safety Program submittal. The Contractor is required to implement the required programs and assure that they meet or exceed all contractual, regulatory and Fulton County's requirements applicable. Details for specific program elements may be included in the contract documents,

- 14.1 Asbestos Removal
- 14.2 Lead Based Paint Removal
- 14.3 Exposure Assessment and Employee Monitoring (Industrial Hygiene)
- 14.4 Hazardous Waste Operations and Training
- 14.5 Overhead Power Lines
- 14.6 Locating underground utilities
- 14.7 Dust Control
- 14.8 Guarding for floor holes and roof openings
- 14.9 Heavy Equipment, Truck and Earth Moving Equipment requirements
- 14.10 Environmental Requirements

15.0 ROAD AND TRANSPORTATION SAFETY REQUIREMENTS

The Contractor shall implement the following into its safety program whether required by the contract or any other authority having jurisdiction if required to perform the work and maintain vehicular and pedestrian traffic safety:

- 15.1 Barricades and Cones
- 15.2 Traffic and Warning Signs
- 15.3 Traffic control devices
- 15.4 Equipment and materials storage
- 15.5 Reflective Clothing and other personal protective equipment
- 15.6 Excavation and road hole protection
- 15.7 Erosion protection
- 15.8 Trained flaggers

16.0 ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS TO PROTECT THE GENERAL PUBLIC

Based on the Contractor's scope of work and specific work activities or location the Contractor may be required to implement the following into its safety program to protect the general public:

- 16.1 Fencing and other measures for site security
- 16.2 Warning, direction and no trespassing signs
- 16.3 Alternate public walk ways
- 16.4 Protection of the public from overhead and other construction hazards
- 16.5 Site Traffic Control
- 16.6 Barricading off hazardous areas and open pits and holes

Job Safety Analysis Worksheet Example and Information

Job Safety Analysis Job Pre-Planning Worksheet

Job Name and #:		Completed By:
Date:	Phase/Operation:	
Task	Hazard	Control

EXHIBIT 2

CONTRACTOR RULES AND REGULATIONS

**Fulton County
Justice Center Tower
Atlanta, GA 30303**

CONTRACTOR RULES AND REGULATIONS

The purpose of these Contractor Rules and Regulations is to provide additional resources when working at the Fulton County Justice Center Tower in downtown Atlanta, GA.

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CONTRACTOR RULES AND REGULATIONS

This document covers in detail how the Contractor is to handle most situations encountered during construction.

1. AIR BALANCE REPORTS

If the Property Manager or Chief Engineer deems necessary, where partitions are installed, moved, removed or altered, which can affect airflow, air supply requirements shall be supplied and an air balance check performed at completion of work to ensure proper airflow.

Prior to the commencement of any air balancing work, the mechanical contractor shall request HVAC design specifications for the building. The Contractor must also provide a detailed summary of the proposed work along with a full set of mechanical plans for review prior to the start of the construction.

Contractor, at the completion of the installation work, shall balance and adjust all air moving equipment and air distribution equipment to within ten (10) percent of the design CFM's and submit a full balancing report. Air balance reports will be submitted prior to final acceptance and release. The air balance contractor shall be certified by the National Environmental Balancing Bureau.

2. BLINDS AND DRAPERIES

During construction, the Contractor shall protect the existing window treatment, i.e., shades/blinds/draperies, so as not to damage them, their appearance or proper operation. All blinds must be clean, in proper working order and properly re-installed at the conclusion of the tenant improvements.

3. BUILDING EQUIPMENT

The loan to Contractor of building equipment is discouraged by property management.

4. BUILDING TIE-INS

Any connections or "tie-ins" that are made to the building systems (plumbing, mechanical, electrical, fire alarm, sprinkler, etc.) must be coordinated with the Property Manager and Chief Engineer in advance.

The Contractor must provide advance written notice to Property Management and Chief Engineer 48 hours or two business days, whichever is greater, in advance for all "tie-in" work.

Building Tie-ins request can be sent via email to Charles.Lyons@fultoncountyga.gov or Vijay.Nair@fultoncountyga.gov.

Authorization for building “tie-ins” that have the potential to impact building operations may have a longer lead time and will be discussed at the pre-construction meeting. Property Management will determine the best time of the day for all building tie-ins that have the potential to impact other building operations.

5. CARPET

Prior to demolition, if carpet is to remain in suite, it is to be protected by a heavy plastic cover and cleaned daily at the end of each work; otherwise it should be removed, stored and re-laid. Additionally, public area corridor carpet is to be protected by plastic runners or a series of walk-off mats from elevator to suite under reconstruction (including carpet in the elevators) and must be cleaned daily as well.

All construction areas that impede or are accessed through public areas will be cleaned daily to meet the standards of a Class “A” office building. If cleanup beyond vacuuming is required daily, the Property Manager will meet with the Contractor to address the matter. The cost of this additional cleaning will be an expense to the Contractor.

6. CONCRETE CUTTING and CORE DRILLING REQUIREMENTS

Prior to any concrete cutting/drilling, a plan must be submitted to the Property Manager, Project Manager and/or Chief Engineer for review showing the proposed extent of slab removal. The plan may also include the following information when requested.

1. Dimensions showing the length and the width of the slab removal.
2. The slab removal shall not begin until the proposed slab removal plan is approved by the building’s structural engineer when designated by the Property or Project Manager.
3. There shall not be any overcutting of the concrete slab during slab removal.
4. All corners or intersecting saw cuts shall be core drilled.
5. The contractor is responsible for repair work associated with all overcutting.
6. The extent of the repair will be as required and approved by the Property or Project Manager.
7. The Contractor shall, prior to any cutting, x-ray the existing concrete to familiarize himself with existing conditions. All films are to be available for the structural engineer to review and all floor penetration locations are to be marked for review by the structural engineer prior to removal when required by the Property or Project Manager.
8. The Property Manager must be notified at least seventy-two (72) hours prior to commencement of work.

The Property and/or Project Manager will discuss these requirements as well as provide copies of the required work permits at the pre-construction meeting. Property Management will determine

the best time of the day for all concrete cutting work that will have the potential to impact building operations.

7. CONCRETE DEMOLITION/POURING & SCHEDULING

All structural work must be approved by the building's designated structural engineer, prior to starting structural work when required by the Property or Project Manager.

Jack hammering and/or hammer drilling must be approved Property Management prior to scheduling work. The Contractor must provide advance notice to Property Management 48 hours or two business days, whichever is greater, in advance for all concrete demolition/pouring work. Notice must be in written form and must be 48 hours or two business days whichever is greater in advance for all concrete work.

Contractor shall be responsible to repair any existing construction that may be damaged as the result of demolition and will be financially responsible for any additional operating expense incurred who may be affected by the damage.

Authorization for concrete demolition/pouring that has the potential to impact other building operations may have a longer lead time and will be discussed at the pre-construction meeting. Property Management will discuss these requirements as well as provide copies of the required work permits at the pre-construction meeting between the Contractor and Property Management. All approved designated times for this work will be determined by Property Management.

Final structural engineer approval is required prior to scheduling concrete pouring when required by the Property Manager. All concrete specifications are to meet existing base building design conditions.

8. CONDENSATION DRAIN LINES

Condensation drain lines from A/C units must be labeled and piped to a wet stack and not to a sink.

9. CONSTRUCTION INSPECTIONS

Contractor is to perform a thorough inspection of all common areas prior to construction to document any existing building deficiencies. Upon completion of work, contractor shall return these areas to match the original condition in which they were originally viewed. Any damages caused by the Contractor shall be corrected at the cost of the Contractor.

10. DATA SHEETS

The Contractor must submit to Property Management and Chief Engineer a manufacturer's data sheet for any major electrical or mechanical equipment to be installed and tied into base building systems.

Copies of all Operations & Maintenance documents are to be submitted with the as-built plans to the Project Manager along with any associated Material Safety Data Sheets.

11. DELIVERIES & ACCESS TO JOB SITE

Contractor's personnel must not access any floors other than the ones where they are assigned to work. Any large deliveries, removal of materials, activities affecting the operations of the building, or access to electrical or telephone closets must be coordinated through the Property and/or Project Manager with minimum two-day advance notice.

Carrying tools and equipment on the passenger elevators and in lobbies will require special permission by the Property Manager. The Contractor will be provided access to the freight elevator to be used for deliveries. Extended use of freight elevators must be coordinated with the Property Manager.

Contractors must use the freight elevator for all deliveries and movement through the building. Construction workers are not allowed to enter or exit the building through the lobby except when required by or permitted by the Sheriff Department. The loading dock area entry must be used at all times. Since the ability to move material is dependent on the final destination floor of the material and the height dimension of the service doors and freight elevator, Property Management and Project Manager request that all contractors conduct a pre-delivery route inspection at the time of the pre-construction meeting.

All deliveries will be made through the loading dock unless otherwise approved by the Property Manager. All deliveries will either be made by a scheduled appointment through the Property Manager or Project Manager 48 hours or two business days, whichever is greater, in advance of the anticipated delivery date.

It is the Contractor's responsibility to verify what size vehicles can be accommodated in the loading dock. Any damage to the loading dock caused by negligence or the lack of proper due diligence by the tenant's Contractor will be the responsibility of the Contractor to repair. Parking in the loading dock is not allowed. Blocking the building's dumpster is prohibited.

Vehicles are prohibited from idling in the loading dock. The engines of all vehicles entering the loading dock must be turned off immediately following entrance (except when lift gates are in operation) and contractors must exit the dock immediately after turning on an engine.

12. LOADING DOCK RULES AND REGULATIONS

The loading dock area, which is accessed from Mitchell Street, serves the office portions of the building. Strict adherence to these Contractor Rules and Regulations is required to ensure the most efficient management and cooperative use of the loading dock.

The loading dock operation will commence at 6:00 a.m. and will close down each evening at 5:00 p.m., Monday thru Friday, excluding observed holidays. The dock access is controlled by the Security Guard on duty.

No delivery through the Loading Dock will exceed the maximum allotted time of 30 minutes unless scheduled ahead of time. All large-scale deliveries (i.e., furniture moves, electronics deliveries, large inventory deliveries) and all after-hours deliveries must be scheduled with the Property Management office. The advance notice requirement for construction material is at least 48 hours or 2 business days, whichever is greater, in advance for deliveries. Special deliveries of this nature that have not been pre-scheduled will be turned away.

Upon arrival to the dock, before any delivery commences, all delivery personnel must sign in with the Security Guard and produce valid identification. Additional information required will be name, company they are representing, time in, anticipated delivery time, and tenant in whose name delivery is being made.

Under no circumstances will the loading dock be used for storage of items to be picked up or for temporary storage. Contractor shall become familiar with the Building, with special attention to the size and capacity of the freight elevator and any other building system, building access, utilities, or any other element of the facility, which may present a limitation to the construction process proposed by Contractor.

13. INSURANCE

Refer to the Contract Documents for additional information on Insurance requirements.

14. DUCT WORK

The base building HVAC system shall contain a ducted supply and return air system to maintain occupant comfort. All HVAC work must conform to building design criteria and be approved by the Chief Engineer.

15. DUMPSTERS

The Contractor is responsible for the removal and hauling of trash and construction debris. Trash dumpsters may be placed after 7:00 a.m. on Saturday and must be removed by 6:00 a.m. Monday morning, and weeknights after 6:00 p.m. and must be removed before 6:00 a.m. The location of the dumpster is to be determined by Property Management and Contractor must obtain Property Manager's approval before placing dumpster. The building compactor cannot be used for any construction trash. No trash shall be left anywhere in the building (including elevators and freight vestibules) at any time. Any damage caused by the placement, use, servicing or removal of dumpsters will be the responsibility of the Contractor and repairs to Property Management's satisfaction.

16. DUSTY WORK

Activities that create excessive dust (i.e., sheet rock cutting, sanding, etc.), or smoke (i.e., burning or welding), or noise (drilling, saw-cutting) must be coordinated with Property Management with 48 hours prior written notice and must be performed between the hours of 8:00 pm and 6:00 am. Notice must be in written form by way of the Work Permit and must be sent 48 hours or two business days, whichever is greater, in advance for all dusty work. All areas that are impacted by the dusty work including but not limited to telecom rooms, electrical room, mechanical rooms, stairwells, etc. will be the responsibility of the Contractor to clean on a regular basis.

Authorization for dusty work that may have the potential to impact other building operations may have a longer lead time and will be discussed at the pre-construction meeting.

In areas where there will be dust generated, it is the Contractor's responsibility to bag the smoke detectors in the area prior to commencing work and remove the bags at the end of the day.

Prior to starting work on any floor, Contractor shall replace existing HVAC filters with a set of pre-approved filters (specification to be supplied by Chief Engineer) that prevent dust from entering the HVAC ducting and replace with new filters at the conclusion of the project.

See also: Welding and Soldering

17. EMERGENCY PROCEDURES

All Contractor personnel are to be familiar with emergency procedures and are required to follow instructions of the Floor Fire Warden, including fire drills.

18. EXISTING BUILDING EQUIPMENT AND FIXTURES

The Contractor will be responsible for repairing any existing building equipment and fixtures damaged as a result of alteration work. This includes ceiling tiles, barrier paper system, light fixtures, carpet, elevators, walls, floors, doors, induction units, grilles, registers and any other fixtures not specifically mentioned. If alteration work requires the relocation of space temperature sensors, thermostats or other building equipment, such relocation will be solely at the Contractor's expense.

It is the Contractor's responsibility to provide Masonite to protect common area floor when bringing in materials and to remove it at the end of each workday.

It is the Contractor's responsibility to protect all core areas on the floors being worked: covering existing doors and walls, not accessing restrooms, and protecting other completed finishes and equipment. The disassembly of door props and door closures are not authorized.

19. FIRE STOPPING MATERIALS

OSHA-approved fire stopping materials are required for any wall, floor, or ceiling penetrations. Any breach of existing materials is required to be resealed by same products. Any penetration through Fire Rated partitions/floors must be pre-approved by the Property Manager and caulked using approved Fire Caulking

20. FLAMMABLES

Contractor must file MSDS sheets for all chemicals used during construction with the Property Manager, prior to performing the work. In addition, flammable liquids should be stored in and dispensed from approved safety cans, flammable rags must be stored in airtight containers, and flammable liquid dispensers of the plunger type should be used for wiping cloths.

21. FOOD & DRINK

All food and drinks are to be consumed only in designated contractor eating areas. No food or drinks are to be carried on passenger elevators, over carpet, or in employee break rooms, or finished office space.

22. HOURS

Building

Property Management must be notified, in advance per the time frames included in the pertinent sections of this document, of any work that may disrupt normal business operations, (i.e., drilling or cutting of the concrete floor slab, use of nail guns, electric saws). Property Management reserves the right to determine what construction work is considered inappropriate for normal business hours and to issue a stop-work order upon receipt of complaint/concern by other occupants in the building.

Engineering

The Engineering staff's hours are from 7:30 a.m. until 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. All after-hours work must be coordinated through the Property Manager and/or Chief Engineer.

23. HOUSEKEEPING

All trash must be removed from the windowsills, including but not limited to lunch, trade tools, and equipment. All lunch trash must be disposed of by the Contractor at the end of each work day. The Contractor must remove all trash by way of the freight elevator. All trash removal times will be coordinated with Property Management at the pre-construction meeting.

All clean up and trash removal from the building premises is the sole responsibility of the Contractor. The building dumpster will not be used for construction debris.

The Contractor shall be responsible for cleaning the interior of the windows and sills prior to substantial completion. All common areas used by the Contractor are to be cleaned and vacuumed at the end of each workday. Contractor shall keep its work area, including the loading area, in an orderly condition.

The premises must be secured and the doors to the work area, mechanical and electrical rooms, and stairwells must be closed and the lights turned off at the end of each day. Upon construction completion, the Contractor shall remove all debris and surplus material and thoroughly clean the area.

24. ISOLATION VALVES

Equipment isolation valves shall be installed on all A/C units to facilitate maintenance and to allow the unit to be removed without interfering with the building operation as approved by the Chief Engineer. Contractor must include adequate provision for maintenance access at any isolation valves they may install.

25. KEYS AND ACCESS PASSES

When necessary to perform the Work, Contractor may be issued a key/access pass to existing mechanical/electrical equipment spaces (and other spaces as required) by the Property Management or designed representative. These keys/passes shall be returned at the end of each work period for which they are issued, and reissued on succeeding days, if necessary.

The fee for lost keys is \$25.00 and for a lost access card is \$100.00. Said fee is due and payable within five days of billing.

26. LIFE SAFETY SYSTEMS

Contractor, under no circumstances, will be allowed to disconnect, tamper with, delete, obstruct, relocate or add-on any life safety, fire detection, notification suppression unit or devices, except as indicated on the drawings approved by the Fire Department Authority having jurisdiction.

Any work involving the building's sprinkler or life safety systems must be arranged in advance through the Property Manager, Project Manager and/or Chief Engineer. The system must be back in operation at the end of the workday. Under no circumstances shall the sprinkler or fire alarm system be left inoperative overnight without a fire watch approved by AHJ.

All work that may, in any way, affect the main building fire alarm system and/or building operations must be noted on the Work Permit and communicated through the Property Manager. Management reserves the right to require additional security measures in the event of repeated false alarms.

Contractor must assist the Property Manager and/or Fulton County Safety Officer in preparing "System Impairment Notification" to Fulton County's Insurance Carrier prior to disabling any

Fire Alarm or Fire Suppression component in the building. Such notifications must be promptly removed when impairment situation is resolved.

Permits for "Hot Work" are to be obtained from Property Management. All "Hot Work" (cutting, welding, and soldering) is to be performed only after a Work Permit has been obtained for the particular area or job and the following is provided: (i) fire extinguishers, (ii) non-combustible covering, (iii) screening of arc welding operations, (iv) smoke detection system disconnected, and (v) posting of Permit in conspicuous location.

All fire protections systems, including sprinklers, must be fully operational at night unless previously arranged by Work Permit with Property Management.

One half hour before systems are reactivated, Contractor shall notify the Security Supervisor and Property Management.

Fire Alarm Voice Annunciation Speakers will not be removed, disconnected or relocated without permission of Property Management. Requests to do any work interfering with this system must be expressed to Property Management in writing by Contractor with 48 hours or two business days, whichever is greater. Contractor in turn must have written response from Property Management only, before any work is permitted.

Contractor shall arrange with Property Management for protection of all fire alarm devices. All sprinkler/fire system work including testing or inspection of the fire alarm system or the sprinkler system must be coordinated with Property Management upon 72 hours' written notice.

Contractor must not block fire exits or fire corridors or use these areas for storage.

27. NEW-HEATING, VENTILATION AND AIR CONDITIONING

All new HVAC equipment installed must have a service disconnect located within sight of the unit when required by the Chief Engineer. Gauges and thermometers must be installed in both the supply and return airside and waterside of new equipment when required by the Chief Engineer. Copies of all required balancing reports must be submitted to Property Management and Chief Engineer.

28. NOISE/ODORS

The floors above and below the area of contract work may be occupied. Contractor shall exercise reasonable restraint and control of work to minimize noise and spread of odors. Contractor shall execute the work in its Contract as quickly as practical to avoid unnecessary disturbances to occupants within the premises.

Contractor is only permitted to perform work that produces an odor (e.g., use of cleaners, stains, paints, adhesives) during normal business hours upon written notice to and prior approval by Property Manager so building air systems can be adjusted. Contractor must use chemicals (including paints, thinner, cleaning liquids) of low Volatile Organic Content (Low VOC) and must have readily available the MSDS related to the chemical used. Contractor will include

temporary ventilation and/or other safety measures as necessary to protect work crew, tenants, and the public.

29. NOISY WORK

Property Management must be notified 48 hours in advance of any work that may disrupt normal business operations (e.g., drilling or cutting of the concrete floor slab, placing studs for party-wall drywall), as outlined in the project schedule.

Contractor shall identify in weekly progress meetings upcoming work which may be noisy. Property Management may be forced to stop excessive noisy work for the duration of the work day.

Any operation that cause noise such as drilling, saw cutting, hammering, etc will not be allowed during normal courthouse operating hours. Such operations will be allowed only on weekends or after 5PM on working days.

Should Property Management receive complaints from tenants in other building in the complex due to noisy operations, Contractor's on-site representative will meet with the Property Manager and work out an alternate schedule.

30. NON-CONSTRUCTION AREAS & NORMAL LIMITS OF OPERATIONS

The Contractor is totally responsible to protect existing finishes, furniture, etc. for any work necessary in an occupied or unoccupied space. Damages in these spaces or in the common areas or elevators will be the sole responsibility of the Contractor. Repairs will be done to the reasonable satisfaction of Property Management. If those reasonable repairs are not made, Property Management will cause the repairs to be made and the cost of doing so will be charged to the Contractor.

Contractor's normal limit of operations shall be confined within the Limits of Work Area as designated on the approved drawings.

The Contractor will prohibit his unauthorized personnel and visitors from using other areas.

Property Management, its consultants, and other contractors performing work within these Limits of Work Areas shall be allowed regular access through security as necessary for construction to proceed at pre-scheduled time (except as may be restricted by Property Management as noted above).

When it becomes necessary for Contractor to work in areas other than the work area, at least 24 hours' written notice shall be given to Property Management.

It is the Contractor's responsibility to ensure that all work shall be done in accordance with O.S.H.A. regulations, all applicable city, state and federal building codes.

31. OTHER CONTRACTORS

Contractor is hereby notified there may be other contractors working in the Building. Some of these contractors may be affiliated with labor unions and some will not. It is Contractor's responsibility to maintain a harmonious relationship between his employees, his subcontractors, and subcontractor's employees in the entire building.

Contractor will be notified in writing if his employees in any way impede the work of any contract within the building within 24 hours. If the situation is not corrected immediately, Contractor's employees will be removed from the premises.

32. OUTAGES

Any outages affecting areas outside of the Limits of Work Areas shall be noted no later than the pre-construction meeting. Any requests by the Property Manager or Chief Engineer for additional information, communication or meetings will be honored by Contractor.

Utility (electric, water, gas or oil) and service outages shall be kept to a minimum and will be permitted only with a Work Permit issued. All requests for outages shall be made in writing 72 hours in advance of their need. There will need to be an exception for emergency situations.

Requests for outages will not be considered unless they include the identification of all areas that will be affected by the proposed outage.

33. OWNER'S REPRESENTATIVES AND MANAGEMENT

Contractor shall abide by the directions of the Property Manager and/or the Chief Engineer in matters affecting the operation, safety and security of the premises, its employees, and its visitors.

Contractor shall abide by all directions in matters affecting HVAC systems, fire safety, and fire prevention measures.

All oral instructions given to Contractor's Superintendent by Property Manager and Chief Engineer shall be implemented by Contractor's Superintendent within a reasonable time.

All personnel employed by Contractor, including subcontractors and their employees, shall be instructed by Contractor to abide by all published regulations, and all directives of Property Management.

34. PARKING

There is no parking allowed in the loading dock area or other designated parking areas by contractors unless authorized by Property Management. Any unauthorized vehicles blocking the loading dock or other designated parking areas will be towed. Property Management will arrange parking guidelines at the pre-construction meeting.

35. PERSONNEL ID AND DAILY SIGN IN/SIGN OUT

Contractor ID Badges

All contractors shall wear I.D. badges or uniforms showing company name.

The identification badges shall be conspicuously fixed to outer garments above elbow level and issued by Property Management for the duration of the project, upon completion of work, the badge will be returned.

Any of Contractor's personnel or subcontractor's personnel who do not comply with this requirement at all times will be denied access to the Building or will be escorted off the premises, failure to comply with this requirement will be reported to the Contractor's on-site representative and Project Manager

Badges are to be returned to Contractor's Superintendent at the end of that person's need for a badge. Contractor shall notify Security Supervisor should anyone no longer be authorized to work on site and who has not returned their badge and shall keep a list of unauthorized badge numbers on hand at the check-in point for the job site.

Sign In and Out

The Contractor will submit a log of personnel working in the Building by 10:00 a.m. each day to the Security Supervisor.

Personnel List

Contractor will provide Security Supervisor and Property Management with a complete list of all Contractor and subcontractor personnel authorized to access the job site. The list shall contain full name, company, phone number, and floors authorized for access. The list must be kept updated, as only listed personnel will be allowed access to the job site. All changes must be made in writing to the Security Supervisor 8 hours prior to new personnel accessing the site.

36. PERMITS

City Permits

All permits pertaining to the job must be posted in a conspicuous place in the construction office. A copy of the permit must also be submitted to Property Management prior to any work being performed.

37. PHONES

Contractor needs to provide their own construction phones. The building has no phones, pay or otherwise, available to the Contractor.

38. PIPING

All piping in proper sizes, including sinks, kitchen units, water closets, water heater and condensation piping should be copper (use of plastic pipe in plenum ceilings is strictly prohibited).

39. POSTING OF RULES & REGULATIONS

A copy of these Rules and Regulations acknowledged and accepted by the Contractor shall be posted on the job site for all parties to observe. Contractor is responsible for instructing all of his personnel, subcontractors and suppliers to comply with these regulations.

40. PROBLEMS, DISRUPTIONS, ALTERATIONS

All problems, disruptions, and emergency alterations must be reported to the Property Manager/Chief Engineer at 410-547-3500.

41. SAFETY, GENERAL GUIDELINES

Adequate measures should be taken to protect building employees, visitors and occupants from construction activities and hazards, such as: blocking off area, proper handling of materials, storage of same removal of building debris and general good housekeeping practices.

42. SECURITY

Contractor personnel are required to be on-site for off-hour material deliveries.

Upon request by Building Security, contractors may be required to submit to an inspection of bags, boxes, and other items leaving the building.

43. SERVICING OF MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT

No walls or ceilings shall be installed that inhibit the access to a variable air volume terminal unit. The unit shall be relocated or an additional unit installed on the opposite side of the wall. In addition, no walls shall be constructed across a ceiling light fixture, which would inhibit changing of lamps or servicing the light fixtures when necessary. At the conclusion of the project, it is the Contractor's responsibility to ensure that access to all building equipment is available. If access panels will be required to access building equipment, then it is the responsibility of the Contractor to install such access panels.

44. SIGNAGE

Contractor or subcontractor signage may not be displayed in the building common areas or on any of the window glass.

45. SMOKING

This is a Non-Smoking building. Please be aware that the penalty for not abiding by this regulation is dismissal from the site. Please notify your subcontractors, suppliers, and any other persons expected to use the site of this Fulton County policy. (Refer FC Policy Number 300-4 attached)

Smoking will be allowed in the areas outside of the 25 feet radius requirement of the building entrances, outdoor air intakes and any building penetrations that may provide outside air to the building.

46. STAIRWELLS

Contractor shall coordinate all work in stairwells with Property Manager with special attention to fire issues. Safe egress must be maintained at all times for workers and tenants.

47. SUPERVISOR/GENERAL CONTRACTOR

The Contractor shall furnish a Construction Superintendent for 100% of the job.

All questions are to be directed to the Property Manager and/or Chief Engineer via the Contractor's Construction Superintendent.

The Contractor will be responsible for general protection of the Building in the areas he or his subcontractors use or travel through and for securing the construction area daily.

48. TELEPHONE/ELECTRIC CLOSETS

Common area telephone/electric closets are the property of the building. No telephone/electrical material will be allowed to be stored in these closets.

No device shall be attached to existing telephone/electrical equipment or installed within the telephone/electric closets without written permission from the Property Manager.

Electrical receptacles within the confines of the telephone/electric closet are strictly for telephone equipment and building operations use. Nothing shall be plugged into or unplugged from those receptacles by Contractor.

49. TURNOVER

At the completion of construction and in addition to other Contract requirements, the Contractor shall deliver to Property Management for internal distribution four (4) copies of the following:

- Photocopies of all warranties
- All operating manuals and final specifications
- EMS (Data link for zones) shall be complete

- Labeling (annunciator, panels, etc.) shall be complete
- Complete set of as-built plans including hard and soft copies. Soft copies should be in AutoCad format and PDF format.
- Letter of Compliance relating to fire sprinkler heads.
- Copy of all approved submittals, including finish/color selection chart.
- Attic Stock Materials that are extra (flooring, paint, lights etc) and / or as required in the contract

50. UNUSED MATERIALS

Any and all existing materials removed and not reused in the construction, except as directed by the Property Manager, shall be disposed of by the Contractor as waste or unwanted materials. Contractor shall keep areas outside its demised premises free at all times from waste material, rubbish and debris, and shall remove all material on a daily basis.

51. UTILITY CONSUMPTION

Omitted.

52. UTILITY LINES

Before any drilling, core boring or other structural work is performed; the Contractors will verify the locations of the building's utility lines so as not to damage them. Contractors are required to take all possible precautions to protect utility lines.

53. VALVES

Any domestic, high temperature, chill or condenser water connections made to the building's piping system must have good quality isolation, brass body gate-type valves and adequate system drain valves installed as approved by the Chief Engineer. All valves must be easily accessible and not concealed in a finished ceiling. All valves must be identified through appropriate signages.

54. WALK-OFF MATS

Temporary walk-off mats are to be provided by the Contractor on the public corridor side of entrance doors during construction.

55. WATER AND ELECTRICITY

Water will be furnished to the Contractor without cost, in reasonable quantities for use in construction (exclusive of drinking water).

Electricity shall be supplied to the Contractor through electrical service located and approved by the Chief Engineer. The Contractor shall make all connections, furnish any necessary extensions, and remove same upon completion of work.

56. WELDING AND SOLDERING

The Property Manager and Chief Engineer must be contacted 48 hours prior to use of any welding torches, burning rigs or other heat producing items so that the fire alarm systems can be disabled.

The Contractor must provide advance notice 48 hours or two business days, whichever is greater, in written form by way of a Work Permit for all welding and soldering work. Authorization for welding or soldering work that may have the potential to impact other building operations may have a longer lead time and will be discussed at the pre-construction meeting.

Property Management will discuss these requirements and provide standard form Work Permits at the pre-construction meeting. All approved designated times for this work will be determined by Property Management.

Neither open-flame burning, nor welding, nor arc welding will be permitted without the Contractor having secured an appropriate Work Permit from Property Management. The Property Manager and/or Chief Engineer have the right to stop any work at any time if he or she determines that unsafe conditions may exist. Contractor shall correct all such unsafe conditions as directed and obtain the approval by Property Management of such corrections prior to commencing further work.

Contractor shall keep a portable hand fire extinguisher of the appropriate class within reach at ALL times during welding or burning. Contractor shall also keep all required exit corridors, and the like, clear and unobstructed at all times when working in such areas. All flammable materials shall be removed to a location not closer than 35 feet from all burning and welding operations. All workmen shall be instructed as to the location of the nearest fire alarm device. All fixed flammable items shall be completely covered with fireproof blankets. Arc welding shall be screened from vision of all passers-by.

Contractor shall be required to maintain a "Fire Watch" security effort during, and for a minimum of 30 minutes at, the completion of each welding operation.

57. WINDOWS

During construction, contractor is to make every effort to protect window treatments, and not store tools or materials on the window ledges.

58. WORK SCHEDULES

Property Management will be notified of all work schedules for all workmen on the job and will be advised, in writing, of the names of personnel who may be working in the building before or after standard building operating hours.

59. WORKER CONDUCT

Contractors and subcontractors personnel shall be respectful of occupants, visitors, and building staff and shall not permit its employees to use foul language (FC Policy 100-30 against verbal harassment attached), smoke, exhibit rude behavior, commit vandalism, use alcohol, illegal drugs or exhibit improper appearance. It will be the responsibility of the Contractor to enforce this regulation on a day-to-day basis. Individuals violating this rule will be removed from the building and will not be allowed to return.

Lounging in the elevator or main lobbies or building areas is forbidden.

Contractor Personnel

- Must obey all safety procedures and participate in all drills or other life safety exercises.
- Must wear shirts and shoes at all times.
- Clothing must not display obscene language or graphics.
- Must not access any floor other than the one where they are assigned to work.
- Must not use abusive and offensive language.
- Must not discharge bodily fluids (e.g., spitting or urinating) except in proper facilities
- Shall use only the restrooms designated for Contractor use.
- Must not litter or abuse the designated restrooms.
- Must only eat or drink in assigned areas.

Playing of radios or musical instruments is not permitted in the Building. Use of earphones for playing of radios or other musical listening devices is also prohibited for safety reasons.

Work on occupied floors shall be conducted in such a manner as to cause as little disruption to occupants and building operations as possible.

60. AMENDMENT

Property Management has the sole right to amend these Contractor Rules and Regulations as the situation warrants at any time. Any questions regarding these rules and regulations must be brought to the Property Manager's attention immediately.

EXHIBIT H
PURCHASING FORMS

**STATE OF GEORGIA
COUNTY OF FULTON**

**FORM A: GEORGIA SECURITY AND IMMIGRATION CONTRACTOR AFFIDAVIT
AND AGREEMENT**

By executing this affidavit, the undersigned contractor verifies its compliance with O.C.G.A. 13-10-91, stating affirmatively that the individual, firm or corporation which is engaged in the physical performance of services¹ under a contract with **[insert name of prime contractor]** AQS, INC on behalf of **Fulton County Government** has registered with and is participating in a federal work authorization program*,² in accordance with the applicability provisions and deadlines established in O.C.G.A. 13-10-91.

The undersigned further agrees that, should it employ or contract with any subcontractor(s) in connection with the physical performance of services to this contract with **Fulton County Government**, contractor will secure from such subcontractor(s) similar verification of compliance with O.C.G.A. 13-10-91 on the Subcontractor Affidavit provided in Rule 300-10-01-.08 or a substantially similar form. Contractor further agrees to maintain records of such compliance and provide a copy of each such verification to the **Fulton County Government** at the time the subcontractor(s) is retained to perform such service.

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EEV/Basic Pilot Program* User Identification Number

AQS, INC
BY: Authorized Officer or Agent (Insert Contractor Name)

PRESIDENT
Title of Authorized Officer or Agent of Contractor

ANTON KOTZE
Printed Name of Authorized Officer or Agent

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 12th day of July, 2019.

Notary Public: Norma R. Cochran

County: Gwinnett

Commission Expires: March 8, 2022



¹O.C.G.A. § 13-10-90(4), as amended by Senate Bill 160, provides that "physical performance of services" means the performance of labor or services for a public employer (e.g., Fulton County) using a bidding process (e.g., ITB, RFQ, RFP, etc.) under a contract wherein the labor or services exceed \$2,499.99, except for those individuals licensed pursuant to title 26 or Title 28 by the State Bar of Georgia and is in good standing when such contract is for service to be rendered by such individual.

²*[Any of the electronic verification of work authorization programs operated by the United States Department of Homeland Security or any equivalent federal work authorization program operated by the United States Department of Homeland Security to verify information of newly hired employees, pursuant to the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986 (IRCA), P.L. 99-603].

**STATE OF GEORGIA
COUNTY OF FULTON**

FORM B: GEORGIA SECURITY AND IMMIGRATION SUBCONTRACTOR AFFIDAVIT

By executing this affidavit, the undersigned subcontractor verifies its compliance with O.C.G.A. 13-10-91, stating affirmatively that the individual, firm or corporation which is engaged in the physical performance of services³ under a contract with **[insert name of prime contractor]** _____ behalf of **Fulton County Government** has registered with and is participating in a federal work authorization program*,⁴ in accordance with the applicability provisions and deadlines established in O.C.G.A. 13-10-91.

EEV/Basic Pilot Program* User Identification Number

BY: Authorized Officer of Agent
(Insert Subcontractor Name)

Title of Authorized Officer or Agent of Subcontractor

Printed Name of Authorized Officer or Agent

Sworn to and subscribed before me,

This _____ day of _____, 20____

(Notary Public)

(Seal)

Commission Expires: _____
(Date)

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Form C: OFFEROR'S DISCLOSURE FORM AND QUESTIONNAIRE

1. Please provide the names and business addresses of each of the Offeror's firm's officers and directors.

For the purposes of this form, the term "Offeror" means an entity that responds to a solicitation for a County contract by either submitting a proposal in response to a Request for Proposal or a Request for Qualification or a Bid in response to an Invitation to Bid. Describe accurately, fully and completely, their respective relationships with said Offeror, including their ownership interests and their anticipated role in the management and operations of said Offeror.

1. Anton Kotze – President – 50% ownership – Manages with Tommy Gwaltney (previous owner and employee) the day to day operations of the business.
2. Shannon Kotze – Secretary – 50% ownership – Collaborates to create growth and corporate strategies.

Corporate Address: 2594 Winslow Dr Atlanta, GA 30305

Business Address: 5925 Peachtree Cors East Norcross, GA 30071

2. Please describe the general development of said Offeror's business during the past five (5) years, or such shorter period of time that said Offeror has been in business.

Anton and Shannon bought Air Quality Systems from Tommy Gwaltney in March of 2019. Through the acquisition, they were able to retain all of the employees, including the previous owner, Tommy Gwaltney.

Under Tommy's leadership, the company has continued to grow its commercial relationships with major Atlanta companies, and well established mechanical contractors. Tommy has had these relationship for more than 30 years and his name is synonymous with duct cleaning nationwide. Both Anton and Tommy felt that Anton's relationships in commercial real estate, and life long career in asset management, could only benefit the already strong foundation that Tommy has created.

3. Please state whether any employee, agent or representative of said Offeror who is or will be directly involved in the subject project has or had within the last five (5) years: (i) directly or indirectly had a business relationship with Fulton County; (ii) directly or indirectly received revenues from Fulton County; or (iii) directly or indirectly receives revenues from the result of conducting business on Fulton County property or pursuant to any contract with Fulton County. Please describe in detail any such relationship.

Air Quality Systems has completed from time to time over that last 20 years many duct cleaning assignments for many branches of Fulton County.

LITIGATION DISCLOSURE:

Failure to fully and truthfully disclose the information required, may result in the disqualification of your bid or proposal from consideration or termination of the Contract, once awarded.

1. Please state whether any of the following events have occurred in the last five (5) years with respect to said Offeror. If any answer is yes, explain fully the following:

- (a) whether a petition under the federal bankruptcy laws or state insolvency laws was filed by or against said Offeror, or a receiver fiscal agent or similar officer was appointed by a court for the business or property of said Offeror;

Circle One: YES ☒

- (b) whether Offeror was subject of any order, judgment, or decree not subsequently reversed, suspended or vacated by any court of competent jurisdiction, permanently enjoining said Offeror from engaging in any type of business practice, or otherwise eliminating any type of business practice; and

Circle One: YES ☒

- (c) whether said Offeror's business was the subject of any civil or criminal proceeding in which there was a final adjudication adverse to said or Offeror, which directly arose from activities conducted by the business unit or corporate division of said Offeror which submitted a bid or proposal for the subject project. If so please explain.

Circle One: YES ☒

2. Have you or any member of your firm or team to be assigned to this engagement ever been indicted or convicted of a criminal offense within the last five (5) years?

Circle One: YES ☒

3. Have you or any member of your firm or team been terminated (for cause or otherwise) from any work being performed for Fulton County or any other Federal, State or Local Government?

Circle One: YES ☒

4. Have you or any member of your firm or team been involved in any claim or litigation adverse to Fulton County or any other federal, state or local government, or private entity during the last three (3) years?

Circle One: YES ☒

5. Has any Offeror, member of Offeror's team, or officer of any of them (with respect to any matter involving the business practices or activities of his or her employer), been notified within the five (5) years preceding the date of this offer that any of them are the target of a criminal investigation, grand jury investigation, or civil enforcement proceeding?

Circle One: YES ☒

If you have answered "YES" to any of the above questions, please indicate the name(s) of the person(s), the nature, and the status and/or outcome of the information, indictment, conviction, termination, claim or litigation, the name of the court and the file or reference number of the case, as applicable. Any such information should be provided on a separate page, attached to this form and submitted with your proposal.

NOTE: If any response to any question set forth in this questionnaire has been disclosed in any other document, a response may be made by attaching a copy of such disclosure. (For example, said Offeror's most recent filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") may be provided if they are responsive to certain items within the questionnaire.) However, for purposes of clarity, Offeror should correlate its responses with the exhibits by identifying the exhibit and its relevant text.

Disclosures must specifically address, completely respond and comply with all information requested and fully answer all questions requested by Fulton County. Such disclosure must be submitted at the time of the bid or proposal submission and included as a part of the bid/proposal submitted for this project. Disclosure is required for Offerors, joint venture partners and first-tier subcontractors.

Failure to provide required disclosure, submit officially signed and notarized documents or respond to any and all information requested/required by Fulton County can result in the bid/proposal declared as non-responsive. This document must be completed and included as a part of the bid/proposal package along with other required documents.

[SIGNATURES ON NEXT PAGE]

Under penalty of perjury, I declare that I have examined this questionnaire and all attachments hereto, if applicable, to the best of my knowledge and belief, and all statements contained hereto are true, correct, and complete.

On this 12 day of July, 2019

AQS, Inc. 7.12.19
(Legal Name of Proponent) (Date)

[Signature] 7.12.19
(Signature of Authorized Representative) (Date)

PRESIDENT
(Title)

Sworn to and subscribed before me,

This 12th day of July, 2019

Norma R Cochran
(Notary Public) (Seal)

Commission Expires March 8, 2022
(Date)



FORM D: GEORGIA PROFESSIONAL LICENSE CERTIFICATION

NOTE: Please complete this form for the work your firm will perform on this project.

Contractor's Name: Air Quality Systems, Inc.

Performing work as: Prime Contractor X Subcontractor/Sub-Consultant

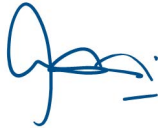
Professional License Type: Conditioned Air Restricted

Professional License Number: CR108037

Expiration Date of License: 11/30/2019

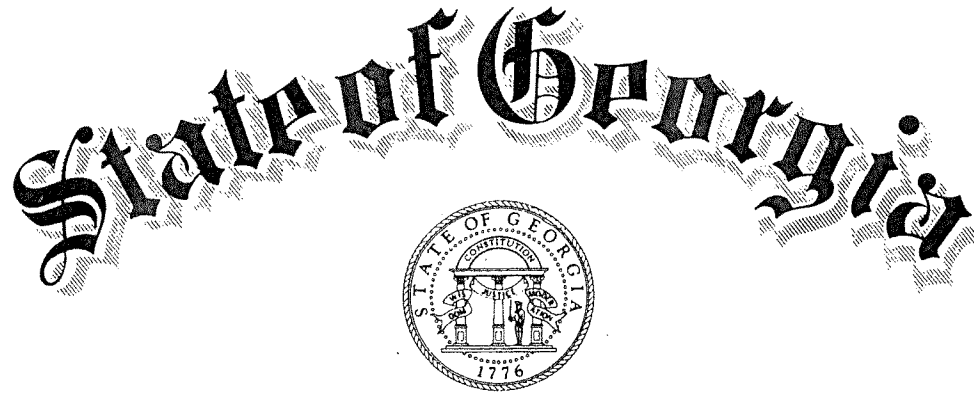
I certify that the above information is true and correct and that the classification noted is applicable to the Bid for this Project.

Signed:



Date: 7/5/2019

(ATTACH COPY OF LICENSE)



State Construction Industry Licensing Board
Division of Conditioned Air Contractors

This is to certify that

THOMAS L. GWALTNEY

*having given satisfactory evidence of the necessary qualifications
as required by the laws of the State of Georgia
has been duly registered as a*

Conditioned Air Contractor, Class 1

in witness whereof this Certificate number **CR108037** *is hereby granted*

this **9TH** *day of* **AUGUST** **19 94**



BOARD CHAIRMAN

DIVISION CHAIRMAN

Michael J. McComitt
William G. Muth

EXHIBIT I

OFFICE OF CONTRACT COMPLIANCE FORMS

EXHIBIT A – PROMISE OF NON-DISCRIMINATION

"Know all persons by these presents, that I/We (Anton Kotze),
Name

President

Title

Air Quality Systems, Inc.

Firm Name

Hereinafter "Company", in consideration of the privilege to bid on or obtain contracts funded, in whole or in part, by Fulton County, hereby consent, covenant and agree as follows:

- 1) No person shall be excluded from participation in, denied the benefit of, or otherwise discriminated against on the basis of race, color, national origin or gender in connection with any bid submitted to Fulton County for the performance of any resulting there from,
- 2) That it is and shall be the policy of this Company to provide equal opportunity to all businesses seeking to contract or otherwise interested in contracting with this Company without regard to the race, color, gender or national origin of the ownership of this business,
- 3) That the promises of non-discrimination as made and set forth herein shall be continuing in nature and shall remain in full force and effect without interruption,
- 4) That the promise of non-discrimination as made and set forth herein shall be made a part of, and incorporated by reference into, any contract or portion thereof which this Company may hereafter obtain,
- 5) That the failure of this Company to satisfactorily discharge any of the promises of non-discrimination as made and set forth herein shall constitute a material breach of contract entitling the Board to declare the contract in default and to exercise any and all applicable rights and remedies, including but not limited to cancellation of the contract, termination of the contract, suspension and debarment from future contracting opportunities, and withholding and/or forfeiture of compensation due and owing on a contract; and
- 6) That the bidder shall provide such information as may be required by the Director of Purchasing & Contract Compliance pursuant to Section 102.436 of the Fulton County Non-Discrimination in Purchasing and Contracting Policy.

NAME: Anton Kotze TITLE: President

SIGNATURE: 

ADDRESS: 5925 Peachtree Corners East

Norcross, GA 30071

PHONE NUMBER: 770-446-1142 EMAIL: anton.kotze@aqsatlanta.com

ORIGINAL

EXHIBIT B – EMPLOYMENT REPORT

The demographic employment make-up for the bidder and all subcontractors performing work on this project must be submitted prior to the execution of the contract.

JOB CATEGORIES	TOTAL EMPLOYED		TOTAL MINORITIES		WHITE (Not Hispanic Origin)		BLACK or AFRICAN AMERICAN (Not of Hispanic Origin)		HISPANIC or LATINO		AMERICAN INDIAN or ALASKAN NATIVE (AIAN)		ASIAN		NATIVE HAWAIIAN or OTHER PACIFIC ISLANDER (NHOP)		TWO or MORE RACES	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
EXECUTIVE/SENIOR LEVEL OFFICIALS and MANAGERS	1	1			1	1												
FIRST/MID LEVEL OFFICIALS and MANAGERS	6	2	3		3	2	1		2									
PROFESSIONALS																		
TECHNICIANS	10		7		3		3		4									
SALES WORKERS																		
ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT WORKERS																		
CRAFT WORKERS																		
OPERATIVES																		
LABORERS & HELPERS																		
SERVICE WORKERS																		
TOTAL																		

FIRM'S NAME: Air Quality Systems, Inc.

CONTACT NAME: Anton Kotze

EMAIL: anton.kotze@aqsatlanta.com **PHONE NUMBER:** 770-446-1142

SUBMITTED BY: Anton Kotze - President

EXHIBIT J

RISK MANAGEMENT INSURANCE PROVISIONS FORMS

Insurance and Risk Management Provisions Duct Cleaning Services

The following is the minimum insurance and limits that the Contractor/Vendor must maintain. If the Contractor/Vendor maintains broader coverages and/or higher limits than the minimum shown below, Fulton County Government requires and shall be entitled to coverage for the higher limits maintained by the Contractor/Vendor.

It is Fulton County Government's practice to obtain Certificates of Insurance from our Contractors and Vendors. Insurance must be written by a licensed agent in a company licensed to write insurance in the State of Georgia. Respondents shall submit with the bid/proposal evidence of insurability satisfactory to Fulton County Government as to form and content. Either of the following forms of evidence is acceptable:

- A letter from an insurance carrier stating that upon your firm/company being the successful Bidder/Respondent that a Certificate of Insurance shall be issued in compliance with the Insurance and Risk Management Provisions outlined below.
- A Certificate of Insurance complying with the Insurance and Risk Management Provisions outlined below (Request for Bid/Proposal number and Project Description must appear on the Certificate of Insurance).
- A combination of specific policies written with an umbrella policy covering liabilities in excess of the required limits is acceptable to achieve the applicable insurance coverage levels.

Any and all Insurance Coverage(s) and Bonds required under the terms and conditions of the contract shall be maintained during the entire length of the contract, including any extensions or renewals thereto, and until all work has been completed to the satisfaction of Fulton County Government. Evidence of said insurance coverages shall be provided on or before the inception date of the Contract.

Accordingly the Respondent shall provide a certificate evidencing the following:

**1. WORKERS COMPENSATION/EMPLOYER'S LIABILITY INSURANCE – STATUTORY
(In compliance with the Georgia Workers Compensation Acts and any other State or Federal Acts or Provisions in which jurisdiction may be granted)**

Employer's Liability Insurance	BY ACCIDENT - EACH ACCIDENT	\$500,000.
Employer's Liability Insurance	BY DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT	\$500,000.
Employer's Liability Insurance	BY DISEASE - EACH EMPLOYEE	\$500,000.

2. COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY INSURANCE (Including contractual Liability Insurance)

Bodily Injury and Property Damage Liability	Each Occurrence	-	\$1,000,000
(Other than Products/Completed Operations)	General Aggregate	-	\$2,000,000
Products\Completed Operations	Aggregate Limit	-	\$2,000,000
Personal and Advertising Injury	Limits	-	\$1,000,000
Damage to Rented Premises	Limits	-	\$100,000

3. BUSINESS AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY INSURANCE

Bodily Injury & Property Damage	Each Occurrence	-	\$1,000,000
(Including operation of non-owned, owned, and hired automobiles).			

4. UMBRELLA LIABILITY

(In excess of Auto GL and Employers Liability) Each Occurrence - \$2,000,000

Certificates:

Contractor/Vendor shall provide written notice to Fulton County Government immediately if it becomes aware of or receives notice from any insurance company that coverage afforded under such policy or policies shall expire, be cancelled or altered. Certificates of Insurance are to list Fulton County Government, its' Officials, Officers and Employees as an Additional Insured (except for Workers Compensation and Professional Liability) using ISO Additional Insured Endorsement form CG 20 10 (11/85) version, its equivalent or on a blanket basis.

The Contractor/Vendor insurance shall apply as Primary Insurance before any other insurance or self-insurance, including any deductible, non-contributory, and Waiver of Subrogation provided in favor of Fulton County Government.

Additional Insured under the General Liability, Auto Liability, Umbrella Policies (with exception of Workers Compensation), with no Cross Suits exclusion.

If Fulton County Government shall so request, the Respondent, Contractor or Vendor will furnish the County for its inspection and approval such policies of insurance with all endorsements, or confirmed specimens thereof certified by the insurance company to be true and correct copies.

Such certificates and notices shall be sent to:

Fulton County Government
Attn: Purchasing Department
130 Peachtree Street, S.W.
Suite 1168
Atlanta, Georgia 30303-3459

Important:

The obligations for the Contractor/Vendor to procure and maintain insurance shall not be constructed to waive or restrict other obligations. It is understood that neither failure to comply nor full compliance with the foregoing insurance requirements shall limit or relieve the Contractor/Vendor from any liability incurred as a result of their activities/operations in conjunction with the Contract and/or Scope of Work.

USE OF PREMISES

Contractor/Vendor shall confine its apparatus, the storage of materials and the operations of its workers to limits/requirements indicated by law, ordinance, permits and any restrictions of Fulton County Government and shall not unreasonably encumber the premises with its materials (where applicable).

PROTECTION OF PROPERTY

Effective 05-28-2019

Contractor/Vendor will adequately protect its own work from damage, will protect Fulton County Government's property from damage or loss and will take all necessary precautions during the progress of the work to protect all persons and the property of others from damage or loss.

Contractor/Vendor shall take all necessary precautions for the safety of employees of the work and shall comply with all applicable provisions of the Federal, State and local safety laws and building codes to prevent accidents or injury to persons on, about, or adjacent to the premises where work is being performed.

Contractor/Vendor shall erect and properly maintain at all times as required by the conditions and progress of the work, all necessary safeguards for the protection of its employees, Fulton County Government employees and the public and shall post all applicable signage and other warning devices to protect against potential hazards for the work being performed (where applicable).

THE RESPONDENT ACKNOWLEDGES HAVING READ, UNDERSTANDING, AND AGREES TO COMPLY WITH THE ABOVE STATEMENTS, AND IS AUTHORIZED TO SIGN CONTRACTS ON BEHALF OF THE RESPONDING COMPANY.

COMPANY: AQS, Inc SIGNATURE:  2F2006E6244644C...

NAME: Anton Kotze TITLE: CEO

DATE: 01/08/2020



Fulton County Board of Commissioners
Agenda Item Summary

BOC Meeting Date
12/18/2019

Requesting Agency

Real Estate and Asset Management

Commission Districts Affected

All Districts

Requested Action *(Identify appropriate Action or Motion, purpose, cost, timeframe, etc.)*

Request approval of recommended proposal, Department of Real Estate and Asset Management, RFP #19RFP052019K-EC, Fulton County Justice Center Tower Duct System Cleaning-Phase II in the amount of \$998,500 with AQS, Inc. dba Air Quality Systems (Norcross, GA), to provide Duct System Remediation Cleaning-Phase II Project associated with the AHU's and duct system in the Fulton County Justice Center Tower Building. Effective for a period of 365 calendar days upon issuance of Notice to Proceed, or until contract completion as determined by the County

Requirement for Board Action *(Cite specific Board policy, statute or code requirement)*

In accordance with Purchasing Code Section 102-374 and 102-375, all competitive sealed proposals shall be forwarded to the Board of Commissioners for approval.

Is this Item related to a Strategic Priority Area? *(If yes, note strategic priority area below)*

Yes All People trust government is efficient, effective, and fiscally sound

Is this a purchasing item?

Yes

Summary & Background

(First sentence includes Agency recommendation. Provide an executive summary of the action that gives an overview of the relevant details for the item.)

Scope of Work: This contract to furnish all materials, labor, tools, equipment and appurtenances necessary for the Duct System Remediation Cleaning – Phase II Project associated with the AHU's and duct system in the Fulton County Justice Center Tower located at 185 Central Ave SW, Atlanta, GA 30303.

The associated services provided will include but not limited to:

- Inspect the layout of the air distribution system to determine the level of cleaning required.
- Provide photographs depicting the conditions of the ductwork and equipment.
- Provide temporary protection for areas where work is to be performed.
- Remove, clean and reinstall all registers, grills, etc.
- If necessary when cleaning HVAC components, use high powered vacuums and compressed air to remove particulates, debris and surface contamination
- Clean and treat the entire duct systems with an EPA registered sanitizing solution for mold, mildew, fungus, viruses and bacteria.
- Spray an encapsulating EPA approved materials on all of the internally lined ductwork.
- Furnish and install new filters in AHU's, PIU's, VAV's, etc.,

Agency Director Approval		County Manager's Approval
Typed Name and Title Felicia Strong-Whitaker, Director	Phone (404) 612-5800	
Signature	Date	

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Project Background:

Particulate matter emanating from air conditioning vents and falling onto office furniture and fixtures below has significantly increased in the Justice Center Complex over time air conditioning forces dormant, non-adhered substances out of the HVAC system and into finished spaces. This condition exists year round throughout the Complex but is more acute as outside temperatures rise and the demand for conditioned air grows.

An assessment performed an outside industrial hygienist confirms staff's observation that the source of the particulates is the insulation lining the inside of the duct work becoming brittle with age (now 25 years old) and detaching.

Community Impact: This agenda item is directly related to one of the BOC's key strategic focus area; 2) All people are healthy. This impacts the environmental health and comfort of the patrons and employees of the County in these facilities. The Contractor will perform air balance checks and extract all contamination in the duct system, which can affect the respiratory function of patrons and employees if not prevented.

Department Recommendation: The Department of Real Estate and Asset Management (DREAM) recommends approval of the proposal by AQS, Inc. to furnish all materials, labor, tools, equipment and appurtenances necessary for the Duct System Remediation Cleaning – Phase II Project associated with the AHU's and duct system in the Fulton County Justice Center Tower located at 185 Central Ave SW, Atlanta, GA 30303.

The recommended Contractor will work in collaboration with the Department of Real Estate and Asset Management, Project Management Team.

Project Implications: This contract allows the necessary required cleaning, and sanitizing the duct system from all foreign contaminations such as mold, mildew, fungus and bacteria serious respiratory problems, if infected, can occur along with impacting the air quality at the Justice Center Tower.

Community Issues/Concerns: There are no apparent issues or concerns raised by the community.

Department Issues/Concerns: If this contract is not approved, the Department cannot address the contamination of debris in the duct system at the Fulton County Justice Center Tower Building.

History of BOC Agenda Item: No, this is new procurement.

Contract & Compliance Information	<i>(Provide Contractor and Subcontractor details.)</i>
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Contract Value:	\$998,500.00
Prime Vendor:	AQS, Inc. dba Air Quality Systems
Prime Status:	Non-Minority
Location:	Norcross, GA
County:	Gwinnett County
Prime Value:	\$998,500.00 or 100.00%

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Total Contract Value: **\$998,500.00 or 100.00%**
Total M/FBE Value: **\$-0-**

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Agency Director Approval		County Manager's Approval
Typed Name and Title Felicia Strong-Whitaker, Director	Phone (404) 612-5800	
Signature	Date	

Solicitation Information	NON-MFBE	MBE	FBE	TOTAL
No. Bid Notices Sent:	15	55	34	104
No. Bids Received:	3	1	2	3
Total Contract Value	\$998,500.00 or 100.00%			
Total M/FBE Values	\$-0-			
Total Prime Value	\$998,500.00 or 100.00%			
Fiscal Impact / Funding Source <i>(Include projected cost, approved budget amount and account number, source of funds, and any future funding requirements.)</i> 533-520-5200-K008: Capital, Real Estate and Asset Management, MEP Improve Justice Ctr-FCURA- \$998,500				
Exhibits Attached <i>(Provide copies of originals, number exhibits consecutively, and label all exhibits in the upper right corner.)</i> Exhibit 1: Evaluation Committee recommendation Letter Exhibit 2: Contractor's Performance Report				
Source of Additional Information <i>(Type Name, Title, Agency and Phone)</i> Joseph N. Davis, Director, Department of Real Estate and Asset Management, (404) 612-3772				

Agency Director Approval		County Manager's Approval
Typed Name and Title Felicia Strong-Whitaker, Director	Phone (404) 612-5800	
Signature	Date	

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Procurement**Contract Attached:**
No**Previous Contracts:**
No**Solicitation Number:**
19RFP052019K-EC**Submitting Agency:**
Department of Real
Estate and Asset
Management**Staff Contact:**
Harry Jordan**Contact Phone:**
(404) 612-5933**Description:** Recommended proposal to provide Duct System Remediation Cleaning-Phase II Project associated with the AHU's and duct system in the Fulton County Justice Center Tower Building.**FINANCIAL SUMMARY****Total Contract Value:**

Original Approved Amount: .

Previous Adjustments: .

This Request: \$998,500.00

TOTAL: \$998,500.00

MBE/FBE Participation:

Amount: . %: .

Amount: . %: .

Amount: \$-0- 0.00%: .

Amount: . %: .

Grant Information Summary:

Amount Requested: . ☐ Cash

Match Required: . ☐ In-Kind

Start Date: . ☐ Approval to Award

End Date: . ☐ Apply & Accept

Match Account \$: .

Funding Line 1:

533-520-5200-K008

Funding Line 2:

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Funding Line 3:

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Funding Line 4:

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KEY CONTRACT TERMS**Start Date:**

Upon issuance of NTP

End Date:

365 calendar days or Upon completion

Cost Adjustment:

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Renewal/Extension Terms:

No renewals

ROUTING & APPROVALS

(Do not edit below this line)

X	Originating Department:	Davis, Joseph	Date: 11/18/2019
.	County Attorney:	.	Date: .
.	Purchasing/Contract Compliance:	.	Date: .
X	Finance/Budget Analyst/Grants Admin:	Jones, Monica	Date: 11/20/2019
.	Grants Management:	.	Date: .
.	County Manager:	.	Date: .

Bond# 60004562

#19RFP052019K-EC
Fulton County Justice Center Tower Duct System Cleaning – Phase IIExhibit 4
Payment and Performance Bonds**PAYMENT BOND**

"County:" means Fulton County Government; a political subdivision of the State of Georgia (hereinafter called the "Owner").

"Project:" means #19RFP052019K-EC, Fulton County Justice Center Tower Duct System Cleaning - Phase II

"Principal:" (Legal Name and Business Address),
called the

AQS d/b/a Air Quality Systems5925 Peachtree Corners East, Norcross, GA 30071

Type of Organization ("X" one): ☐ Individual
☐ Partnership
☐ Joint Venture
☒ Corporation

"Surety:" (Name and Business Address)

Hudson Insurance Company100 William Street, 5th Floor New York, NY 10038

duly authorized by the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Georgia to transact surety business in the State of Georgia.

"Contract:" Agreement between Principal and Owner, dated ____ day of _____, 20____, regarding performance of Work relative to the Project.

"Penal Sum:" Nine Hundred Ninety Eight Thousand, Five Hundred Dollars and Zero Cent
(\$998,500.00)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that we, the Principal and Surety hereto, as named above, are held and firmly bound to the Owner in the above Penal Sum for the payment of which well and truly to be made we bind ourselves, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and severally.

WHEREAS, the Principal and the Owner entered into a certain written Contract identified above, which is incorporated herein by reference in its entirety (hereinafter called the "Contract"), for construction-type services for the Project identified above;

NOW, THEREFORE, the conditions of this obligation are such that if the Principal shall promptly make payment of all persons working on or supplying labor or materials or equipment for the performance of said work, this obligation shall be void; otherwise of full force and effect. A "Claimant" shall be defined herein as any subcontractor, person, party, partnership, corporation or the entity furnishing labor, services or materials used, or reasonably required for use, in the performance of the Contract, without regard to whether such labor, services or materials were sold, leased or rented, and without regard to whether such Claimant is or is not in privity of contract with the Principal or any subcontractor performing work on the Project, including, but not limited to, the following labor, services, or materials: water, gas, power, light, heat, oil, gasoline, telephone service or rental of equipment directly applicable to the Contract.

2. In the event a Claimant files a lien against the property of the Owner, and the Principal fails or refuses to satisfy or remove it promptly, the Surety shall satisfy or

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Fulton County Justice Center Tower Duct System Cleaning – Phase II

Exhibit 4

Payment and Performance Bonds

remove the lien promptly upon written notice from the Owner, either by bond or as otherwise provided in the Contract.

3. The Surety hereby waives notice of any and all modifications, omissions, additions, changes, alterations, extensions of time, changes in the payment terms, and any other amendments in or about the Contract and agrees that the obligations undertaken by this Bond shall not be impaired in any manner by reason of any such modifications, omissions, additions, changes, alterations, extensions of time, changes in payment terms, and amendments.
4. The Surety hereby agrees that this Bond shall be deemed amended automatically and immediately, without formal or separate amendments hereto, upon any amendment or modifications to the Contract, so as to bind the Principal and Surety, jointly and severally, to the full payment of any Claimant under the Contract, as amended or modified, provided only that the Surety shall not be liable for more than the penal sum of the Bond, as specified in the first paragraph hereof.
5. This Bond is made for the use and benefit of all persons, firms, and corporations who or which may furnish any materials or perform any labor for or on account of the construction-type services to be performed or supplied under the Contract, and any amendments thereto, and they and each of them may sue hereon.
6. No action may be maintained on this Bond after one (1) year from the date the last services, labor, or materials were provided under the Contract by the Claimant prosecuting said action.
7. This Bond is intended to comply with O.C.G.A. Section 13-10-1, and shall be interpreted so as to comply with the minimum requirements thereof. However, in the event the express language of this Bond extends protection to the Owner beyond that contemplated by O.C.G.A. Section 13-10-1 and 36-91-1, *et seq.*, or any other statutory law applicable to this Project, then the additional protection shall be enforced in favor of the Owner, whether or not such protection is found in the applicable statutes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Principal and Surety have hereunto affixed their corporate seals and caused this obligations to be signed by their duly authorized representatives this ____ day of _____, 20__.

PRINCIPAL: AQS d/b/a Air Quality Systems



President/Vice President (Sign)

Anton Kotze

President/Vice President (Type or Print)

Attested to by:



Secretary/Assistant Secretary (Seal)

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Fulton County Justice Center Tower Duct System Cleaning – Phase II

Exhibit 4
Payment and Performance Bonds

SURETY: Hudson Insurance Company

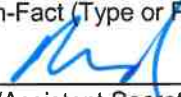
By:



Attorney-in-Fact (Sign)

David Gonsalves

Attorney-in-Fact (Type or Print)



Secretary/Assistant Secretary (Seal)

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NOW, THEREFORE, the conditions of this obligation are such that if the Principal shall faithfully and fully comply with, perform and fulfill all of the undertakings, covenants, conditions and all other of the terms and conditions of said Contract, including any and all duly authorized modifications of such Contract, within the original term of such Contract and any extensions thereof, which shall include, but not be limited to any obligations created by way of warranties and/or guarantees for workmanship and materials which warranty and/or guarantee may extend for a period of time of one year beyond completion of said Contract, this obligation shall be void; otherwise, of full force and effect.

Whenever the Principal shall be, and declared by the Owner to be, in default under the Construction-Type Contract, the Surety shall promptly remedy the default as follows:

1. Complete the Contract in accordance with its terms and conditions; or, at the sole option of the Owner,
2. Obtain a bid or bids for completing the Contract in accordance with its terms and conditions, and upon determination by the Surety and the Owner of the lowest responsible bidder, arrange for a contract between such bidder and Owner and make available as the work progresses (even though there should be a default or succession of defaults under the

Contract or contracts of completion arranged under this paragraph) sufficient funds to pay the cost of completion less the balance of the contract price; but not exceeding, including other costs and damages for which the Surety may be liable hereunder, the penal sum set forth in the first paragraph hereof, as may be adjusted, and the Surety shall make available and pay to the Owner the funds required by this Paragraph prior to the payment of the Owner of the balance of the contract price, or any portion thereof. The term "balance of the contract price," as used in this paragraph, shall mean the total amount payable by the Owner to the Contractor under the Contract, and any amendments thereto, less the amount paid by the Owner to the Contractor; or, at the sole option of the Owner,

3. Allow Owner to complete the work and reimburse the Owner for all reasonable costs incurred in completing the work.

In addition to performing as required in the above paragraphs, the Surety shall indemnify and hold harmless the Owner from any and all losses, liability and damages, claims, judgments, liens, costs and fees of every description, including reasonable attorney's fees, litigation costs and expert witness fees, which the Owner may incur, sustain or suffer by reason of the failure or default on the part of the Principal in the performance of any or all of the terms, provisions, and requirements of the Contract, including any and all amendments and modifications thereto, or incurred by the Owner in making good any such failure of performance on the part of the Principal.

The Surety shall commence performance of its obligations and undertakings under this Bond promptly and without delay, after written notice from the Owner to the Surety.

The Surety hereby waives notice of any and all modifications, omissions, additions, changes, alterations, extensions of time, changes in payment terms, and any other amendments in or about the Contract, and agrees that the obligations undertaken by this Bond shall not be impaired in any manner by reason of any such modifications, omissions, additions, changes, alterations, extensions of time, change in payment terms, and amendments.


The Surety hereby agrees that this Bond shall be deemed amended automatically and immediately, without formal or separate amendments hereto, upon any amendment to the Contract, so as to bind the Principal and the Surety to the full and faithful performance of the Contract as so amended or modified, and so as to increase the penal sum to the adjusted Contract Price of the Contract.

No right of action shall accrue on this Bond to or for the use of any person, entity or corporation other than the Owner and any other obligee named herein, or their executors, administrators, successors or assigns.

This Bond is intended to comply with O.C.G.A. Section 36-91-1 et seq., and shall be interpreted so; as to comply with; the minimum requirements thereof. However, in the event the express language of this Bond extends protection to; the Owner beyond that contemplated by O.C.G.A. Section 36-91-1 et seq. and O.C.G.A. Section 13-10-1, as amended, or any other statutory law applicable to this Project, then the additional protection shall be enforced in favor of the Owner, whether or not such protection is found in the applicable statutes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Principal and the Surety have caused these presents to be duly signed and sealed this _____ day of _____, 20__.

PRINCIPAL: AQS d/b/a Air Quality Systems



President/Vice President (Sign)

Anton Kotze

President/Vice President (Type or Print)

Attested to by:



Secretary/Assistant Secretary (Seal)

SURETY: Hudson Insurance Company

By: 

Attorney-in-Fact (Sign)

David Gonsalves

Attorney-in-Fact (Type or Print)

END OF SECTION

**POWER OF ATTORNEY**

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That HUDSON INSURANCE COMPANY, a corporation of the State of Delaware, with offices at 100 William Street, New York, New York, 10038, has made, constituted and appointed, and by these presents, does make, constitute and appoint

David Gonsalves

of the State of North Carolina

its true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact, at New York, New York, each of them alone to have full power to act without the other or others, to make, execute and deliver on its behalf, as Surety, bonds and undertakings given for any and all purposes, also to execute and deliver on its behalf as aforesaid renewals, extensions, agreements, waivers, consents or stipulations relating to such bonds or undertakings provided, however, that no single bond or undertaking shall obligate said Company for any portion of the penal sum thereof in excess of the sum of

Nine Hundred and Ninety Eight Thousand Five Hundred (\$998,500.00) Dollars

Such bonds and undertakings when duly executed by said Attorney(s)-in-Fact, shall be binding upon said Company as fully and to the same extent as if signed by the President of said Company under its corporate seal attested by its Secretary.

In Witness Whereof, HUDSON INSURANCE COMPANY has caused these presents to be of its Senior Vice President thereunto duly authorized, on this 16th day of November, 20 17 at New York, New York.

(Corporate seal)



Attest.....
Dina Daskalakis
Corporate Secretary

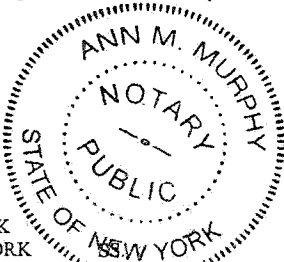
HUDSON INSURANCE COMPANY

By.....
Michael P. Cifone
Senior Vice President

STATE OF NEW YORK
COUNTY OF NEW YORK. SS.

On the 16th day of November, 20 17 before me personally came Michael P. Cifone to me known, who being by me duly sworn did depose and say that he is a Senior Vice President of HUDSON INSURANCE COMPANY, the corporation described herein and which executed the above instrument, that he knows the seal of said Corporation, that the seal affixed to said instrument is such corporate seal, that it was so affixed by order of the Board of Directors of said Corporation, and that he signed his name thereto by like order.

(Notarial Seal)



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ANN M. MURPHY
Notary Public, State of New York
No. 01MU6067553
Qualified in Nassau County
Commission Expires December 10, 2021

STATE OF NEW YORK
COUNTY OF NEW YORK

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned **Dina Daskalakis** hereby certifies:

That the original resolution, of which the following is a true and correct copy, was duly adopted by unanimous written consent of the Board of Directors of Hudson Insurance Company dated July 27th, 2007, and has not since been revoked, amended or modified:

"RESOLVED, that the President, the Executive Vice Presidents, the Senior Vice Presidents and the Vice Presidents shall have the authority and discretion, to appoint such agent or agents, or attorney or attorneys-in-fact, for the purpose of carrying on this Company's surety business, and to empower such agent or agents, or attorney or attorneys-in-fact, to execute and deliver, under this Company's seal or otherwise, bonds obligations, and recognizances, whether made by this Company as surety thereon or otherwise, indemnity contracts, contracts and certificates, and any and all other contracts and undertakings made in the course of this Company's surety business, and renewals, extensions, agreements, waivers, consents or stipulations regarding undertakings so made; and

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the signature of any such Officer of the Company and the Company's seal may be affixed by facsimile to any power of attorney or certification given for the execution of any bond, undertaking, recognizance, contract of indemnity or other written obligation in the nature thereof or related thereto, such signature and seal when so used whether heretofore or hereafter, being hereby adopted by the Company as the original signature of such officer and the original seal of the Company, to be valid and binding upon the Company with the same force and effect as though manually affixed."

THAT the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Power of Attorney issued by said Company, and of the whole of the original and that the said Power of Attorney is still in full force and effect and has not been revoked, and furthermore that the Resolution of the Board of Directors, set forth in the said Power of Attorney is now in force.

Witness the hand of the undersigned and the seal of said Corporation this 6th day of January, 2020

(Corporate seal)



By.....
Dina Daskalakis, Corporate Secretary



CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)

1/8/2020

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must have ADDITIONAL INSURED provisions or be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

PRODUCER Skinner and Company, Inc. The Brumby Building at Marietta Station 127 Church Street, Suite 140 Marietta, GA 30060	CONTACT NAME: PHONE (A/C, No, Ext): (678) 401-3212 FAX (A/C, No): (678) 401-3448 E-MAIL ADDRESS: Alex@Skinnerandco.com
INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE	
INSURER A : Utica National Insurance Grp	
INSURER B : Beazley Insurance Company, Inc	
INSURER C :	
INSURER D :	
INSURER E :	
INSURER F :	

COVERAGES	CERTIFICATE NUMBER:	REVISION NUMBER:
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THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

INSR LTR	TYPE OF INSURANCE	ADDL INSD	SUBR WVD	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY EFF (MM/DD/YYYY)	POLICY EXP (MM/DD/YYYY)	LIMITS
A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS-MADE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OCCUR GEN'L AGGREGATE LIMIT APPLIES PER: <input type="checkbox"/> POLICY <input type="checkbox"/> PROJECT <input type="checkbox"/> LOC OTHER:	X		5253549	5/1/2019	5/1/2020	EACH OCCURRENCE \$ 1,000,000 DAMAGE TO RENTED PREMISES (Ea occurrence) \$ 100,000 MED EXP (Any one person) \$ 5,000 PERSONAL & ADV INJURY \$ 1,000,000 GENERAL AGGREGATE \$ 2,000,000 PRODUCTS - COMP/OP AGG \$ 2,000,000 \$
A	AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ANY AUTO OWNED AUTOS ONLY <input type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULED AUTOS <input type="checkbox"/> HIRED AUTOS ONLY <input type="checkbox"/> NON-OWNED AUTOS ONLY	X		5237227	5/1/2019	5/1/2020	COMBINED SINGLE LIMIT (Ea accident) \$ 1,000,000 BODILY INJURY (Per person) \$ BODILY INJURY (Per accident) \$ PROPERTY DAMAGE (Per accident) \$ \$
A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UMBRELLA LIAB <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OCCUR <input type="checkbox"/> EXCESS LIAB <input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS-MADE DED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RETENTION \$ 10,000			5253550	5/1/2019	5/1/2020	EACH OCCURRENCE \$ 5,000,000 AGGREGATE \$ 5,000,000 \$
A	WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ANY PROPRIETOR/PARTNER/EXECUTIVE OFFICER/MEMBER EXCLUDED? (Mandatory in NH) <input type="checkbox"/> Y / N If yes, describe under DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS below		N / A	5237228	5/1/2019	5/1/2020	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PER STATUTE <input type="checkbox"/> OTH-ER E.L. EACH ACCIDENT \$ 1,000,000 E.L. DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE \$ 1,000,000 E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT \$ 1,000,000
A	Installation Floater			5253549	5/1/2019	5/1/2020	Any One Location \$ 50,000
B	Pollution Liability			ENP 0003391-01	5/1/2019	5/1/2020	Each Occurrence \$ 1,000,000

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)
 When required by written contract, Blanket Additional Insured applies as respects General Liability for on going and completed operations on a primary non-contributory basis per forms 8E3799 (02/12) and 8E2639 (11/00) respectively for Automobile Liability per form 8E2419 (04/17). When required by written contract, Blanket Waiver of Subrogation applies for General Liability, Automobile Liability and Workers Compensation/Employers Liability per forms 8E3799 (02/12), 8E2419 (04/17) and WC 00 03 13 respectively. Umbrella follows form over the additional insured endorsements and will not be broader than coverage provided by the 'underlying insurance'.

RE: Fulton County Justice Center - Tower Duct System Cleaning - Phase II
 SEE ATTACHED ACORD 101

CERTIFICATE HOLDER Fulton County Government ATTN: Purchasing Department 130 Peachtree Street, SW Suite 1168 Atlanta, GA 30303-3459	CANCELLATION SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS. AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE
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LOC #: 1

ADDITIONAL REMARKS SCHEDULE

AGENCY Skinner and Company, Inc.		NAMED INSURED AQS, Inc. 5925 Peachtree Corners E Norcross, GA 30071-1337
POLICY NUMBER SEE PAGE 1		
CARRIER SEE PAGE 1	NAIC CODE SEE P 1	EFFECTIVE DATE: SEE PAGE 1

ADDITIONAL REMARKS

THIS ADDITIONAL REMARKS FORM IS A SCHEDULE TO ACORD FORM,
FORM NUMBER: ACORD 25 FORM TITLE: Certificate of Liability Insurance

Description of Operations/Locations/Vehicles:
When required by written contract, Fulton County Government is Additional Insured as respects General Liability and Automobile Liability per terms and conditions of above referenced forms.

THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.

COMMERCIAL AUTOMOBILE EXTENSION ENDORSEMENT

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

COMMERCIAL AUTOMOBILE COVERAGE PART

Only that insurance provided below that broadens coverage under the Commercial Auto Coverage Part applies.

A. Fellow Employee Exclusion Exception

The following modification applies on an excess basis over any other insurance.

Exclusion 5. (Fellow Employee) of SECTION II - LIABILITY COVERAGE is replaced by the following:

5. "Bodily injury" to any fellow employee of the "insured" arising out of and in the course of the fellow employee's employment.

But this exclusion does not apply to "bodily injury" to any fellow employee which results from the use of a covered "auto" you own or hire.

B. Increased Supplementary Payments

The amount we will pay for the cost of bail bonds and for reasonable expenses incurred by the "insured" under the Supplementary Payments Coverage Extension of SECTION II - LIABILITY COVERAGE is increased to \$2,500 and \$300 respectively.

C. Automatic Hired Auto Physical Damage Coverage

1. Subject to 2. and 3. below, the broadest of the Physical Damage Coverages provided under this Coverage Part for "autos" you own are also provided for hired "autos" which are covered for Liability Coverage under this Coverage Part.
2. The most we will pay for "loss" in any one "accident" is the lesser of:
 - a. The actual cash value of the damaged or stolen property as of the time of the "loss";
 - b. The cost of repairing or replacing the damaged or stolen property with other property of like kind and quality; or
 - c. \$35,000.

3. As respects the Physical Damage Coverage provided for hired "autos" under this Coverage Extension, our obligation to pay for, repair, return or replace damaged or stolen property will be reduced by the largest deductible for such coverage applicable to any owned covered "auto." In the event of "loss" caused by fire or lightning, no deductible shall apply.

D. Leased Auto Additional Legal Obligation Coverage

The following coverage is added to SECTION III - PHYSICAL DAMAGE COVERAGE:

For any covered "auto" for which this Coverage Form includes a lessor as an additional "insured" under the Additional Insured - Lessor endorsement, we will pay your additional "legal obligation" to such lessor in the event of a total "loss."

As used in this coverage, "legal obligation" shall mean and be the difference between the amount owed on your lease and the actual cash value of the "auto." The amount owed on your lease shall not include any taxes; overdue payments or interest resulting from overdue payments; penalties; lease termination fees; and charges resulting from mileage, overdue payments or excess wear and tear. The actual cash value of the "auto" and the amount owed on your lease shall be based on the time of the "loss."

E. Theft Extension

The coverage provided under SECTION III - PHYSICAL DAMAGE COVERAGE for transportation expenses incurred by you because of a total theft of a covered "auto" of the private passenger type is increased to \$50 per day and to a maximum of \$1,000.

F. Window Glass Breakage Deductible Waiver

For "loss" covered under SECTION III - PHYSICAL DAMAGE COVERAGE, the Deductible provision does not apply to window glass breakage if the damaged window glass is repaired instead of replaced.

G. Malfunction Extension for Airbags

The following provision is added to the Exclusion for wear and tear, freezing, mechanical or electrical breakdown under SECTION III - PHYSICAL DAMAGE COVERAGE:

But mechanical or electrical breakdown does not include accidental inflation of an airbag.

H. Multiple Deductibles

1. In the event of any occurrence which results in a loss or "loss" we cover under more than one Coverage, Coverage Form, or Coverage Part, the deductibles shall apply as described in 2., 3. or 4. below.
2.
 - a. If all involved deductibles are equal in amount, that amount will apply only once for all loss or "loss" from each occurrence.
 - b. Loss or "loss" from each occurrence under all involved coverages will be accumulated to make up that deductible amount.
3. If involved deductibles for different coverages are of different amounts, we will use the method described in a. or b. of this item 3. which results in the higher total payment to you.
 - a. We will apply each deductible to the loss or "loss" for the coverage to which it applies; or
 - b. We will add the amount of loss or "loss" from all involved coverages and subtract from the total the larger or largest applicable deductible.
4. This deductible provision does not apply to loss or "loss" caused by flood, windstorm or hail.

I. Bodily Injury Redefined

It is agreed and understood that the definition of "bodily injury" (SECTION V) includes mental anguish resulting from "bodily injury," sickness or disease to the person who sustained such "bodily injury," sickness or disease.

J. Unintentional Failure to Disclose Hazards

Failure of the insured to disclose all hazards existing as of the inception date of the Coverage Part shall not invalidate the insurance afforded by this Coverage Part if such failure or omission is not intentional.

K. Broadened Cancellation

It is agreed that we may cancel or nonrenew this Coverage Part by mailing or delivering to the first Named Insured written notice of cancellation or nonrenewal at least sixty (60) days before the effective date of cancellation.

This provision does not apply if the policy is cancelled for nonpayment of premium.

If these provisions conflict with any state law or regulation governing the cancellation/nonrenewal of this Coverage Part, then such law or regulation shall prevail and this Coverage Part is amended to conform with such law or regulation.

L. Broadened Named Insured

It is agreed that the Named Insured shown in the Declarations includes any subsidiary corporation, firm, or organization of a similar business nature which is newly acquired or formed, and over which you maintain ownership or majority interest, if there is no other similar insurance available to that organization. However, coverage does not apply to "bodily injury," "property damage" or "loss" that occurred before you acquired or formed the organization.

No person or organization is an "insured" with respect to the conduct of any current or past partnership or joint venture that is not shown as a Named Insured in the Declarations.

As used in this extension of coverage, the phrase, "similar business nature" means of a nature which an ordinary person would consider to be closely related to your business.

M. Notice of Accident, Claim, Suit or Loss

It is agreed that failure by any agent, servant, or employee (except an executive officer, or individual designated by an executive officer to give such notice) of the "insured" to notify us of any "accident," claim, "suit," or "loss" of which such person has knowledge shall not invalidate the insurance afforded by this Coverage Part as respects the Named Insured.

N. Hired Auto Changes

Coverage territory is amended to be anywhere in the world for a "suit":

1. Involving a covered "auto" that is leased, hired, rented or borrowed by the Named Insured; and
2. Brought against an "insured" for damages to which this insurance applies;

when such "suit" is brought in:

- a. The United States of America;
- b. The territories and possessions of the United States of America;
- c. Puerto Rico; or
- d. Canada.

O. Theft Expenses

Under the Loss Payment - Physical Damage Coverage Loss Condition (SECTION IV), regardless of the option we select, it is agreed and understood that in the event of a theft of a covered "auto," we will pay those expenses incurred for the return of the covered "auto" to the Named Insured.

P. Employees as Insureds

The following is added to the LIABILITY COVERAGE WHO IS AN INSURED provision:

Any employee of yours is an "insured" while using a covered "auto" you don't own, hire or borrow in your business or your personal affairs.

Q. Towing and Labor

Under SECTION III - PHYSICAL DAMAGE COVERAGE, Towing is replaced by the following:

Towing and Labor

We will pay up to the following limits for towing and labor costs incurred each time a covered "auto" is disabled:

- a. \$100 for a covered "auto" rated and classified as a private passenger vehicle.
- b. \$150 for a covered "auto" rated and classified as a light, medium, heavy or extra-heavy truck.

However, the labor must be performed at the place of disablement.

R. Personal Effects

The following is added to SECTION III - PHYSICAL DAMAGE COVERAGE:

Personal Effects

If you carry Comprehensive Coverage for the stolen covered "auto", we will pay up to \$750 for personal effects stolen with the auto.

This insurance is excess over any other collectible insurance and no deductible applies.

S. Waiver of Subrogation

The Transfer of Rights of Recovery Against Others To Us Loss Condition is replaced by the following:

If the insured has rights to recover all or part of any payment we have made under this policy, those rights are transferred to us. The insured must do nothing after loss to impair them. At our request, the insured will bring suit or transfer those rights to us and help us enforce them.

We waive any right of recovery we may have under such a transfer of rights against any person or organization holding a waiver under a written contract with the insured if such contract was executed prior to the loss which generated such right of recovery.

T. Additional Insured - By Contract, Agreement Or Permit

Under SECTION II - LIABILITY COVERAGE, the following is added to Who Is An Insured:

Any person or organization with whom you have entered into a written contract, agreement or permit requiring you to provide insurance such as is afforded by this Business Auto Coverage Form is an "insured" for Liability Coverage, but only to the extent that such person or organization qualifies as an "insured" under the Who Is An Insured Provision.

U. Rental Reimbursement

1. We will reimburse you for reasonable costs you incur for the rental of a substitute "auto" that temporarily replaces a covered "auto" described in the Declarations while such "auto" is being repaired due to a "loss" covered under Comprehensive Coverage, Specified Cause of Loss Coverage or Collision Coverage.
2. We will pay the lesser of:
 - a. The amount of actual and necessary rental costs that you incur; or
 - b. A maximum of \$5,000 for each "loss."
3. The Deductible provision does not apply to this coverage.

THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.

CONTRACTORS LIABILITY EXTENSION PLUS ENDORSEMENT

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY COVERAGE FORM

1. The following is added to the Coverages section:

YOUR WORK COVERAGE

a. Insuring Agreement

- (1) We will reimburse you for "property damage" claims directly arising from "your work" for a "client".

The amount of such reimbursement is limited as described in the **Limits Of Insurance** section. No other obligation or liability to pay sums or perform acts or services is covered.

- (2) This insurance applies only if:

- (a) "Your work" was performed by you or an "employee" and was done with the express knowledge of the insured;
- (b) "Your work" was performed during the policy period;
- (c) You reasonably determine that payment in the amount of the "property damage" to the "client" for "your work" is necessary; and
- (d) You have received a notarized notification of a demand for remuneration from the "client" by mail within ninety days after the work was performed.

- (3) We shall have no duty nor obligation to defend the insured or perform acts or services.

b. Exclusions

This insurance does not apply to:

(1) Owned Property

"Your work" performed at any location owned by, rented or leased to the insured.

(2) Subcontracted Work

Work performed by a subcontractor.

(3) Bodily Injury And Property Damage Liability Exclusions

Property damage excluded under **Bodily Injury And Property Damage Liability** in the **Coverages** section.

- c. The following is added to the **Limits Of Insurance** section:

The most we will reimburse you for the sum of all damages covered under Your Work Coverage is \$10,000 in any one occurrence and \$20,000 in any annual period starting with the beginning of the policy period in the Declarations.

- d. The following conditions replace the **Duties In The Event Of Occurrence, Offense, Claim Or Suit** Condition under the **Commercial General Liability Conditions** for Your Work Coverage only:

DUTIES IN THE EVENT OF A CLAIM

- (1) You must notify us as soon as possible of the notification from your "client" of a demand for remuneration for "property damage" resulting from "your work".

The notice should include:

- (a) A notarized letter from the "client" of the work deemed necessary to be changed;
- (b) The names and addresses of the affected "clients";
- (c) A written description by you of how, when and where the event occurred; and
- (d) A cancelled check or money order written to the "client".

- (2) At our request, give us complete inventories of the damage and undamaged property. Include quantities, costs, values and amount of the loss claimed.

- (3) Cooperate with us in the review of the reimbursement.

- e. The following definition is added:
"Client" means an individual, company, or organization with whom you have a written contract or work order for your services for a described premises and have billed for your services.

2. INCIDENTAL MALPRACTICE

- a. The definition of "bodily injury" in **SECTION V - DEFINITIONS** is amended to include injury arising out of rendering or failing to render medical or paramedical services to persons by any physician, dentist, nurse, emergency medical technician or paramedic who is employed by you to provide such services.
- b. **Paragraph 2.a.(1)(d) of SECTION II- WHO IS AN INSURED** does not apply to nurses, emergency medical technicians or paramedics described in paragraph a. above.
- c. Part (1) of the **Employers Liability** exclusion under Paragraph 2. **Exclusions**, of **SECTION - I COVERAGE A** does not apply to injury to the emotions or reputation of a person arising out of such services.

This Incidental Malpractice Coverage does not apply if you are engaged in the business or profession of providing services described in paragraph a. above.

3. EXTENDED PROPERTY DAMAGE

Under Paragraph 2. **Exclusions** of **SECTION - I COVERAGE A**, the **Expected Or Intended Injury** exclusion is replaced by the following:

Expected Or Intended Injury

"Bodily injury" or "property damage" expected or intended from the standpoint of the insured. This exclusion does not apply to "bodily injury" or "property damage" resulting from the use of reasonable force to protect persons or property.

4. NONOWNED AIRCRAFT AND WATERCRAFT

Under Paragraph 2. **Exclusions** of **SECTION - I COVERAGE A**, the **Aircraft, Auto or Watercraft** is replaced by the following:

Aircraft, Auto or Watercraft

"Bodily injury" or "property damage" arising out of the ownership, maintenance, use or entrustment to others of any aircraft, "auto" or watercraft owned or operated by or rented or loaned to any insured. Use includes operation and "loading or unloading."

This exclusion applies even if the claims against any insured allege negligence or other wrongdoing in the supervision, hiring, employment, training or monitoring of others by that insured, if the "occurrence" which caused the "bodily injury" or "property damage" involved the ownership, maintenance, use or entrustment to others of any aircraft, "auto" or watercraft that is owned or operated by or rented or loaned to any insured.

This exclusion does not apply to:

- (1) An aircraft that is:
 - (a) Hired, chartered or loaned to an insured with a paid crew; and
 - (b) Not owned by an insured;
- (2) A watercraft while ashore on premises you own or rent;
- (3) A watercraft you do not own that is:
 - (a) Less than 51 feet long; and
 - (b) Not being used to carry persons or property for a charge;

Exceptions (1) and (3) to this exclusion g. do not apply, and exclusion g. is fully applicable, to any aircraft or watercraft to which any other insurance covering "bodily injury" or "property damage" is available to the insured. This is so whether the other insurance applies on a primary, excess, contingent or any other basis.

- (4) Parking an "auto" on, or on the ways next to, premises you own or rent, provided the "auto" is not owned by or rented or loaned to you or the insured;
- (5) Liability assumed under any "insured contract" for the ownership, maintenance or use of aircraft or watercraft; or
- (6) "Bodily injury" or "property damage" arising out of:
 - (a) The operation of machinery or equipment that is attached to, or part of, a land vehicle that would qualify under the definition of "mobile equipment" if it were not subject to a compulsory or financial responsibility law or other motor vehicle insurance law in the state where it is licensed or principally garaged; or
 - (b) The operation of any of the machinery or equipment listed in Paragraph f.(2) or f.(3) of the definition of "mobile equipment".

5. PROPERTY DAMAGE LIABILITY - ELEVATORS, BORROWED EQUIPMENT and LIMITED COVERAGE FOR DAMAGE TO PERSONAL PROPERTY IN YOUR CARE, CUSTODY OR CONTROL

- a. Under Paragraph 2. **Exclusions** of **SECTION - I COVERAGE A**, part (4) of the **Damage To Property** exclusion applies as follows:

- (1) This exclusion always applies to "property damage" to property of others which occurs at premises you own, rent or control.
- (2) With respect to "property damage" to personal property of others which occurs away from premises you own, rent or control, this exclusion will apply only when the "property damage" is:

- (a) To property which you have contracted to install;
- (b) The direct result of the property being raised, lowered or otherwise moved by a crane;
- (c) To "mobile equipment" or an "auto";
- (d) To that particular part of property which you are attempting to service or repair; or
- (e) Covered by other insurance which will pay for the "property damage."

(3) This exclusion does not apply to "property damage" to borrowed equipment while not being used to perform operations at the job site.

- b. Parts (3), (4) and (6) of the **Damage To Property** exclusion do not apply to the use of elevators.
- c. The insurance afforded by this section is excess over any valid and collectible property insurance (including any deductible portion thereof) available to the insured whether primary, excess, contingent or on any other basis, and the **OTHER INSURANCE** condition is deemed changed accordingly.

6. **CONTRACTUAL PERSONAL AND ADVERTISING INJURY**

Under Paragraph 2. **Exclusions** of **SECTION - I COVERAGE B**, the **Contractual Liability** exclusion is deleted. However, the coverage provided by this section will not apply if **COVERAGE B PERSONAL AND ADVERTISING INJURY LIABILITY** is excluded by any of the exclusions or other provisions of the Coverage Form or by any endorsement.

7. **FIRE, LIGHTNING, EXPLOSION OR WATER DAMAGE**

- a. The last paragraph of **SECTION I - COVERAGE A** (after the exclusions) is replaced by the following:
Exclusions c. through n. do not apply to damage by fire, lightning, explosion or water to premises rented to you or temporarily occupied by you with permission of the owner. A separate limit of insurance applies to this coverage as described in **SECTION III - LIMITS OF INSURANCE**.
- b. Paragraph 6. of Section III - Limits Of Insurance is replaced by the following:
 - 6. Subject to 5. above, the greater of:
 - (1) \$500,000; or
 - (2) The Damage To Premises Rented To You Limit shown in the Declarations;

is the most we will pay under Coverage A for damages because of "property damage" to any one premises, while rented to you, or in the case of damage by fire, lightning, explosion or water, while rented to you, or temporarily occupied by you with permission of the owner.

The Damage To Premises Rented To You Limit applies to all loss or damage caused by or resulting from fire, lightning, explosion or water; or any combination of these causes

- c. Under **SECTION IV - COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY CONDITIONS, OTHER INSURANCE**, the **Excess Insurance** provision pertaining to fire insurance for premises rented to you or temporarily occupied by you with permission of the owner is replaced by the following:

That is Fire and Extended Coverage insurance for premises rented to you or temporarily occupied by you with permission of the owner;

8. **SUPPLEMENTARY PAYMENTS**

Under **SUPPLEMENTARY PAYMENTS - COVERAGES A AND B**:

- a. The most we will pay for the cost of bail bonds required because of accidents or traffic law violations arising out of the use of any vehicle to which the Bodily Injury Liability Coverage applies is increased by \$2,250.
- b. The most we will pay for actual loss of earnings because of time off from work is increased by \$250.

9. **BROADENED COVERAGE - EMPLOYEES / VOLUNTEERS**

The following replaces paragraph 2.a. under **SECTION II - WHO IS AN INSURED**:

- 2. Each of the following is also an insured
 - a. Your "volunteer workers" only while performing duties related to the conduct of your business, or your "employees", other than either your "executive officers" (if you are an organization other than a partnership, joint venture or limited liability company) or your managers (if you are a limited liability company), but only for acts within the scope of their employment by you or while performing duties related to the conduct of your business. However, none of these:

(1) "Employees" is an insured for:**(a) "Personal and advertising injury":**

- (i)** To you, to your partners or members (if you are a partnership or joint venture), to your members (if you are a limited liability company), to a co-"employee" while in the course of his or her employment or performing duties related to the conduct of your business, or to your other "volunteer workers" while performing duties related to the conduct of your business;
- (ii)** To the spouse, child, parent, brother or sister of that co-"employee" or "volunteer worker" as a consequence of Paragraph **(1)(a)(i)** above;
- (iii)** For which there is any obligation to share damages with or repay someone else who must pay damages because of the injury described in Paragraphs **(1)(a)(i)** or **(ii)** above; or
- (iv)** Arising out of his or her providing or failing to provide professional health care services. However, if you have "employees" who are pharmacists in your retail druggist or drugstore operation, they are insured with respect to their providing or failing to provide professional health care services.

(b) "Property damage" to property:

- (i)** Owned, occupied or used by,
- (ii)** Rented to, in the care, custody or control of, or over which physical control is being exercised for any purpose by

you, any of your "employees", "volunteer workers", any partner or member (if you are a partnership or joint venture), or any member (if you are a limited liability company).

(2) "Volunteer workers" is an insured for:**(a) "Bodily injury" or "personal and advertising injury":**

- (i)** To you, to your partners or members (if you are a partnership or joint venture), to your members (if you are a limited liability company), to a co- "employee" while in the course of his or her employment or performing duties related to the conduct of your business, or to your other "volunteer workers" while performing duties related to the conduct of your business;

- (ii)** To the spouse, child, parent, brother or sister of that co-"employee" or "volunteer worker" as a consequence of Paragraph **(2)(a)(i)** above;

- (iii)** For which there is any obligation to share damages with or repay someone else who must pay damages because of the injury described in Paragraphs **(2)(a)(i)** or **(ii)** above; or

- (iv)** Arising out of his or her providing or failing to provide professional health care services.

(b) "Property damage" to property:

- (i)** Owned, occupied or used by,
- (ii)** Rented to, in the care, custody or control of, or over which physical control is being exercised for any purpose by

you, any of your "employees", "volunteer workers", any partner or member (if you are a partnership or joint venture), or any member (if you are a limited liability company).

10. NEWLY FORMED OR ACQUIRED ORGANIZATIONS

Paragraph 3. under **SECTION II - WHO IS AN INSURED**, is replaced by the following:

- 3.** Any organization you newly acquire or form; other than a partnership, joint venture or limited liability company; and over which you maintain ownership or majority interest, will qualify as a Named Insured if there is no other similar insurance available to that organization. However:

- a. Coverage under this provision is afforded only until the 180th day after you acquire or form the organization or the end of the policy period, whichever is earlier; and
- b. Coverage under this provision does not apply to:
 - (1) "Bodily injury" or "property damage" that occurred; or
 - (2) "Personal and advertising injury" arising out of an offense committed; before you acquired or formed the organization.

11. SUBSIDIARIES

The following is added under **SECTION II - WHO IS AN INSURED**:

- a. Any organization, not shown in the Declarations as a Named Insured, which is a legally incorporated entity, if you own more than 50% of the outstanding securities representing the present right to vote for the election of its directors; or
- b. Any organization, not shown in the Declarations as a Named Insured, which is a legally incorporated entity, if more than 50% of the outstanding securities representing the present right to vote for the election of its directors is owned by an organization described in paragraph .a. above; is also an insured.

The insurance afforded under paragraphs a. and b. above applies only if no other insurance of any kind is available to such entity for this kind of liability.

12. ADDITIONAL INSURED - BY CONTRACT, AGREEMENT OR PERMIT - INCLUDING LESSOR OF LEASED EQUIPMENT, OWNER OF LEASED LAND, MANAGERS OR LESSORS OF PREMISES, ENGINEERS, ARCHITECTS AND SURVEYORS AND VENDORS

The following is added to **SECTION II - WHO IS AN INSURED**:

- a. **Additional Insureds - By Contract, Agreement or Permit**
 - (1) Any person or organization with whom you have entered into a written contract, agreement or permit requiring you to provide insurance such as is afforded by this Commercial General Liability Coverage Form will be an additional insured, but only:

- (a) To the extent that such additional insured is held liable for acts or omissions committed by you or your subcontractors during the performance of your ongoing operations for the additional insured.

- (b) With respect to property owned or used by, or rented or leased to, you.

The insurance afforded any additional insured under this paragraph a.(1) will be subject to all applicable exclusions or limitations described in paragraphs b.(1), (2), (3) (5) and (6) and in c.(1), (2), (3), (4), (5) and (6) below.

- (2) Such insurance as is provided by paragraph a.(1) for any additional insured will be primary, if so required by the written contract, agreement or permit. Any other insurance available to such person or organization shall be excess over this insurance.
- (3) A person's or organization's status as an additional insured in connection with a written contract, agreement or permit under paragraphs a.(1), (2) and (3) ends when your operations for that additional insured are completed or the written contract, agreement or permit is terminated or expires.

b. Additional Exclusions or Limitations

(1) Lessor of Leased Equipment

If an equipment lessor is an additional insured as a result of the provisions of paragraphs a.(1), (2) and (3) above, the following additional exclusion applies:

This insurance does not apply to "bodily injury" or "property damage" arising out of the sole negligence of such additional insured.

(2) Owner of Leased Land

If an owner or other interest from whom land has been leased is an additional insured as a result of the provisions of paragraphs a.(1), (2) and (3) above, the following additional exclusions apply:

This insurance does not apply to:

- (a) Any "occurrence" that takes place after you cease to lease that land; or
- (b) Structural alterations, new construction or demolition operations performed by or for the owner or other interest from whom the land was leased.

(3) Managers or Lessors of Premises

If a manager or lessor of premises you rent or lease is an additional insured as a result of the provisions of paragraphs a.(1), (2) and (3) above, the following additional exclusions apply:

This insurance does not apply to:

- (a) Any "occurrence" that takes place after you cease to be a tenant in those premises; or
- (b) Structural alterations, new construction or demolition operations performed by or for the manager or lessor of those premises.

(4) Engineers, Architects or Surveyors

If an engineer, architect or surveyor is an additional insured as a result of the provisions of paragraphs a.(1), (2) and (3) above, the following additional exclusions apply:

This insurance does not apply to "bodily injury," "property damage," "personal and advertising injury" arising out of the rendering or failing to render any professional services by or for you, including:

- (a) The preparing, approving, or failing to approve, maps, shop drawings, opinions, reports, surveys, field orders, change orders or drawings and specifications; or
- (b) Giving directions or instructions, or failing to give them, if that is the primary cause of injury.

(5) Vendors of "Your Products"

If a vendor of "your products" is an additional insured under this Coverage Part, such insurance as is provided to the additional insured applies only with respect to "bodily injury" or "property damage" arising out of "your products" which are distributed or sold in the regular course of the vendor's business and subject to the following additional exclusions:

- (a) This insurance afforded the vendor does not apply to:
 - (i) "Bodily injury" or "property damage" for which the vendor is obligated to pay damages by reason of the assumption of liability in a contract or agreement. This exclusion does not apply to liability that the vendor would have in the absence of the contract or agreement;

- (ii) Any express warranty unauthorized by you;

- (iii) Any physical or chemical change in the product made intentionally by the vendor;

- (iv) Repackaging, unless unpacked solely for the purpose of inspection, demonstration, testing or the substitution of parts under instructions from the manufacturer, and then repackaged in the original container;

- (v) Any failure to make such inspections, adjustments, tests or servicing as the vendor has agreed to make or normally undertakes to make in the usual course of business, in connection with the distribution or sale of the products;

- (vi) Demonstration, installation, servicing or repair operations, except such operations performed at the vendor's premises in connection with the sale of the product; or

- (vii) Products which, after distribution or sale by you, have been labeled or relabeled or used as a container, part or ingredient of any other thing or substance by or for the vendor.

- (b) This insurance afforded the vendor does not apply to any person or organization from whom you have acquired such products, or any ingredient, part or container entering into, accompanying or containing such products.

No insurance will be provided under this Vendors coverage if "bodily injury" or "property damage" under the "products-completed operations hazard" is excluded by any of the exclusions or other provisions of this Coverage Form or by any endorsement.

(6) State or Governmental Agency or Subdivision or Political Subdivision

If the state or governmental agency or subdivision or political subdivision is an additional insured as a result of the provisions of paragraphs a.(1), (2) and (3) above, the following additional exclusions apply:

This insurance does not apply to:

- (a) "Bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" arising out of operations performed for the federal government, state or municipality; or
 - (b) "Bodily injury" or "property damage" included within the "products-completed operations hazard".
- c. Such insurance as is afforded for any additional insured under paragraph a. or b. above is subject to all applicable exclusions of 2. Exclusions, **COVERAGE A** (Section I), other than exclusion b. **Contractual Liability**, to all exclusions or limitations stated with the coverage language, and to the following additional exclusions:
- This insurance does not apply to:
- (1) The independent acts or omissions of such additional insured.
 - (2) Any liability arising from injury or damage in connection with a contract or agreement executed or permit issued subsequent to:
 - (a) The occurrence of any "bodily injury" or "property damage"; or
 - (b) The commission of any offense which caused "personal and advertising injury."
 - (3) Construction or demolition activities within 50 feet of any railroad property and affecting any railroad bridge or trestle, track, road-bed, tunnel, underpass or crossing.
 - (4) Any liability arising from injury or damage in connection with a permit issued by a state or political subdivision if the liability is from operations performed for the state or political subdivision.
 - (5) Any liability from "bodily injury" or "property damage" arising out of "your work" which is included in the "products-completed operations hazard." This additional exclusion c.(5) does not apply with respect to such Vendors coverage as is provided under b.(5) above.
 - (6) Any person or organization included as an insured under any other provision of Section II - **Who Is An Insured** or included as an additional insured by any endorsement to this policy.

13. INSURED - NONOWNED WATERCRAFT

The following is added to **SECTION II - WHO IS AN INSURED**:

With respect to any watercraft you do not own that is:

- a. Less than 51 feet long; and
- b. Not being used to carry persons or property for a charge;

any person who uses or is responsible for the use of such watercraft, with your express or implied consent, is an insured.

Any other person or organization responsible for the conduct of such person is also an insured, but only with respect to liability arising out of the operation or use of the watercraft, and only if no other insurance of any kind is available to that person or organization for this liability. However, no person or organization is an insured with respect to:

- (1) "Bodily injury" to a co-"employee" of the person operating or using the watercraft; or
- (2) "Property damage" to property owned by, rented to, in the charge of or occupied by you or the employer of any person who is an insured under this provision.

14. MEDICAL PAYMENTS

Paragraph 7. of **SECTION III - LIMITS OF INSURANCE** is replaced by the following:

- 7. Subject to 5. above, the most we will pay under Coverage C for all medical expenses because of "bodily injury" sustained by any one person is the Medical Expense Limit which is the greater of:

- a. \$15,000; or
- b. The Medical Expense Limit shown in the Declarations.

15. PER LOCATION GENERAL AGGREGATE LIMIT

The General Aggregate Limit under Limits Of Insurance (Section III) applies separately to each of your "locations" owned by or rented to you.

"Location" means premises involving the same or connecting lots, or premises whose connection is interrupted only by a street, roadway, waterway or right-of-way of a railroad.

16. PRIORITY CONDITION

The following paragraph is added to **SECTION III - LIMITS OF INSURANCE:**

In the event a claim or "suit" is brought against more than one insured, due to "bodily injury" or "property damage" from the same "occurrence", or "personal and advertising injury" from the same offense, the Limits of Insurance will apply in the following order:

- a. You;
- b. Your "executive officers", directors, stockholders or "employees", and
- c. Any other insureds in any order that we choose.

17. DUTIES IN THE EVENT OF OCCURRENCE, OFFENSE, CLAIM OR SUIT

Under **SECTION IV - COMMERCIAL LIABILITY CONDITIONS, DUTIES IN THE EVENT OF OCCURRENCE, OFFENSE, CLAIM OR SUIT** is replaced by the following:

Duties In The Event Of Occurrence, Offense, Claim Or Suit

- a. You must see to it that we are notified as soon as practicable of an "occurrence" or an offense which may result in a claim. To the extent possible, notice should include:
 - (1) How, when and where the "occurrence" or offense took place;
 - (2) The names and addresses of any injured persons and witnesses; and
 - (3) The nature and location of any injury or damage arising out of the "occurrence" or offense.

This paragraph a. applies only if one of the following knows of the "occurrence" or offense:

- (1) You;
 - (2) A partner or member, if you are a partnership or joint venture;
 - (3) A member or manager, if you are a limited liability company; or
 - (4) An "executive officer" or insurance manager, if you are an organization other than a partnership, joint venture or limited liability company.
- b. If a claim is made or "suit" is brought against any insured, you must:
 - (1) Immediately record the specifics of the claim or "suit" and the date received; and
 - (2) Notify us as soon as practicable.

You must see to it that we receive written notice of the claim or "suit" as soon as practicable.

This paragraph b. will be considered to have been violated only if the violation occurs after the claim or "suit" is known to:

- (1) You;
 - (2) A partner or member, if you are a partnership or joint venture;
 - (3) A member or manager, if you are a limited liability company; or
 - (4) An "executive officer" or insurance manager, if you are an organization other than a partnership, joint venture or limited liability company.
- c. You and any other involved insured must:
 - (1) Immediately send us copies of any demands, notices, summonses or legal papers received in connection with the claim or "suit";
 - (2) Authorize us to obtain records and other information;
 - (3) Cooperate with us in the investigation, or settlement of the claim or defense against the "suit"; and
 - (4) Assist us, upon our request, in the enforcement of any right against any person or organization that may be liable to the insured because of injury or damage to which this insurance may also apply.
 - d. No insured will, except at that insured's own cost, voluntarily make a payment, assume any obligation, or incur any expense, other than for first aid, without our consent.

18. WAIVER OF TRANSFER OF RIGHTS OF RECOVERY AGAINST OTHERS TO US

Under **SECTION IV - COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY CONDITIONS**, the following replaces **Transfer Of Rights Of Recovery Against Others To Us:**

If the insured has rights to recover all or part of any payment we have made under this policy, those rights are transferred to us. The insured must do nothing after loss to impair them. At our request, the insured will bring "suit" or transfer those rights to us and help us enforce them.

We waive any right of recovery we may have under such a transfer of rights against any person or organization holding a waiver under a written contract with the insured if such contract was executed prior to the loss which generated such right of recovery.

19. NOTICE TO COMPANY

The following is added to **SECTION IV - COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY CONDITIONS:**

Notice To Company

If the insured reports an "occurrence" or offense to its Workers Compensation insurer and such "occurrence" or offense later becomes a claim under this Coverage Part, failure to report such "occurrence" or offense to us at the time of the "occurrence" or offense will not be considered a violation of the **Duties in the Event of Occurrence, Offense, Claim or Suit** Condition, only if:

- a. Such failure or omission is not intentional; and
- b. You notify us as soon as practicable when you become aware that the "occurrence" or offense has become a liability claim.

20. UNINTENTIONAL FAILURE TO DISCLOSE HAZARDS

The following is added to **SECTION IV - COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY CONDITIONS:**

Unintentional Failure To Disclose Hazards

Failure of the insured to disclose all hazards existing as of the inception date of the policy shall not prejudice the rights of the insured as respects the insurance afforded by this policy if such failure or omission is not intentional.

21. COVERAGE TERRITORY

Under the **Definitions** Section, "coverage territory" is replaced by the following:

"Coverage territory" means:

- a. The United State of America (including its territories and possessions), Puerto Rico and Canada;
- b. International waters or airspace, provided the injury or damage does not occur in the course of travel or transportation to or from any place not included in **a.** above; or
- c. All other parts of the world if:
 - 1) The injury or damage arises out of:
 - a) Goods or products made or sold by you in the territory described in **a.** above;
 - b) The activities of a person whose home is in the territory described in **a.** above, but is away for a short time on your business; or

- c) "Personal and advertising injury" offenses that take place through the Internet or similar electronic means of communication; and

- 2) The insured's responsibility to pay damages is determined in a "suit" on the merits, in:

- a) The territory described in **a.** above;
 - b) The Commonwealth of the Bahamas, Bermuda, Cayman Islands, and British Virgin Islands;
- or in a settlement we agree to.

22. BODILY INJURY DEFINITION

Under the **Definitions** Section, "bodily injury" is replaced by the following:

"Bodily injury" means:

- a. Bodily injury, sickness or disease sustained by a person, including death resulting from any of these at any time; or
- b. Shock, mental anguish or mental injury, including death resulting therefrom, to a person who sustained bodily injury, sickness or disease, provided the shock, mental anguish or mental injury is a consequence of the bodily injury, sickness or disease.

23. PERSONAL AND ADVERTISING INJURY LIABILITY EXTENSION

Under the **Definitions** Section, "personal and advertising injury" is replaced by the following: "Personal and advertising injury" means injury including mental anguish, shock or humiliation other than "bodily injury" arising out of one or more of the following offenses:

1. False arrest, detention or imprisonment;
2. Malicious prosecution or abuse of process;
3. Wrongful entry into, or eviction of a person from, a room, dwelling or premises that the person occupies;
4. Oral or written publication, in any manner, of material that slanders or libels a person or organization or disparages a person's or organization's goods, products or services;
5. Oral or written publication, in any manner, of material that violates a person's right of privacy;
6. The use of another's advertising idea in your "advertisement";
7. Infringing upon another's copyright, trade dress or slogan in your "advertisement"; or
8. Discrimination.

As used in this form, discrimination means the act of differentiation based on age, race, color, sex, religion, national origin, physical handicap or sexual preference which violates any applicable federal, state or local statute which pertains to discrimination.

But discrimination does not include acts of differentiation that cause injury to:

- a. A person arising out of any:
 - (1) Refusal to employ that person;
 - (2) Termination of that person's employment; or
 - (3) Employment-related practices, policies, acts or omissions, such as coercion, demotion, evaluation, reassignment, discipline, defamation, harassment, humiliation or discrimination directed at that person; or
- b. The spouse, child, parent, brother or sister of that person as a consequence of "bodily injury" to that person at whom any of the employment-related practices described in paragraphs(1), (2) or (3) above as directed.

Paragraphs a. and b. above apply:

- (1) Whether the "insured" may be liable as an employer or in any other capacity; and
- (2) To any obligation to share damages with or repay someone else who must pay damages because of the injury.

24. IMPAIRED PROPERTY

- a. Under the **Definitions** Section, the definition of "impaired property" does not apply.
- b. Exclusions m. and n. under **SECTION I - COVERAGE A** are replaced by the following:

m. Loss Of Use Of Tangible Property

Loss of use of tangible property which has not been physically injured or destroyed, resulting from:

- (1) A delay in or lack of performance by you or anyone on your behalf of any contract or agreement; or
- (2) The failure of "your product" or "your work" to meet the level of performance, quality, fitness or durability warranted or represented by or on your behalf.

This exclusion does not apply to loss of use of other tangible property resulting from the sudden or accidental physical injury to or destruction of:

(1) "Your product"; or

(2) "Your work";

after such product or work has been put to its intended use.

n. Recall Of Products, Work Or Other Property

Damage claimed for any loss, cost or expense incurred by you or others for the loss of use, withdrawal, recall, inspection, repair, replacement, adjustment, removal or disposal of:

(1) "Your product";

(2) "Your work"; or

(3) Any property of which "your product" or "your work" forms a part;

if such product, work, or property is withdrawn or recalled from the market or from use by any person or organization because of a known or suspected defect, deficiency, inadequacy or dangerous condition in it.

25. LIBERALIZATION

If we adopt any revision that would broaden the coverage under this Coverage Part without additional premium within 45 days prior to or during the policy period, the broadened coverage will immediately apply to this Coverage Part.

26. LIMITED PRODUCT WITHDRAWAL EXPENSE

The Limited Product Withdrawal Expense Endorsement is added, subject to the following: Unless higher amounts are shown in the Schedule of the Limited Product Withdrawal Expense Endorsement:

- a. A \$10,000 Aggregate Limit of Insurance;
- b. A \$500 Deductible Amount Per Product Withdrawal; and
- c. A 0% Participation Percentage Per Product Withdrawal;

applies to this coverage.

27. ELECTRONIC DATA LIABILITY

The Electronic Data Liability endorsement is added subject to the following:

Unless a higher limit is shown in the Schedule of the Electronic Data Liability Endorsement, \$10,000 applies to the coverage provided by this endorsement.

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WAIVER OF OUR RIGHT TO RECOVER FROM OTHERS ENDORSEMENT

We have the right to recover our payments from anyone liable for an injury covered by this policy. We will not enforce our right against the person or organization named in the Schedule. (This agreement applies only to the extent that you perform work under a written contract that requires you to obtain this agreement from us.)

This agreement shall not operate directly or indirectly to benefit anyone not named in the Schedule.

Schedule

Any person or organization for whom the Named Insured has agreed by written contract to furnish this waiver

This endorsement changes the policy to which it is attached and is effective on the date issued unless otherwise stated.

(The information below is required only when this endorsement is issued subsequent to preparation of the policy.)

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