



**THE CITY OF NEW YORK
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND MENTAL HYGIENE**

INVITATION FOR BIDS

AND

AGREEMENT

FOR

**REGULATED MEDICAL WASTE COLLECTION, REMOVAL, AND
TRANSPORTATION SERVICES**

DATE OF ISSUE: JULY 6, 2016

SOLICITATION PIN: 17AX001900R0X00

AUTHORIZED AGENCY CONTACT

Bidders are advised that the Agency's authorized contact person for **ALL** matters concerning this IFB is:

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NOTE TO BIDDERS:

YOU MUST READ THE ENTIRE DOCUMENT. HOWEVER, PLEASE COMPLETE AND SUBMIT ONLY THE BID PACKAGE (SECTION IV).

RETAIN THE REMAINING PARTS FOR YOUR INFORMATION. READ SECTION IV FOR DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS ON BID SUBMISSION.

SECTION I: TIMETABLE

1. Release Date of this IFB: **July 6, 2016**

2. Deadline for Questions: **July 20, 2016**
All questions must be submitted in writing to the Authorized Agency Contact person, preferably by email at Bids@health.nyc.gov.

3. Bid Due Date and Time, Public Bid Opening Location are as follows:

Date: **August 10, 2016**
Time: **12:00 P.M.**
Location: New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene
Office of the Agency Chief Contracting Officer
42-09 28th Street, 17th Floor
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Attention: Michael Santangelo, Esq., Contract Manager

General Bid Submission Information:

- To ensure that bids are properly received and recorded, contractors submitting bids prior to the Bid Due Date must contact the Authorized Agency Contact to pre-arrange a bid drop-off.
 - Emailed or faxed bids will not be accepted.
 - DOHMH will not be responsible for bids that are deposited with anyone other than the Authorized Agency Contact.
 - Any bids received by DOHMH after 12:00 PM on the Bid Due Date will be considered late and will not be accepted.
4. Projected Contract Start Date: January 1, 2017

A. GENERAL STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

The New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene (“DOHMH” or “the agency”) is seeking a Licensed Regulated Medical Waste removal vendor to collect and transport regulated medical waste from DOHMH Health Centers, the New York City Public Health Laboratory and DOHMH Gotham Center, to an appropriate, licensed regulated medical waste disposal site or licensed transfer facility.

B. MINIMUM EXPERIENCE

Bidder must demonstrate all of the following experience requirements at the time of bid submission in order to be considered responsive:

1. The Bidder must have at least three (3) years of experience performing the same or similar services to those being sought in this solicitation for a commercial/industrial/public sector customer. Bidder must provide a current resume for individual who is the principal or owner of the firm.
2. The Bidder must provide three (3) written reference letters from different commercial/industrial/public sector clients for whom work, as specified herein, has been performed within the past three (3) years who can attest to the Bidder’s experience and quality of services. Letters from DOHMH are not acceptable for this purpose. Written reference letters must be on the reference’s letterhead and must include the following:
 - a. The name of the reference
 - b. The title of the individual signing the reference letter; letter must be signed in ink by the signatory
 - c. The address of the reference entity
 - d. The contact information for the reference (including phone number and email address)
 - e. A description of the services provided to the reference

C. LICENSING/PERMIT REQUIREMENTS

Bidder must demonstrate all of the following at the time of bid submission:

1. Bidder must possess a valid New York State Waste Transporter Permit (Part 364/381).
2. Bidder must possess a valid New York City Business Integrity Commission Trade Waste Removal License.

D. ANTICIPATED TERM OF CONTRACT

DOHMH anticipates that the term of the contract will be five (5) years.

SECTION II: SCOPE OF SERVICES

A. SPECIFICATIONS/SCOPE OF SERVICES

The contractor (“Contractor”) shall provide all equipment, materials, personnel and supplies necessary to perform regulated medical waste disposal services to collect and transport regulated medical waste from DOHMH Health Centers, the New York City Public Health Laboratory and Gotham Center to an appropriate, licensed regulated medical waste disposal site or licensed transfer facility. Contractor shall perform the work in accordance with the following specifications and in compliance with all applicable federal, state and local laws, rules, and regulations governing the removal, transportation, and delivery of medical waste to the final licensed destination or transfer facility.

1. Waste Disposal Procedure

- a. **Supplying of Waste Receptacles.** Contractor shall supply waste receptacles as follows:
 - i. For the ten Health Centers and Gotham Center, Contractor shall supply boxes sufficient in quantity to safely and adequately store regulated medical waste until the waste is picked up according to the schedule (See Schedule A). All boxes for the Health Centers must be of sufficient size to contain 4.5 cubic feet of regulated medical waste.
 - ii. For the Public Health Laboratory, Contractor shall supply wheeled containers in sufficient quantity to safely and adequately store an estimated 2,000 lbs. per week of regulated medical waste in anticipation of a pick-up of the medical waste according to the designated schedule (see Schedule B). The containers must be approved and labeled wheeled containers, with dimensions of about 4 feet long by 2.5 feet wide by 3 feet high and be of sufficient size to contain 27 to 30 cubic feet of regulated medical waste.
- b. **Collection Days for Regulated Medical Waste.** Contractor shall collect and transport the regulated medical waste from the Health Centers, Gotham Center and the Public Health Laboratory on scheduled days (“Collection Days”) as follows:
 - i. For the ten Health Centers, the Contractor shall collect the regulated medical waste between 9am and 5pm on Collection Days of pickup as specified in Schedule A (see Attachment A). The site of pick-up will be from the receiving entrance of the Health Centers in all boroughs. If Monday is a City Holiday then the Collection Day pick-up is rescheduled to Tuesday of that same

week. If Friday is a City Holiday then the Collection Day pick-up is rescheduled to Thursday of that same week.

- ii. For the Public Health Laboratory, the Contractor shall collect the regulated medical waste between 6am and 8am on the Collection Days as specified in Schedule B (see Attachment A). The site of pick-up from the Public Health Laboratory Building in Manhattan will be from the basement loading dock, also known as the receiving bay.
 - iii. For Gotham Center, the Contractor shall collect regulated medical waste between 9am and 5pm on an as-needed basis, as noted in Schedule A. The DOHMH Facilities Manager or designee will notify the Contractor in advance and will schedule a pick-up date with the Contractor. The site of pick-up from Gotham Center will be at the Bureau of HIV/AIDS located on the 21st floor.
- c. Collection and Transportation Procedure.** Contractor shall collect and transport the regulated medical waste as follows:
- i. Contractor shall identify all regulated medical waste ready for pick up in the designated container or boxes. Prior to removing the containers or boxes, Contractor shall confirm that all regulated medical waste is properly segregated into approved containers that have been properly labeled and manifest the pick-up in compliance with applicable federal, state, and local laws.
 - ii. At the time of pick up or collection, the Contractor shall attach water resistant identification tags on the outer surface of all container/box packaging to be collected and removed. Identification tags must contain the name of the Contractor taking possession, state permit or identification number, date of receipt and place of generation. Place of generation stickers will be provided by the DOHMH Facilities Manager or designee.
 - iii. Contractor shall remove all filled or partially filled containers or boxes and replace each container or box removed with an equivalent clean and empty container or box. As indicated in Schedule B, Contractor shall pick up approximately 19 containers located on floors 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 11 and 13 of the Public Health Laboratory building. Contractor shall replace the full or partially full containers with clean sanitized containers during the collection period. Contractor's personnel shall transport all full or partially full containers to the loading dock and shall place the labeled containers in the Contractor's vehicle. DOHMH personnel will weigh all containers on the loading dock by prior to transport.

- iv. Contractor shall place the filled or partially filled containers or boxes in vehicles maintained by the Contractor with the specifications noted below in Section II(A)(1)(d).
 - v. Contractor shall transport all regulated medical waste to an appropriate, licensed regulated medical waste disposal site or licensed transfer facility, if needed.
- d. Contractor Vehicle Specifications.** Contractor must maintain vehicles used to remove and transport regulated medical waste according to the following specifications:
- 1) **Vehicles Owned by Contractor:** All vehicles must be owned by the Contractor. The term “owned” includes the lease of motor vehicle, which gives the Contractor exclusive use and possession under a written lease for a period greater than thirty (30) days.
 - 2) **Leak-Resistant Cargo-Carrying Body:** Each vehicle must have a fully enclosed leak-resistant cargo-carrying body, which must be maintained in good sanitary condition. The cargo-carrying body must also be secured at all times, particularly at times the vehicle is left unattended.
 - 3) **Identification Placed on Vehicles:** All vehicles must have identification on two sides and the back of the cargo-carrying body in letters a minimum of three (3) inches in height with the name or trademark of the Contractor; the state permit number applicable to each vehicle; and a sign indicating, or the words stating “Regulated Medical Waste” imprinted on each vehicle.
 - 4) **Working Lift Gate:** All vehicles must have working lift gates.

2. Submission of Required Documentation. Contractor shall provide the following tracking requirements:

- a. **Certification of Net Weight of Regulated Medical Waste Collected:** The Contractor shall certify the net weight of each filled or partially filled container/box picked up from the sites on each Collection Day, the type and number of containers/boxes picked up and exchanged, and the total net weight of regulated medical waste removed on that particular Collection Day. The Contractor shall leave at each site a signed copy of the certification of net weight of regulated medical waste collected from that site on the Collection Day.

- b. Certification of Net Weight of Regulated Medical Waste Transported:** The Contractor shall certify the net weight of regulated medical waste picked up from each site per Collection Day and then transported to a licensed regulated medical waste disposal or transfer site. The Contractor shall ensure that all tracking forms, except for the copy left with the site, accompany the waste while in transit. The Contractor shall provide written confirmation to the DOHMH Facilities Manager or designee that the designated disposal or transfer facility is authorized to accept the manifested waste, has the capacity for the proposed shipment of waste and will provide or assure that lawful disposal or storage of the waste will be accomplished.

- c. Certification of Ultimate Destination of Regulated Medical Waste:** The Contractor will provide proof to the DOHMH Facilities Manager or designee in the form of manifests, shipping documents and other documents of the final destination of all regulated medical waste collected from each site. Such documentation will include the date of delivery of the regulated medical waste and the net weight delivered on that date. The documentation required by this paragraph will include the signature of a designated individual at the receiving facility and the date.

- d. Use of Intermediate Facilities:** If an intermediate handling facility is used, the Contractor shall provide the same documentation as required for a disposal or storage site as described in subparagraphs a, b and c above of this section.

3. General Terms

- a.** Prior to the commencement of Collection Day hours, the Contractor shall have completed all necessary mobilization, preparation and set up of the site. The Contractor shall arrange for the placement and installation of all necessary equipment, materials and supplies with the DOHMH Facilities Manager or designee.

- b.** During Collection Day hours, the Contractor will staff the site with the personnel necessary to ensure removal of waste and replacement of clean containers by 8:00 am on Collection Day at the Public Health Laboratory and between 9:00 am and 5:00 pm at the Health Centers.

- c.** The Contractor will restore the site to its original condition, including the return of all furniture, office equipment, and other DOHMH property to the original location if moved during removal of regulated medical waste, by no later than 8:00 am of Collection Day for the Public Health Lab and no later than 5:00 pm for the Health Centers. All collected regulated medical waste and all equipment, materials and supplies (other

than the clean and empty replacement containers/boxes) will be completely removed from the site by such time. In the event of an emergency or unforeseeable circumstances which preclude full restoration of the site by the required time, the Contractor must notify the DOHMH Facilities Manager immediately of such delay and must develop, in connection with DOHMH's Assistant Director of Operations or other person designated by the Assistant Director, a plan for complete restoration of the site within twenty-four hours of the collection. Under no circumstances shall Contractor leave collected regulated medical waste unattended.

- d. Contractor shall submit to the DOHMH Director of Plant Operations all required collection and post collection documentation as required by law and within one month of dropping off the regulated medical waste at the disposal site or transfer facility.
- e. Contractor is cognizant of the risks to people, property and the environment posed by the generation, handling, transportation, and disposal of the waste which may be presented for collection. Contractor shall take all reasonable precautions to protect persons and property of the City and others from damage, loss, injury, infection or exposure to harmful contaminated substance resulting from the Contractor's operations under this Contract.
- f. The Contractor shall notify the DOHMH Assistant Director of Operations or designee immediately of any damage(s) to the work or work area or any accident(s) on the site.
- g. Contractor must maintain all necessary health, safety, fire, accident prevention and emergency contingency plans for the term of this Contract. Contractor must provide DOHMH Facilities Manager or designee with copies of Contractor's health, safety, fire, accident prevention, and emergency contingency plans prior to the commencement of this Contract and thereafter as requested by the DOHMH Facilities Manager or designee.
- h. Contractor shall maintain and keep current all licenses, certifications, forms, and permits required by federal, state, and local laws throughout the term of the Contract.

B. INVOICING AND PAYMENT

1. **Monthly Billing.** Contractor will submit an invoice to DOHMH for collection, removal and disposal of regulated medical waste on a monthly basis.
2. **Invoice Submission.** Within fifteen (15) days after the last day of each calendar

month, the Contractor will submit an invoice for review and approval to InvoiceIntake@health.nyc.gov.

3. Contents of Invoice. The invoice will set forth charges for services performed under this agreement during the preceding month and will include the following information:

- i. The collection date of the regulated medical waste;
- ii. The borough and sites from which the regulated medical waste was collected;
- iii. The number and type of containers/boxes removed from each site;
- iv. The number and type of clean and empty medical waste containers/boxes replaced at each site;
- v. The net weight of regulated medical waste in each container/box removed on the date of collection;
- vi. The total net weight of regulated medical waste removed on the date of collection.
- vii. Copies of the documentation confirming that all medical waste was disposed of at a licensed disposal facility in compliance with all applicable federal, State and local laws, rules, and regulations governing the removal, transportation, and disposal of medical waste.
- viii. Payment to the Contractor will be made only after the Department is satisfied that the work represented by the invoice has been satisfactorily completed in accordance with the terms and conditions of the agreement.

Note: The City of New York is tax exempt from New York State and local sales and use taxes as noted in the Contract package. The Contractor shall file with the State all appropriate forms in this regard.

4. DOHMH may disallow for payment any expenses or charges which are not authorized or documented in accordance with the terms of this Contract, or for failure to deliver any required service or work product to the satisfaction of the Department.

5. Prevailing Wage. To the extent that any trades covered by the work stipulated herein involves titles covered by Prevailing Wage Rates pursuant to New York State Labor Law Sections 220 and 230, and Section 6-109 of the New York City Administrative Code, Contractor shall be required to pay not-less-than the Prevailing wage rate attached to the Contract, and any modifications thereto made by the New York City Comptroller.

C. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES

Due to the difficulty of accurately ascertaining the loss which the City will suffer by reason of the lack of, or delay in, the satisfactory completion of the work hereunder, below are sums fixed and agreed as the liquidated damages that the City will suffer by reason of such lack or delay, and not as a penalty. The parties acknowledge that the damages to the Department for Contractor's failure to complete the work to the satisfaction of the Department in a timely manner in accordance with all applicable laws and standards are impossible to quantify, and therefore, the parties agree that the Department may fix certain charges in lieu thereof, which the Department, in its sole judgment believe to be within the reasonable control of the Contractor, as follows:

- 1) If the Contractor fails to provide pick-up services as indicated in Schedule A and Schedule B, and as required in this Scope of Services, DOHMH, may, in the sole discretion of DOHMH, assess liquidated damages in the amount of \$100.00 per day for each day that the Contractor fails to make a scheduled pick-up.
- 2) Upon the Contractor's receipt of notice of the imposition of liquidated damages pursuant to this Article, the Contractor must, upon demand, pay to the City the sum fixed in this section by check made payable to "NYC Department of Health and Mental Hygiene", or such amount may be, at the option of the Department, offset by the Department against monies otherwise due to the Contractor.
- 3) Liquidated Damages received hereunder are not intended to be nor shall they be treated as either a partial or full waiver or discharge of the City's right to indemnification under this contract or the Contractor's obligation to indemnify the City, or to any other remedy provided for by contract or by law.

D. INSURANCE

The Contractor shall secure and maintain through the term of this Contract, the insurance coverage described in Appendix A.

E. ADDITION OR REMOVAL OF SITES

1. DOHMH reserves the right to add or remove locations listed under Schedule A.
2. The cost for added locations will be consistent with the prices bid for similar services at other locations on this contract and will not exceed the maximum reimbursable amount of this solicitation.
3. Funding for the cost of additional locations will be drawn from DOHMH Allowance in **Schedule C** as indicated on the Bid Sheet.

F. METHOD OF BIDDING

Please see the Bid Sheet for Bid Items and Instructions.

G. WHISTLEBLOWER PROTECTION EXPANSION ACT RIDER

Local Law Nos. 30 and 33 of 2012, codified at sections 6-132 and 12-113 of the New York City Administrative Code, the Whistleblower Protection Expansion Act, protect employees of certain City contractors from adverse personnel action based on whistleblower activity relating to a City contract and require contractors to post a notice informing employees of their rights. Please read Appendix F, the Whistleblower Protection Expansion Act Rider, carefully.

H. COMPLIANCE WITH IRAN DIVESTMENT ACT

Pursuant to State Finance Law Section 165-a and General Municipal Law Section 103-g, the City is prohibited from entering into contracts with persons engaged in investment activities in the energy sector of Iran. Each proposer is required to complete the attached Bidders Certification of Compliance with the Iran Divestment Act, certifying that it is not on a list of entities engaged in investments activities in Iran created by the Commissioner of the NYS Office of General Services. If a proposer appears on that list, the Agency/Department will be able to award a contract to such proposer only in situations where the proposer is taking steps to cease its investments in Iran or where the proposer is a necessary sole source. Please refer to Appendix G for information on the Iran Divestment Act required for this solicitation and instructions on how to complete the required form and to <http://www.ogs.ny.gov/About/regs/ida.asp> for additional information concerning the list of entities.

I. COMPLIANCE WITH PAID SICK LEAVE LAW

Pursuant to the Earned Sick Time Act, also known as the Paid Sick Leave Law (“PSLL”), employers are required to provide paid sick time to employees who annually perform more than 80 hours of work in New York City during any consecutive 12-month period. Contractors of the City of New York or of other governmental entities may be required to provide sick time pursuant to the PSLL. The Paid Sick Leave Law Rider describes the requirements of the PSLL as well as exceptions and exemptions to the law. The Rider will be included in any contract(s) resulting from this solicitation and will incorporate the PSLL as a material term to the contract(s). Please see Attachment K for the Rider.

J. SUBCONTRACTING

a) The Contractor shall not subcontract any part of the services to be performed hereunder without first obtaining DOHMH permission to subcontract in writing. Please see Agreement and General Conditions (Section V, Articles 16 & 17), attached to this document.

b) The Contractor will be required to utilize the City's web-based system to identify all subcontractors in order to obtain subcontractor approval pursuant to the Procurement Policy Board (PPB) Rules, Section 4-13, and will also be required to enter all subcontractor payment information and other related information in such system during the contract term. Please read the attached, Subcontractor Compliance Notice (Appendix H) as it relates to competitive solicitations.

K. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS

1. The Contractor shall comply with all local, state, and federal laws, rules, and regulations applicable to this Contract and to the work specified herein including but not limited to the Federal Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970.
2. All components shall be in accordance with all applicable New York City and New York State codes and rules.

L. NOTIFICATION TO BEGIN WORK

1. The Contractor shall commence services under this Contract upon its receipt of a written Notice to Proceed from DOHMH.
2. The Contractor shall notify the DOHMH Supervisor of Building Maintenance or designee as to when and how Contractor will proceed.
3. All Contractor personnel shall carry color photo identification cards bearing the name of the employee and the name of the contact information for the company for which he/she works. These identification cards may not contain any official City, State, or Federal logo nor imply that the bearer of the card is a government worker.
4. The Department of Health and Mental Hygiene reserves the right to order the Contractor to temporarily suspend services in any or all locations specified, and in such an event, the contractor shall immediately suspend services and no payment will be made for the period of time that work is suspended.

M. IRREVOCABILITY OF BID

1. The prices set forth in the bid are firm and shall be in effect from date of award until the completion or termination of the Contract. However, after award, prices may be subject to change, either as an increase or decrease, predicated solely upon demonstrated changes in the Prevailing Wage and/or Supplemental Benefits rates pursuant to Section 220 of New York State Labor Law. Adjustments shall not be made for any other costs associated with the resulting agreement.
2. The Contractor shall abide by all laws, and shall pay wages and benefits pursuant to Sections 220 and 230 of New York State Labor Law. DOHMH will closely

monitor the Contractor's compliance. DOHMH shall use the Total Bid Price to determine the low bidder. DOHMH shall award the Contract to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder.

3. DOHMH at its option may terminate this Contract at any time and for any reason with written notice to the Contractor, in which event DOHMH shall be liable to the Contractor only for the cost of all work satisfactorily completed up to the time of termination.

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Attachment A

LIST OF COLLECTION DAY PICK-UP SCHEDULES

Schedule A				
Pick-up of Regulated Medical Waste from The New York City Department of Health & Mental Hygiene - Health Centers and Gotham Center. Pick-up Hours between 9 AM and 5 PM If Monday is a City Holiday then Pick-up is on Tuesday of that same week. If Friday is a City Holiday then Pick-up is on Thursday of that same week.				
NAME OF SITES For Schedule A	WEEKLY PICK-UPS	Estimated # of Boxes PER WEEK @ 4.5 cu. ft. per box	COLLECTION DAY	EST. TOTAL BOXES PER YEAR PER SITE
BRONX				
MORRISANIA HC 1309 Fulton Avenue, Rm. 302, Bronx, NY, NY 10456	Once per week	10	Friday	520
QUEENS				
CORONA HC 34-33 Junction Blvd., Rm. B-1, Jackson Heights, NY 11372	Once per week	7	Tuesday	364
ASTORIA HC 12-26 31 st Avenue – Room BE8, Astoria, NY 11106	Once per week	1	Thursday	52
GOTHAM CENTER 42-09 28 th Street, 22 nd Floor, Long Island City, NY 11101	On Call	1	TBD	52
JAMAICA- HC 90-37 Parsons Blvd., Jamaica, NY 11432	Once per week	6	Friday	312
MANHATTAN				
RIVERSIDE HC 160 West 100th Street, New York, NY, NY 10027	Once per week	10	Wednesday	520
MANHATTANVILLE HC 21 Old Broadway, New York, NY 10020	Once per week	6	Thursday	312
WASHINGTON HEIGHTS HC 600 West 168th Street, Rm. 401, New York, NY 10032	Once per week	1	Thursday	52

Schedule A				
Pick-up of Regulated Medical Waste from The New York City Department of Health & Mental Hygiene - Health Centers and Gotham Center. Pick-up Hours between 9 AM and 5 PM If Monday is a City Holiday then Pick-up is on Tuesday of that same week. If Friday is a City Holiday then Pick-up is on Thursday of that same week.				
NAME OF SITES For Schedule A	WEEKLY PICK-UPS	Estimated # of Boxes PER WEEK @ 4.5 cu. ft. per box	COLLECTION DAY	EST. TOTAL BOXES PER YEAR PER SITE
CENTRAL HARLEM HC 2238 5th Avenue, New York, NY, NY 10035	Once per week	6	Friday	312
BROOKLYN				
CROWN HEIGHTS HC 1218 Prospect Place, Brooklyn, NY, NY 11213	Once per week	6	Wednesday	312
FORT GREENE HC 295 Flatbush Ave. Ext., Basement, Brooklyn, NY 11201	Once per week	9	Friday	468
ESTIMATED TOTAL of 4.5 cu. ft. BOXES PER YEAR for SCHEDULE A				3,276

Schedule B				
Pick-up of Regulated Medical Waste from the New York City Department of Health & Mental Hygiene – Public Health Laboratory. Pick-up Hours between 6 AM and 8 AM				
NAME OF SITES	WEEKLY PICK-UPS	Estimated # OF LBS. Per Week.	COLLECTION DAYS	EST. TOTAL LBS. PER YEAR
PUBLIC HEALTH LAB 455 First Avenue, Loading Dock New York, NY, NY 10016	3 times per week	2,000 lbs. Per Week	Monday Wednesday Friday	104,000 lbs

SECTION III - BID PROCEDURES AND REQUIREMENTS

1. Status of Information

- a. The Agency (the Department) shall not be bound by any oral or written information released prior to the issuance of the IFB.
- b. The Agency shall not be bound by any oral or written representations, statements or explanations other than those made in this IFB, in Agency written responses to proposer inquiries or in a formal written addendum to this IFB.

2. Communication with the Agency

- a. Proposers are advised that from the date this IFB is issued until the award of the contract, NO contact with Agency personnel related to this solicitation is permitted, except as shall be authorized by the Authorized Agency Contact, as defined in Section I of this IFB.
- b. All inquiries regarding this solicitation shall be addressed in writing to the Authorized Agency Contact.
- c. All inquiries shall be responded to in writing.

3. Pre-Bid Conference

Please refer to Section I: Timetable above.

4. Addenda to the IFB

- a. The Agency shall issue corrections or amendments to the IFB it deems necessary prior to the Bid Due Date in the form of written addenda.
- b. It is the bidder's responsibility to assure receipt of all addenda. The bidder should verify with the designated Agency contact person prior to submitting a proposal that all addenda have been received. Bidders shall acknowledge the number of addenda received as part of their proposals (See Section IV).

5. Form of Bid

- a. Each bid must be submitted upon the prescribed form (See Section IV) and must contain all information required therein. **FAILURE TO SUBMIT ALL REQUIRED DOCUMENTS WITH THE BID WILL RENDER THE BID INCOMPLETE AND NONRESPONSIVE AND WILL RESULT IN THE DISQUALIFICATION OF THE BIDDER.**
- b. The completed bid must be submitted in a sealed envelope on or before the time and

at the place indicated in Section I above. The envelope must be marked with the name of the person, firm or corporation presenting it, the bid opening date, bid number and bid title. The bid and all other documents requiring signature must be signed and notarized. Bid Bonds (if required by Schedule A) must be submitted with the Bid, but in a separate sealed envelope, also identified as above.

- c. The Bid must be typewritten or written legibly in ink. The Bid must be signed in ink. Erasures or alterations must be initialed by the signer in ink.
- d. A materially false statement willfully or fraudulently made in connection with the bid or any of the forms completed and submitted with the bid may result in the termination of any contract between the City and the Bidder. As a result, the Bidder may be barred from participating in future City contracts as well as be subject to possible criminal prosecution.
- e. Any bid submitted electronically or via fax will not be accepted.
- f. Bid samples and descriptive literature shall not be submitted by the bidder, unless expressly requested elsewhere in the contract or contract documents. Any unsolicited bid samples or descriptive literature which are submitted shall not be examined or tested and shall not be deemed to vary any of the provisions of this contract.
- g. The prices set forth in the bid cannot be revoked and shall be effective until the award of the contract, unless the bid is withdrawn, as provided for in Section 7, below.

6. Proprietary Information, Trade Secrets

- a. A bidder shall identify those portions of its bid that it deems to be confidential, proprietary information or trade secrets, and provide justification why such materials shall not be disclosed by the City. All materials the bidder desires to remain confidential shall be clearly indicated by stamping the pages on which such information appears, at the top and bottom thereof with the word "Confidential". Such materials stamped "Confidential" must be easily separable from the non-confidential portions of the bid.
- b. All such materials so indicated shall be reviewed by the Agency and any decision not to honor a request for confidentiality shall be communicated in writing to the bidder. For those bids which are unsuccessful, all such confidential materials shall be returned to the bidder. Prices, makes and model or catalog numbers of the items offered, deliveries, and terms of payment shall be publicly available after bid opening regardless of any designation of confidentiality made by the bidder.

7. Modification or Withdrawal of Bids, Late Bids

- a. Bids may be modified or withdrawn by written notice received in the office designated in Section I, paragraph 3, before the time and date set for the bid opening.

- b. If a bid is withdrawn in accordance with this Section, the bid security, if any, shall be returned to the bidder.
- c. Any bid received at the place designated in the solicitation after the time and date set for receipt of bids is late and shall not be considered. Any request for withdrawal or modification received at the place designated in the solicitation after the time and date set for receipt of bids is late and shall not be considered. The exception to this provision is that a late modification of a successful bid that makes the bid terms more favorable to the City shall be considered at any time it is received.
- d. Except as provided for in paragraph (a) above, a bidder may not withdraw its bid before the expiration of forty-five (45) days after the date of the opening of bids; thereafter, a bidder may withdraw its bid only in writing and in advance of an actual award.

8. Mistakes in Bids

- a. A bidder may correct mistakes discovered before the time and date set for bid opening by withdrawing or correcting the bid as provided by Section 3-02(j) of the Procurement Policy Board Rules.
- b. In accordance with Section 3-02(m) of the Procurement Policy Board Rules, if a bidder alleges a mistake in bid after bid opening and before award, the bid may be corrected or withdrawn upon written approval of the Agency Chief Contracting Officer (ACCO)
 - (c) Mistakes Discovered After Vendor Selection: Mistakes shall not be corrected after vendor Selection except where the ACCO subject to the approval of the City Chief Procurement Officer makes a determination that it would be unconscionable not to allow the mistake to be corrected.

9. Bid Evaluation and Award

- a. This contract shall be awarded, if at all, to the responsible bidders whose bid meets the requirements and evaluation criteria set forth in the Invitation For Bids, and whose bid price is either the lowest responsive and responsible bid price or, if the Invitation For Bids so states, the lowest responsive and responsible evaluated bid price. A bid may not be evaluated for any requirement or criterion that is not disclosed in the Invitation for Bid. For the purposes of this Invitation for Bid, the award will be made to the responsive and responsible bidder that offers the lowest bid price.

- b. In accordance with Section 3-02 (o)(2) of the Procurement Policy Board Rules, negotiations with the lowest bidder who is also responsive and responsible, shall be allowed to take place in those circumstances in which such negotiations result in terms which are more favorable to the City.
- c. Nothing in this Section shall be deemed to permit a contract award to a bidder submitting a higher quality item than that designated in the Invitation For Bid if that bid is not also the most favorable bid.
- d. In accordance with Section 3-02(p) of the Procurement Policy Board Rules, when two or more low responsive bids from responsible bidders are identical in price, meeting all the requirements and criteria set forth in the Invitation For Bids, the Agency Chief Contracting Officer shall break the tie in the following order of priority:
 - (i) Select a certified New York City small minority or woman-owned business entity bidder;
 - (ii) Select a New York City bidder;
 - (iii) Select a certified New York State small, minority or woman-owned business bidder;
 - (iv) Select a New York State bidder.
 - (v) Conduct a Drawing. Tie bidders shall be invited to witness the drawing. A witness shall be present to verify the drawing and shall certify the results on the bid tabulation sheet.
- e. The Agency may reject a bid if the bidder is determined to be not responsive or not responsible pursuant to the Procurement Policy Board Rules. The bidder has the right to appeal a determination of non-responsiveness or non-responsibility and has the right to protest a solicitation and award, pursuant to Sections 2-07, 2-08, and 2-10 respectively, of the Procurement Policy Board Rules.
- f. The Agency, upon written approval by the Agency Chief Contracting Officer, may reject all bids and may elect to re-solicit bids if in its sole opinion it shall deem it in the best interest of the City to do so. The Agency, upon written approval of the ACCO, may determine that it is appropriate to cancel the Invitation for Bids after Bid Opening and before award.
- g. Unit Price Contracts
 - (i) Comparison of Bids: Bids on Unit Price Contracts will be compared on the basis of a total estimated price, arrived at by taking the sum of the estimated quantities of such items multiplied by the corresponding unit prices, and including any lump sum bids on individual items, in accordance with the

Estimate of Quantities set forth in the Bid Form.

- (ii) Variations from Estimates: Bidders are warned that the Estimate of Quantities of the various items of work and materials is approximate only, given solely to be used as a uniform basis for the comparison of bids, and is not being considered a part of this Contract. Work may be less or more than so estimated, and if so, no action for damages or for loss of profits shall accrue to the Contractor by reason thereof. If during the progress of the work, the actual quantity of items required to complete the work of any unit item approaches the estimated quantity, and due to errors, site conditions, changes in design or any other reason, it appears that the actual quantity necessary to complete the work will exceed the estimated quantity by 25 percent, the Contractor shall immediately notify the Agency of such anticipated overruns. The Contractor shall not be compensated for work performed in excess of one hundred twenty five (125) percent of the estimated quantities in the bid schedule without written authorization from the Agency.

10. Bonds

If required in the Schedule of Bonds and Liability Insurance, as detailed in Appendix A, then:

- a. Bid Bond.
Not Required.
- b. Performance and Payment Bonds
Not Required.
- c. Failure to Execute Contract
In the event of failure of the successful bidder to execute the contract and furnish any required security and insurances, within ten (10) days after notice of the award of the contract, the deposit of the successful bidder or so much thereof as shall be applicable to the amount of the award made shall be retained by the City, and the successful bidder shall be liable for and hereby agrees to pay on demand the difference between the price bid and the price for which such contract shall be subsequently re-let, including the cost of such re-letting and less the amount of such deposit. No plea of mistake in such accepted bid shall be available to the bidder for the recovery of the deposit or as a defense to any action based upon such accepted bid.

Further, should the bidder's failure to comply with this Section cause any funding agency, body or group (Federal, State, City, Public, Private, etc.) to terminate, cancel or reduce the funding on this project, the bidder in such event shall be liable also to the City for the amount of actual funding withdrawn by such agency on this project less the amount of the forfeited deposit.

11. Vendor Requirements

a. Financial Qualifications

- (i) In addition to the experience questionnaire (Section IV) required to be submitted with the bid, after the opening of bids and when directed by the Commissioner, the bidder may also be required to submit a sworn statement setting forth such information as the Commissioner may require concerning his financial condition, present and proposed plant and equipment, the personnel and qualifications of his working organizations, prior experience and performance record.

The Agency may require any bidder or prospective bidder to furnish all books of account, records, vouchers, statements or other information concerning the bidder's financial status for examination as may be required by the Agency to ascertain bidder's responsibility and capability to perform the contract.

If the bidder fails or refuses to supply any of the documents or information set forth in paragraph (a) hereof or fails to comply with any of the requirements thereof, the Agency may reject the bid.

- (ii) When directed by the Agency, the bidder, or a responsible officer, agent or employee of the bidder, must submit to an oral examination to be conducted by the Agency in relation to his proposed tentative plan and schedule of operations, and such other matters as the Agency may deem necessary in order to determine the bidder's ability and responsibility to perform the work in accordance with the Contract. If required by the ACCO, each person so examined must sign and verify a stenographic transcript of such examination, noting thereon such corrections therein as such person may desire to make.

b. Vendex Questionnaires:

- (i) Pursuant to Administrative Code S6-116.2 and Section 2-08 of the Rules of the Procurement Policy Board, bidders may be obligated to submit completed VENDEX questionnaires with this bid. Generally, if this bid is \$100,000 or more, or if this bid when added to the sum total of all contracts, concessions and franchises the bidder has received from the City and any subcontracts received from City contractors over the past twelve months, equals or exceeds \$100,000, VENDEX questionnaires must be completed. Any questions concerning this requirement must be submitted to the Authorized Agency Contact Person. Selected vendors will be required to submit the completed Vendex questionnaires (www.nyc.gov/Vendex) to DOHMH within 10 days of notice.
- (ii) The same requirements apply to all subcontractors.

- c. Employment report:
 - (i) In accordance with Executive Order No. 50 (1980), the filing of a completed Employment Report (ER) is required to do business with the City of New York if the contract value exceeds \$100,000, and if your firm employs 50 or more people. If your company or any of its facilities performing on the contract has fewer than 50 employees, although the contract value exceed \$100,000, you need only submit a "Less Than 50 Employees Certificate". The Selected vendor will be required to submit the completed Employment report to the Agency within 10 days of notice.
 - (ii) The same requirements apply to all subcontractors.
- d. Americans with Disability Act
This Invitation to Bid is subject to Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (ADA) and regulations promulgated pursuant thereto which prohibits discrimination against individuals with a disability, as defined in the ADA, by a public entity in providing services, programs or activities to the public.
- e. Affirmative Action and Equal Employment Opportunity
This Invitation For Bids is subject to applicable provisions of Federal, State and Local Laws and executive orders requiring affirmative action and equal employment opportunity.
- f. Tropical hardwoods
Tropical hardwoods as defined in Section 167-b of the State Finance Law shall not be utilized in the performance of this contract except as expressly permitted by the foregoing provision of law.

12. Sub-contractors

- a. Documents given to a sub-contractor for the purpose of soliciting the sub-contractor's bid shall include either a copy of the bid cover or a separate information sheet setting forth the project name, the contract number (if available), the contracting agency, and the project's location.
- b. If a bidder is awarded the contract and intends to use one or more sub-contractors in the performance of this contract, the bidder must obtain approval from the Department for each sub-contractor.
- c. Subcontractors must comply with the submission requirements for the VENDEX Questionnaires and Employment Report.

13. Comptroller Certificate

This contract shall not be binding or of any force unless the Comptroller of the City shall

endorse hereon his certificate that there remains unexpended and unapplied, as provided in Section 6-101 of the Administrative Code of the City of New York, a balance of the appropriation of funds applicable thereto sufficient to pay the estimated expense of executing this contract as certified by the officer making the same. This contract shall continue in force only after annual appropriation of funds by the City of New York and Certification as hereinabove set forth.

14. Prompt Payment

The Prompt Payment provisions set forth in Section 4-06 of the Procurement Policy Board Rules in effect at the time of this solicitation will be applicable to payments made under a contract resulting from this solicitation. The Contractor must submit a proper invoice to receive payment, except where the contract provides that the contractor will be paid at predetermined intervals without having to submit an invoice for each scheduled payment. Determinations of interest due will be made in accordance with the provisions of Section 4-06 of the Procurement Policy Board Rules and General Municipal Law 3-A.

15. Procurement Policy Board Rules

This Invitation for Bids is subject to the Rules of the Procurement Policy Board of the City of New York. In the event of a conflict between said Rules and a provision of this Invitation for Bids, the Rules shall take precedence.

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SECTION IV: BID PACKAGE

Instructions for submitting a bid:

- A. This package contains the following forms that **must be completed and returned with the bid:**

ITEM 1. Bidder Representations

ITEM 2. Bid Price Sheet

This form must be completed and signed by a principal of the bidding firm, the corporate seal must be affixed, and the form must be notarized.

ITEM 3. Acknowledgement of Addenda

This form must be completed and signed by an authorized person representing the bidder.

ITEM 4. Experience Questionnaire

This form must be completed and signed by an authorized person representing the bidder and the form must be notarized. Bidder must include all certifications and other evidence that the bidder and its service technicians meet the threshold requirements necessary to perform the services required hereunder. Be sure to attach all relevant evidence of training, prior experience and certifications for service technicians who will be performing services.

APPENDIX C: Tax Affirmation

Must be completed and signed by Bidder.

APPENDIX H: Iran Divestment Rider

Must be completed, signed by Bidder, and notarized.

- B. The following items, supplied by the Bidder, **must also be included with the Bid Submission:**

ITEM 5. Safety

- Workers Compensation document or signed letter from your

broker/insurance carrier indicating the bidder's Experience Modification Rating (EMR).

- Copies of OSHA training card(s).

ITEM 6. Audited/Reviewed Financial Statements

Most recent audited or reviewed financial statements signed by the CPA.

ITEM 7. Required License/Certification and Resumes

- A copy of Bidder's valid New York State Waste Transporter Permit (Part 364/381).
- A copy of Bidder's valid New York City Business Integrity Commission Trade Waste Removal License.
- Current resume for individual who is the principal or owner of the firm.

ITEM 8. References

Bidder must provide three (3) written reference letters from three different clients who can attest to the bidder's experience and quality of services, including, without limitation, in at least two of such references, references who or which can verify the past experience and quality of service in performing elevator maintenance, inspection testing, and repair work. Reference letters must be written on the client's letterhead, signed in ink by the authorized representative of the client. Reference letters must be from clients for whom services were provided within the last three (3) years. DOHMH references are not acceptable for this Bid. References must not be related to the bidder by blood or marriage.

- C. The following items must be completed and returned within 10 days of notice by the Department of the winning Bidder:

ITEM 9. VENDEX Questionnaires

Required for bids exceeding \$100,000.

ITEM 10. Employment Report

Required for bids exceeding \$100,000.

ITEM 11. Insurance Certificate and Worker's Compensation document

See Article 22 of the Agreement and Appendix A – General Conditions for Insurance Requirements for this bid.

ITEM 12. Emergency Plans

Bidder must provide copies of their health, safety, fire, accident prevention and emergency contingency plans.

- D. **Do not return Sections I, II, or III of this Invitation for Bid; also do not return the attached Agreement with the Bid Submission. However please review and submit the forms as required in the Appendices.**

- E. Upon award of this contract, DOHMH will send the entire Bid/Agreement to the winning Bidder for execution. It will contain this entire Bid Package as part of the contract.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK
Department of Health and Mental Hygiene
Bid Submission for:
REGULATED MEDICAL WASTE COLLECTION, REMOVAL, AND
TRANSPORTATION SERVICES
PIN: 17AX001900R0X00

COVER SHEET/ CHECKLIST

Bidder's Legal Name: _____ Bidder's Tax ID#: _____
 Date Submitted: _____

The following items, as checked by the Bidder, are included with this Bid:

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| Item 1: | Bidder Representations | [] |
| Item 2: | Bid Sheet | [] |
| Item 3: | Acknowledgement of Addenda | [] |
| Item 4: | Experience Questionnaire | [] |
| Item 5: | Safety Documents | |
| | Workers Compensation Document | [] |
| | Copies of OSHA training card | [] |
| Item 6: | Audited/Reviewed Financial Statements | [] |
| Item 7: | New York State Waste Transporter Permit
(Part 364/381) | [] |
| | New York City Business Integrity Commission Trade Waste
Removal License | [] |
| | Resume of Principal Owner of Firm | [] |
| Item 8: | Reference Letters (3) | [] |
| | Appendix C: Tax Affirmation | [] |
| | Appendix G: Iran Contractor Divestment Rider | [] |

ITEM 1: Bidder Representations

Name of Bidding Firm: _____

Does the bidding firm legally go by any other names or D/B/A? YES ____ NO _____

If Yes, indicate D/B/A/ and attach Certificate of Doing Business Under an Assumed Name (D/B/A) form _____

Principal Place of Business: _____

Telephone #: _____ Fax #: _____

E-mail address: _____ EIN #: _____

Date of Bid Submission: _____

Bidder is: Individual () Partnership () Corporation ()

A). If Bidder is Individual:

Home Address of Bidder _____

B). If Bidder is Partnership:

Name and Home Address of Partners:

C). If Bidder is Corporation:

Organized under the laws of the State of _____

Name and home address of President: _____

Name and home address of Secretary: _____

Name and home address of Treasurer: _____

The above-named Bidder affirms and declares:

1. The several matters stated and information furnished herein is in all aspects true.
2. The said Bidder is of lawful age and the only one interested in this bid, and that no person, firm, or corporation other than herein before named has any interest in this bid, or in the contract proposed to be taken.
3. By submission of this bid, each bidder and each person signing on behalf of any bidder certifies, and in the case of a joint bid, each party thereto certifies as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of his/her knowledge and belief: (1) the prices in this bid have been arrived at independently without collusion, consultation, communication, or agreement, for the purpose of restricting competition, as to any matter relating to such prices with any other bidder or with any competitor or potential competitor; (2) Unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this bid have not been knowingly disclosed by the bidder and will not knowingly be disclosed by the bidder prior to opening, directly or indirectly to any other bidder or to any competitor or potential competitor; and (3) No attempt has been made or will be made by the bidder to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit a bid for the purpose of restricting competition.
4. That no councilman or other officer or employee or person whose salary is payable in whole or in part from the City Treasury is directly or indirectly interested in this bid, or in the supplies, materials, equipment, work or labor to which it relates, or in any of the profits.
5. That said bidder is not in arrears to the City of New York upon debt, taxes or contract, and is not a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation of the City of New York, and has not been declared not responsible, or disqualified, by any agency of the City of New York or State of New York, nor is there any proceeding pending relating to the responsibility or qualification of the bidder to receive public contracts except _____

6. The bidder, as an individual, or as a member, partner, director or officer of the bidder, if the same be a firm, partnership or corporation, executes this document expressly warranting and representing that if this bid is accepted by the City and the Contract awarded to such bidder, the bidder and his subcontractors engaged in the performance: (1) will comply with the provisions of Section 6-108 of the Administrative Code of the City of New York and the nondiscrimination provisions of Sect. 220a of the NYS Labor Law as more expressly and in detail set forth in the contract form; (2) will comply with the provisions of Section 6-109 of the Administrative Code of the City of New York in relation to minimum wages and other stipulations as more expressly and in detail set forth in the Agreement; (3) have complied with the provisions of the aforesaid laws since their respective effective date, and (4) will post notices to be furnished by the City, setting forth the requirements of the aforesaid laws in prominent and conspicuous places in each and every plant, factory, building and structure where employees engaged in the performance of the Contract can readily view it, and will continue to keep such notices posted until the supplies, materials and equipment, or work labor and services required to be furnished or rendered by the Contractor have been finally accepted by the City. In the event of breach or violation of any of the foregoing, the bidder may be subject to damages, liquidated or otherwise, cancellation of the Contract and suspension as a bidder for a period of three years. (The words, "the bidder", "he", "his", and "him" where used herein shall mean the individual bidder, firm, partnership or corporation executing this bid).
7. Compliance Report: The bidder, as an individual, or as a member, partner, director or officer of the bidder, if the same be a firm, partnership, or corporation, (1) represents that their attention has been specifically drawn to Executive Order No. 50, dated April 25, 1980, on Equal Employment Compliance of the contract, and (2) warrants that they will comply with the provisions of Executive Order No. 50. The bidder, as an individual, or as a member, partner, director, or officer of the bidder, if the same be a firm, partnership, or corporation, executes this document expressly warranting that they will comply with the provision of this contract in providing records, Chapter 8.

8. By submission of this bid, bidder certifies that it now has, and will continue to have, the financial capability to fully perform the work required for this contract. Any award of this contract will be made in reliance upon such certification. Upon request therefore, the bidder will submit written verification of such financial capability in a form that is acceptable to the Department.
9. That said bidder has visited and examined the site of the work and has carefully examined the Contract in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, and will execute the Contract and perform all of its items, covenants and conditions, and will provide, furnish and deliver all the work, materials, supplies, tools and appliances for all labor and materials necessary or required for the hereinafter named work, all in strict conformity with the Contract and for the prices set forth in the bid sheet.
10. That the party signing the Bid Sheet is duly authorized to sign this agreement on behalf of the Contractor.

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ITEM 2: BID SHEET
PIN: 17AX001900R0X00

Bidder's Legal Name: _____ Bidder's Tax ID #: _____

Date Submitted: _____

NOTICE TO ALL BIDDERS: FAILURE TO COMPLETE THIS SECTION IN DETAIL WILL RESULT IN REJECTION OF YOUR BID.

The undersigned agrees, if this bid is accepted, that it will, within 10 days of receipt of notice of award, submit executed copies of insurance policies as may be required, execute the Agreement set forth in this Invitation for Bid, and will proceed, when directed to do so, with the work required hereunder in strict compliance with the terms and conditions set forth in this Bid AT THE UNIT AND OTHER PRICES SET FORTH BELOW.

NOTE #1: The Bid Price in Schedule A and Schedule B of the Bid Sheet include all costs related to the services. Contractor should take into account the costs of labor, tools, equipment, insurance, overhead and profit necessary to complete the services. The Contractor may bid a different Bid Price for each contract year by providing a bid price for each year, as indicated on the Bid Sheet. In determining the bid price for each year, Contractor should take into account possible fluctuations in their expenses and costs, including prevailing wage increases.

NOTE #2: The amounts listed in Schedule C of the Bid sheet are provided and represent allowances for additional locations during the Contract term. Contractor may not bid a separate amount for this portion of the Bid Sheet.

NOTE #3: This is a requirements contract and is intended to cover, during the term of this Contract, the requirements of DOHMH. **The quantities listed are estimated for the full term of this contract, and DOHMH may use more, less or none of the quantities listed.**

NOTE #4: DOHMH reserves the right to add or remove locations at any time during the period of this Contract.

NOTE #5: Compliance with all provisions of the New York Labor Law is mandatory under this contract. Pursuant to Sections 220 and 230 of the New York State Labor Law, the Comptroller of the City of New York has promulgated a schedule of prevailing wages and supplemental benefits. These wages and benefits have been established solely for laborers, workmen, and mechanics engaged by private contractors to perform public work contracts. The wages to be paid and the benefits to be provided are those which prevail when the work is performed. A copy of the current relevant wage rates is attached as Appendix M.

The appropriate job title(s) as defined in labor Law Section 230, Prevailing Wage Schedule, shall be used throughout the terms of this contract. Certified payroll reports shall be provided with each partial payment request to verify that the appropriate job title(s) are being used and that the provisions of the Labor Law, as to the hours of employment, rates, and supplemental benefits are being observed. The job title required under this contract includes, but is not limited to, **Medical Waste Remover: Driver, Helper, and Tractor Trailer Driver.**

ITEM 2: BID PRICE SHEET (Page 1 of 2)
Regulated Medical Waste Disposal Services
PIN: 17AX001900R0X00

Bidder's Legal Name: _____ **Bidder's Tax ID#:** _____

SCHEDULE A (District Health Centers and Gotham Center)			
A	B	C	D
Contract Year	Estimated Number of 4.5 cu. ft. Boxes (amount is for all District Health Centers and Gotham Center during a given period)	Bid Price per 4.5 cu. ft. Box	Extended Cost (B x C)
1 st 12 Month Period	3,276	\$	\$
2 nd 12 Month Period	3,276	\$	\$
3 rd 12 Month Period	3,276	\$	\$
4 th 12 Month Period	3,276	\$	\$
5 th 12 Month Period	3,276	\$	\$
SUBTOTAL: SCHEDULE A FOR 60 MONTHS			\$

SCHEDULE B (Public Health Laboratory)			
A	B	C	D
Contract Year	Estimated Pounds of Medical Waste	Bid Price per Pound	Extended Cost (B x C)
1 st 12 Month Period	104,000	\$	\$
2 nd 12 Month Period	104,000	\$	\$
3 rd 12 Month Period	104,000	\$	\$
4 th 12 Month Period	104,000	\$	\$
5 th 12 Month Period	104,000	\$	\$
SUBTOTAL: SCHEDULE B FOR 60 MONTHS			\$

SCHEDULE C	
(Funding Allowance for Locations Added After Contract Start)	
(Costs for additional locations shall be fixed at the prices bid for each schedule.)	
First 12 Months of the Contract	\$5,000
Second 12 Months of the Contract	\$5,000
Third 12 Months of the Contract	\$5,000
Fourth 12 Months of the Contract	\$5,000
Fifth 12 Months of the Contract	\$5,000
SUBTOTAL: SCHEDULE C - FOR 60 MONTHS	\$25,000

ITEM 2: BID PRICE SHEET (Page 2 of 2)
Regulated Medical Waste Disposal Services
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Bidder's Legal Name: _____ **Bidder's Tax ID#:** _____

TOTAL BID PRICE CALCULATION

SUBTOTAL: SCHEDULE A \$ _____

SUBTOTAL: SCHEDULE B \$ _____

SUBTOTAL: SCHEDULE C \$ 25,000

TOTAL BID PRICE \$ _____
(SUM OF SCHEDULES A-C)

TOTAL Bid Price in words:

_____ (Dollars)

In the case of any discrepancy between the price in words and that in figures, the lowest price will be considered the bid price.

The undersigned, in submitting this bid, expressly states and represents that it is made in good faith, and that calculations were made on reasonable estimates. The undersigned hereby certifies to the truth and accuracy of all figures and answers contained herein, and authorizes the Department to make any necessary examination of the books of account, records and vouchers of the bidder or other investigation to determine its responsibility.

Bidder: _____
(Insert Full Legal Name of Company)

By: _____
(Signature of Person Authorized To Sign the Bid)

Attest: _____
(Secretary of Corporate Bidder)

(CORPORATE SEAL)

TO BE NOTARIZED:
Sworn to before me this ____ day of _____, 2016

(Notary Public or Commissioner of Deeds)

(TO BE NOTARIZED)

ACKNOWLEDGMENT BY INDIVIDUAL

STATE OF NEW YORK)

ss:

COUNTY OF _____)

On this _____ day of _____, 20__ before me personally came _____ to me known and known to me to be the same person described and who executed the foregoing instrument and ne acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purposes therein mentioned.

Notary Public or Commissioner of Deeds

(TO BE NOTARIZED)

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT BY PARTNERSHIP

STATE OF NEW YORK)

ss:

COUNTY OF _____)

On this ____day of _____, 20____ before me personally came _____ to me known and known to me to be a member of _____ the firm described in and which executed the foregoing instrument and (s)he acknowledged to me that (s)he subscribed the name of said firm thereto on behalf of said firm for the purposes therein mentioned.

Notary Public or Commissioner of Deeds

(TO BE NOTARIZED)

ACKNOWLEDGMENT BY CORPORATION

STATE OF NEW YORK)

ss:

COUNTY OF _____)

On this ____ day of _____ 20__ before me personally came _____, who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that (s)he resides in the City of _____; that (s)he is the _____ of the corporation described in and which executed the foregoing instrument; that (s)he knows the seal of said Corporation; that the seal affixed to the said instrument is such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by order of the Board of Directors of said Corporation; and that (s)he signed his/her name thereto by like order for the purposes therein mentioned.

Notary Public or Commissioner of Deeds

ITEM 3: ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF ADDENDA

Complete Part I or Part II, whichever is applicable, and sign your name in Part III:

PART I: LISTED BELOW ARE THE DATES OF ISSUE FOR EACH ADDENDUM RECEIVED IN CONNECTION WITH THIS IFB:

ADDENDUM # 1, DATED _____ , 20__

ADDENDUM # 2, DATED _____ , 20__

ADDENDUM # 3, DATED _____ , 20__

ADDENDUM # 4, DATED _____ , 20__

ADDENDUM # 5, DATED _____ , 20__

ADDENDUM # 6, DATED _____ , 20__

PART II: _____ NO ADDENDUM WAS RECEIVED IN CONNECTION WITH THIS INVITATION FOR BIDS.

PART III:

PROPOSER (NAME) _____ DATE __/__/__

PROPOSER (SIGNATURE) _____

ITEM 4: EXPERIENCE QUESTIONNAIRE

***NOTE: The principal owner of the bidding firm must sign this questionnaire guaranteeing the truth and accuracy of all statements and of all answers to interrogatories hereinafter made.**

Bidding Firm Name _____

Bidding Firm Federal Tax Identification No: _____

Principal Owner(s) name: _____

Telephone No: (____)_____ Fax No. (____)_____

Principal Owner E-Mail Address: _____

Bidding Firm is: Corporation () Partnership () Proprietorship ()

Date: _____, 20____

Address of Principal Business Office:

- 1. How many years' experience in work relevant to this bid has your organization had?
 - (a) As a Prime Contractor Type of work: _____
 - (b) As a Subcontractor Type of work: _____

- 2. Do you intend to use subcontractors to perform the services requested?
____ Yes ____ No

If so, describe the Work that you anticipate will be subcontracted:

3. Is the bidding firm or are individuals on its staff duly licensed as follows?

	Licensed? (Yes/No)	Number of Licenses Held
New York State Waste Transporter Permit (Part 364/381)	_____	_____
New York City Business Integrity Commission Trade Waste Removal License	_____	_____

(Please list name(s) and title on the chart below)

Name	License(s)
1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	
5.	

4. Please indicate the highest ranking person responsible for safety and their title. Provide a current resume for this individual.

_____, _____
 Name Title

5. During the past five (5) years has the bidding firm completed the collection, removal and transportation of regulated medical waste to a proper disposal or transfer facility for any City or State agency? ____ YES ____ NO

If YES, please list the City or State agency (include bureaus and/or departments) and provide the number of contracts held:

6. During the past five (5) years has the bidding firm ever performed the collection, removal and transportation of regulated medical waste to a proper disposal or transfer facility for the U.S. Government? ____ Yes ____ No

If YES, provide dates, include the State Contract Reference No., the name and telephone number of the government contract administrator for such federal contract.

7. During the past five (5) years has the bidding firm ever failed to complete a city/state/government contract? ____ YES ____ NO

If YES, please indicate the agency/company, Month/Year and give the reason:

8. During the past five (5) years, has the bidding firm ever been debarred from entering into any city/state/government contracts? _____ YES _____ NO

If YES please provide details and dates: _____

9. Is the bidding firm controlled by any other entity? _____ YES _____ NO

If YES please indicate the name of the controlling entity _____

10. During the past five (5) years has a principal of the bidding firm ever been affiliated or connected with any other entity other than the bidding firm as a member, partner, director or officer? _____ YES _____ NO

If YES, Indicate **From and To** dates of affiliation or current status: _____

11. **If YES to above**, during the past five (5) years has the affiliate entity ever been declared in default by any City, State or Federal Agency? _____ YES _____ NO

If YES, give details and dates. Attach additional pages if needed) _____

12. During the past five (5) years, has any principal of the bidding firm been called to a Grand Jury to testify, refused to sign a Waiver of Immunity to answer any relevant questions or have been indicted for any reason whatsoever? _____ YES _____ NO

If YES, give details and dates. Attach additional pages if needed: _____

13. Below provide four projects that the bidding firm has **completed** within the past FIVE (5) years performing the same type of work specified in the Bid Documents, including the collection, removal and transportation of regulated medical waste to a proper disposal or transfer facility for a commercial/industrial/public sector customers:

1. Project Description and Location: _____

Name and Address of Owner: _____
Phone Number of Owner: _____

Contract Amount: \$ _____ Date Started: _____
Completion Date _____

2. Project Description and Location: _____

Name and Address of Owner: _____

Phone Number of Owner: _____

Contract Amount: \$ _____ Date Started: _____

Completion Date _____

3. Project Description and Location: _____

Name and Address of Owner: _____

Phone Number of Owner: _____

Contract Amount: \$ _____ Date Started: _____

Completion Date _____

14. Indicate the number of projects that the bidding firm **currently** has under contract performing the collection, removal and transportation of regulated medical waste to a proper disposal or transfer facility on projects that are similar to the Work required under this IFB? _____

15. Below provide one project that the bidding firm **currently** has under contract performing the same type of work specified in the IFB of which this Experience Questionnaire is a part, including the collection, removal and transportation of regulated medical waste to a proper disposal or transfer facility for a commercial/industrial/public sector customer:

Project Description: _____

Name and Address of Owner: _____

Phone Number of Owner: _____

Contract Amount: \$ _____ Date Started: _____

Contract duration: _____ % of Contract Time elapsed as of this date: _____

% Work completed as of this date: _____

If Percent of elapsed time excess of work completed, give reasons therefor: _____

ITEM 5: Safety

1. The contractor must attach a copy of the principal owner's OSHA safety training(s) (i.e. OSHA 10 hour, 30 hour, etc.).
2. The contractor must indicate the firm's Experience Modification Rating (EMR) for 2014. This number must be specified on your Workers Compensation document or by requesting a letter from your broker or insurance carrier that indicates the firm's EMR.

Experience Modification Rating (EMR) 2015_____.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND MENTAL HYGIENE
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THE CITY OF NEW YORK
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND MENTAL HYGIENE (DOHMH)
AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT, made and entered into this _____ day of _____, in the year 20____, by and between **The City of New York** (the “City”), acting through its **Department of Health and Mental Hygiene** (“DOHMH”), having administrative offices at Gotham Center, 42-09 28th Street, Long Island City, New York 11101 and _____ having offices at: _____ (“Contractor”).

WITNESSETH:

The parties, in consideration of the mutual agreements contained herein, agree as follows:

ARTICLE 1: DEFINITIONS

Section 1.01 Definitions

The following words and expressions, or pronouns used in their stead, shall, wherever they appear in this Agreement, be construed as follows, unless a different meaning is clear from the context:

- A. “Agency Chief Contracting Officer” or “ACCO” shall mean the position delegated authority by the Agency Head to organize and supervise the procurement activity of subordinate Agency staff in conjunction with the City Chief Procurement Officer.
- B. “Agreement” shall mean the various documents, including this Appendix A, that constitute the contract between the Contractor and the City.
- C. “City” shall mean The City of New York.
- D. “City Chief Procurement Officer” or “CCPO” shall mean the position delegated authority by the Mayor to coordinate and oversee the procurement activity of Mayoral agency staff, including the ACCOs.
- E. “Commissioner” or “Agency Head” shall mean the head of the Department or his or her duly authorized representative. The term “duly authorized representative” shall include any person or persons acting within the limits of his or her authority.
- F. “Comptroller” shall mean the Comptroller of the City of New York.
- G. “Contractor” shall mean the entity entering into this Agreement with the Department.
- H. “Days” shall mean calendar days unless otherwise specifically noted to mean business days.
- I. “Department” or “Agency” shall mean the City agency that has entered into this

Agreement.

J. “Law” or “Laws” shall mean the New York City Charter (“Charter”), the New York City Administrative Code (“Admin. Code”), a local rule of the City of New York, the Constitutions of the United States and the State of New York, a statute of the United States or of the State of New York and any ordinance, rule or regulation having the force of law and adopted pursuant thereto, as amended, and common law.

K. “Procurement Policy Board” or “PPB” shall mean the board established pursuant to Charter § 311 whose function is to establish comprehensive and consistent procurement policies and rules which have broad application throughout the City.

L. “PPB Rules” shall mean the rules of the Procurement Policy Board as set forth in Title 9 of the Rules of the City of New York (“RCNY”), § 1-01 et seq.

M. “State” shall mean the State of New York.

ARTICLE 2: REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

Section 2.01 Procurement of Agreement

A. The Contractor represents and warrants that no person or entity (other than an officer, partner, or employee working solely for the Contractor) has been employed or retained to solicit or secure this Agreement upon any agreement or understanding for a commission, percentage, brokerage fee, contingent fee or any other direct or indirect compensation. Notwithstanding the preceding sentence, the Contractor may retain consultants to draft proposals, negotiate contracts, and perform other similar services. The Contractor further represents and warrants that no payment, gift, or thing of value has been made, given, or promised to obtain this or any other agreement between the parties. The Contractor makes such representations and warranties to induce the City to enter into this Agreement and the City relies upon such representations and warranties in the execution of this Agreement.

B. For any breach or violation of the representations and warranties set forth in Paragraph A above, the Commissioner shall have the right to annul this Agreement without liability, entitling the City to recover all monies paid to the Contractor; and the Contractor shall not make claim for, or be entitled to recover, any sum or sums due under this Agreement. The rights and remedies of the City provided in this Section are not exclusive and are in addition to all other rights and remedies allowed by Law or under this Agreement.

Section 2.02 Conflicts of Interest

A. The Contractor represents and warrants that neither it nor any of its directors, officers, members, partners or employees, has any interest nor shall they acquire any interest, directly or indirectly, which conflicts in any manner or degree with the performance of this Agreement. The Contractor further represents and warrants that no person having such interest or possible interest shall be employed by or connected with the Contractor in the performance of this Agreement.

B. Consistent with Charter § 2604 and other related provisions of the Charter, the Admin. Code and the New York State Penal Law, no elected official or other officer or employee

of the City, nor any person whose salary is payable, in whole or in part, from the City Treasury, shall participate in any decision relating to this Agreement which affects his or her personal interest or the interest of any corporation, partnership or other entity in which he or she is, directly or indirectly, interested; nor shall any such official, officer, employee, or person have any interest in, or in the proceeds of, this Agreement. This Paragraph B shall not prevent directors, officers, members, partners, or employees of the Contractor from participating in decisions relating to this Agreement where their sole personal interest is in the Contractor.

C. The Contractor shall not employ a person or permit a person to serve as a member of the Board of Directors or as an officer of the Contractor if such employment or service would violate Chapter 68 of the Charter.

[PARAGRAPHS D-H ARE APPLICABLE ONLY TO HUMAN OR CLIENT SERVICE CONTRACTS.]

D. Except as provided in Paragraph E below, the Contractor's employees and members of their immediate families, as defined in Paragraph F below, may not serve on the Board of Directors of the Contractor ("Board"), or any committee with authority to order personnel actions affecting his or her job, or which, either by rule or by practice, regularly nominates, recommends or screens candidates for employment in the program to be operated pursuant to this Agreement.

E. If the Board has more than five (5) members, then Contractor's employees and members of their immediate families may serve on the Board, or any committee with authority to order personnel actions affecting his or her job, or which, either by rule or by practice, regularly nominates, recommends or screens candidates for employment in the program to be operated pursuant to this Agreement, provided that (i) Contractor's employees and members of their immediate families are prohibited from voting on any such personnel matters, including but not limited to any matters directly affecting their own salary or other compensation, and shall fully disclose all conflicts and potential conflicts to the Board, and (ii) Contractor's employees and members of their immediate families may not serve in the capacity either of Chairperson or Treasurer of the Board (or equivalent titles), nor constitute more than one-third of either the Board or any such committee.

F. Without the prior written consent of the Commissioner, no person may hold a job or position with the Contractor over which a member of his or her immediate family exercises any supervisory, managerial or other authority whatsoever whether such authority is reflected in a job title or otherwise, unless such job or position is wholly voluntary and unpaid. A member of an immediate family includes: husband, wife, domestic partner, father, father-in-law, mother, mother-in-law, brother, brother-in-law, sister, sister-in-law, son, son-in-law, daughter, daughter-in-law, niece, nephew, aunt, uncle, first cousin, and separated spouse. Where a member of an immediate family has that status because of that person's relationship to a spouse (e.g., father-in-law), that status shall also apply to a relative of a domestic partner. For purposes of this Section, a member of the Board is deemed to exercise authority over all employees of the Contractor.

G. If the Contractor has contracts with the City that in the aggregate during any twelve-month period have a value of more than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) and such amount constitutes more than fifty percent (50%) of the Contractor's total revenues, then the Contractor must have a minimum of five (5) persons on its Board.

H. Paragraphs D-H of this Section 2.02 apply only if Contractor is a not-for-profit

corporation.

Section 2.03 Fair Practices

A. The Contractor and each person signing on its behalf certifies, under penalties of perjury, that to the best of its, his or her knowledge and belief:

1. The prices and other material terms set forth in this Agreement have been arrived at independently, without collusion, consultation, communication, or agreement with any other bidder or proposer or with any competitor as to any matter relating to such prices or terms for the purpose of restricting competition;

2. Unless otherwise required by Law or where a schedule of rates or prices is uniformly established by a government agency through regulation, policy or directive, the prices and other material terms set forth in this Agreement which have been quoted in this Agreement and on the bid or proposal submitted by the Contractor have not been knowingly disclosed by the Contractor, directly or indirectly, to any other bidder or proposer or to any competitor prior to the bid or proposal opening; and

3. No attempt has been made or will be made by the Contractor to induce any other person or entity to submit or not to submit a bid or proposal for the purpose of restricting competition.

B. The fact that the Contractor (i) has published price lists, rates, or tariffs covering items being procured, (ii) has informed prospective customers of proposed or pending publication of new or revised price lists for such items, or (iii) has sold the same items to other customers at the same prices and/or terms being bid or proposed, does not constitute, without more, a disclosure within the meaning of this Section.

Section 2.04 VENDEX

The Contractor represents and warrants that it and its principals have duly executed and filed all required VENDEX Questionnaires and, if applicable, Certificates of No Change, pursuant to PPB Rule § 2-08 and in accordance with the policies and procedures of the Mayor's Office of Contract Services. The Contractor understands that the Department's reliance upon the completeness and veracity of the information stated therein is a material condition to the execution of this Agreement, and represents and warrants that the information it and its principals have provided is accurate and complete.

Section 2.05 Political Activity

The Contractor's provision of services under this Agreement shall not include any partisan political activity or any activity to further the election or defeat of any candidate for public, political, or party office, nor shall any of the funds provided under this Agreement be used for such purposes.

Section 2.06 Religious Activity

There shall be no religious worship, instruction or proselytizing as part of or in connection with the Contractor's provision of services under this Agreement, nor shall any of the funds

provided under this Agreement be used for such purposes.

Section 2.07 Unlawful Discriminatory Practices: Admin. Code § 6-123

As required by Admin. Code § 6-123, the Contractor will not engage in any unlawful discriminatory practice as defined in and pursuant to the terms of Title 8 of the City Administrative Code. The Contractor shall include a provision in any agreement with a first-level subcontractor performing services under this Agreement for an amount in excess of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000) that such subcontractor shall not engage in any such unlawful discriminatory practice.

Section 2.08 Bankruptcy and Reorganization

In the event that the Contractor files for bankruptcy or reorganization under Chapter Seven or Chapter Eleven of the United States Bankruptcy Code, the Contractor shall disclose such action to the Department within seven (7) days of filing.

ARTICLE 3: ASSIGNMENT AND SUBCONTRACTING

Section 3.01 Assignment

A. The Contractor shall not assign, transfer, convey or otherwise dispose of this Agreement, or the right to execute it, or the right, title or interest in or to it or any part of it, or assign, by power of attorney or otherwise, any of the monies due or to become due under this Agreement, without the prior written consent of the Commissioner. The giving of any such consent to a particular assignment shall not dispense with the necessity of such consent to any further or other assignments. Any such assignment, transfer, conveyance or other disposition without such written consent shall be void.

B. Before entering into any such assignment, transfer, conveyance or other disposal of this Agreement, the Contractor shall submit a written request for approval to the Department giving the name and address of the proposed assignee. The proposed assignee's VENDEX questionnaire must be submitted within thirty (30) Days after the ACCO has granted preliminary written approval of the proposed assignee, if required. Upon the request of the Department, the Contractor shall provide any other information demonstrating that the proposed assignee has the necessary facilities, skill, integrity, past experience and financial resources to perform the specified services in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Agreement. The Agency shall make a final determination in writing approving or disapproving the assignee after receiving all requested information.

C. Failure to obtain the prior written consent to such an assignment, transfer, conveyance, or other disposition may result in the revocation and annulment of this Agreement, at the option of the Commissioner. The City shall thereupon be relieved and discharged from any further liability and obligation to the Contractor, its assignees, or transferees, who shall forfeit all monies earned under this Agreement, except so much as may be necessary to pay the Contractor's employees.

D. The provisions of this Section shall not hinder, prevent, or affect an assignment by the Contractor for the benefit of its creditors made pursuant to the Laws of the State.

E. This Agreement may be assigned, in whole or in part, by the City to any

corporation, agency, or instrumentality having authority to accept such assignment. The City shall provide the Contractor with written notice of any such assignment.

Section 3.02 Subcontracting

A. The Contractor shall not enter into any subcontract for an amount greater than Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000) for the performance of its obligations, in whole or in part, under this Agreement without the prior approval by the Department of the subcontractor. The Department hereby grants approval for all subcontracts for an amount that does not exceed Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000). The Contractor must submit monthly reports to the Department indicating all such subcontractors. All subcontracts must be in writing.

B. Prior to entering into any subcontract for an amount greater than Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000), the Contractor shall submit a written request for the approval of the proposed subcontractor to the Department giving the name and address of the proposed subcontractor and the portion of the services that it is to perform and furnish. At the request of the Department, a copy of the proposed subcontract shall be submitted to the Department. The proposed subcontractor's VENDEX Questionnaire must be submitted, if required, within thirty (30) Days after the ACCO has granted preliminary approval of the proposed subcontractor. Upon the request of the Department, the Contractor shall provide any other information demonstrating that the proposed subcontractor has the necessary facilities, skill, integrity, past experience and financial resources to perform the specified services in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Agreement. The Agency shall make a final determination in writing approving or disapproving the subcontractor after receiving all requested information. For proposed subcontracts that do not exceed Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000), the Department's approval shall be deemed granted if the Department does not issue a written approval or disapproval within forty-five (45) Days of the Department's receipt of the written request for approval or, if applicable, within forty-five (45) Days of the Department's acknowledged receipt of fully completed VENDEX Questionnaires for the subcontractor.

C. All subcontracts shall contain provisions specifying that:

1. The work performed by the subcontractor must be in accordance with the terms of the agreement between the City and the Contractor;

2. Nothing contained in the agreement between the Contractor and the subcontractor shall impair the rights of the City;

3. Nothing contained in the agreement between the Contractor and the subcontractor, or under the agreement between the City and the Contractor, shall create any contractual relation between the subcontractor and the City; and

4. The subcontractor specifically agrees to be bound by Section 4.07 and Article 5 of this Appendix A and specifically agrees that the City may enforce such provisions directly against the subcontractor as if the City were a party to the subcontract.

D. The Contractor agrees that it is as fully responsible to the Department for the acts and omissions of its subcontractors and of persons either directly or indirectly employed by such subcontractors as it is for the acts and omissions of any person directly employed by it.

E. For determining the value of a subcontract, all subcontracts with the same

subcontractor shall be aggregated.

F. The Department may revoke the approval of a subcontractor granted or deemed granted pursuant to Paragraphs (A) and (B) of this section if revocation is deemed to be in the interest of the City in writing on no less than ten (10) Days' notice unless a shorter period is warranted by considerations of health, safety, integrity issues or other similar factors. Upon the effective date of such revocation, the Contractor shall cause the subcontractor to cease all work under the Agreement. The City shall not incur any further obligation for services performed by such subcontractor pursuant to this Agreement beyond the effective date of the revocation. The City shall pay for services provided by the subcontractor in accordance with this Agreement prior to the effective date of revocation.

G. The Department's approval of a subcontractor shall not relieve the Contractor of any of its responsibilities, duties and liabilities under this Agreement. At the request of the Department, the Contractor shall provide the Department a copy of any subcontract.

H. Individual employer-employee contracts are not subcontracts subject to the requirements of this Section.

ARTICLE 4: LABOR PROVISIONS

Section 4.01 Independent Contractor Status

The Contractor and the Department agree that the Contractor is an independent contractor and not an employee of the Department or the City. Accordingly, neither the Contractor nor its employees or agents will hold themselves out as, or claim to be, officers or employees of the City, or of any department, agency or unit of the City, by reason of this Agreement, and they will not, by reason of this Agreement, make any claim, demand or application to or for any right or benefit applicable to an officer or employee of the City, including, but not limited to, Workers' Compensation coverage, Disability Benefits coverage, Unemployment Insurance benefits, Social Security coverage or employee retirement membership or credit.

Section 4.02 Employees

All persons who are employed by the Contractor and all consultants or independent contractors who are retained by the Contractor to perform services under this Agreement are neither employees of the City nor under contract with the City. The Contractor, and not the City, is responsible for their work, direction, compensation, and personal conduct while engaged under this Agreement. Nothing in the Agreement shall impose any liability or duty on the City for the acts, omissions, liabilities or obligations of the Contractor, or any officer, employee, or agent of the Contractor, or for taxes of any nature, or for any right or benefit applicable to an officer or employee of the City, including, but not limited to, Workers' Compensation coverage, Disability Benefits coverage, Unemployment Insurance benefits, Social Security coverage or employee retirement membership or credit. Except as specifically stated in this Agreement, nothing in this Agreement shall impose any liability or duty on the City to any person or entity.

Section 4.03 Removal of Individuals Performing Work

The Contractor shall not have anyone perform work under this Agreement who is not competent, faithful and skilled in the work for which he or she shall be employed. Whenever the Commissioner shall inform the Contractor, in writing, that any individual is, in his or her opinion, incompetent, unfaithful, or unskilled, such individual shall no longer perform work under this Agreement. Prior to making a determination to direct a Contractor that an individual shall no longer perform work under this Agreement, the Commissioner shall provide the Contractor an opportunity to be heard on no less than five (5) Days' written notice. The Commissioner may direct the Contractor not to allow the individual from performing work under the Agreement pending the opportunity to be heard and the Commissioner's determination.

Section 4.04 Minimum Wage

Except for those employees whose minimum wage is required to be fixed pursuant to Sections 220 or 230 of the New York State Labor Law or by City Administrative Code § 6-109, all persons employed by the Contractor in the performance of this Agreement shall be paid, without subsequent deduction or rebate, unless expressly authorized by Law, not less than the minimum wage as prescribed by Law. Any breach of this Section shall be deemed a material breach of this Agreement.

Section 4.05 Non-Discrimination: New York State Labor Law § 220-e

A. If this Agreement is for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale, or distribution of materials, equipment, or supplies, the Contractor agrees, as required by New York State Labor Law § 220-e, that:

1. In the hiring of employees for the performance of work under this Agreement or any subcontract hereunder, neither the Contractor, subcontractor, nor any person acting on behalf of such Contractor or subcontractor, shall by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex or national origin discriminate against any citizen of the State of New York who is qualified and available to perform the work to which the employment relates;

2. Neither the Contractor, subcontractor, nor any person on his or her behalf shall, in any manner, discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Agreement on account of race, creed, color, disability, sex or national origin;

3. There may be deducted from the amount payable to the Contractor by the City under this Agreement a penalty of Fifty Dollars (\$50) for each person for each calendar day during which such person was discriminated against or intimidated in violation of the provisions of this Agreement; and

4. This Agreement may be terminated by the City, and all monies due or to become due hereunder may be forfeited, for a second or any subsequent violation of the terms or conditions of this Section.

B. The provisions of this Section shall be limited to operations performed within the territorial limits of the State of New York.

Section 4.06 Non-Discrimination: Admin. Code § 6-108

If this Agreement is for the construction, alteration or repair of buildings or the construction or repair of streets or highways, or for the manufacture, sale, or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, the Contractor agrees, as required by New York City Administrative Code § 6-108, that:

A. It shall be unlawful for any person engaged in the construction, alteration or repair of buildings or engaged in the construction or repair of streets or highways pursuant to a contract with the City or engaged in the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies pursuant to a contract with the City to refuse to employ or to refuse to continue in any employment any person on account of the race, color or creed of such person.

B. It shall be unlawful for any person or any servant, agent or employee of any person, described in Paragraph A above, to ask, indicate or transmit, orally or in writing, directly or indirectly, the race, color, creed or religious affiliation of any person employed or seeking employment from such person, firm or corporation.

C. Breach of the foregoing provisions shall be deemed a breach of a material provision of this Agreement.

D. Any person, or the employee, manager or owner of or officer of such firm or corporation who shall violate any of the provisions of this Section shall, upon conviction thereof, be punished by a fine of not more than One Hundred Dollars (\$100) or by imprisonment for not more than thirty (30) Days, or both.

Section 4.07 Non-Discrimination: E.O. 50 -- Equal Employment Opportunity

A. This Agreement is subject to the requirements of City Executive Order No. 50 (1980) ("E.O. 50"), as revised, and the rules set forth at 66 RCNY § 10-01 et seq. No agreement will be awarded unless and until these requirements have been complied with in their entirety. The Contractor agrees that it:

1. Will not discriminate unlawfully against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability, marital status, sexual orientation or citizenship status with respect to all employment decisions including, but not limited to, recruitment, hiring, upgrading, demotion, downgrading, transfer, training, rates of pay or other forms of compensation, layoff, termination, and all other terms and conditions of employment;

2. Will not discriminate unlawfully in the selection of subcontractors on the basis of the owners', partners' or shareholders' race, color, creed, national origin, sex, age, disability, marital status, sexual orientation, or citizenship status;

3. Will state in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the Contractor that all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without unlawful discrimination based on race, color, creed, national origin, sex, age, disability, marital status, sexual orientation or citizenship status, and that it is an equal employment opportunity employer;

4. Will send to each labor organization or representative of workers with

which it has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or memorandum of understanding, written notification of its equal employment opportunity commitments under E.O. 50 and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder;

5. Will furnish before this Agreement is awarded all information and reports including an Employment Report which are required by E.O. 50, the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, and orders of the City Department of Small Business Services, Division of Labor Services (“DLS”); and

6. Will permit DLS to have access to all relevant books, records, and accounts for the purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with such rules, regulations, and orders.

B. The Contractor understands that in the event of its noncompliance with the nondiscrimination clauses of this Agreement or with any of such rules, regulations, or orders, such noncompliance shall constitute a material breach of this Agreement and noncompliance with E.O. 50 and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder. After a hearing held pursuant to the rules of DLS, the Director of DLS may direct the Commissioner to impose any or all of the following sanctions:

1. Disapproval of the Contractor; and/or
2. Suspension or termination of the Agreement; and/or
3. Declaring the Contractor in default; and/or
4. In lieu of any of the foregoing sanctions, imposition of an employment program.

C. Failure to comply with E.O. 50 and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder in one or more instances may result in the Department declaring the Contractor to be non-responsible.

D. The Contractor agrees to include the provisions of the foregoing Paragraphs in every subcontract or purchase order in excess of One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000) to which it becomes a party unless exempted by E.O. 50 and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, so that such provisions will be binding upon each subcontractor or vendor. The Contractor will take such action with respect to any subcontract or purchase order as may be directed by the Director of DLS as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for noncompliance. A supplier of unfinished products to the Contractor needed to produce the item contracted for shall not be considered a subcontractor or vendor for purposes of this Paragraph.

E. The Contractor further agrees that it will refrain from entering into any subcontract or modification thereof subject to E.O. 50 and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder with a subcontractor who is not in compliance with the requirements of E.O. 50 and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder. A supplier of unfinished products to the Contractor needed to produce the item contracted for shall not be considered a subcontractor for purposes of this Paragraph.

F. Nothing contained in this Section shall be construed to bar any religious or denominational institution or organization, or any organization operated for charitable or educational purposes, that is operated, supervised or controlled by or in connection with a religious organization, from lawfully limiting employment or lawfully giving preference to persons of the

same religion or denomination or from lawfully making such selection as is calculated by such organization to promote the religious principles for which it is established or maintained.

ARTICLE 5: RECORDS, AUDITS, REPORTS, AND INVESTIGATIONS

Section 5.01 Books and Records

The Contractor agrees to maintain separate and accurate books, records, documents and other evidence, and to utilize appropriate accounting procedures and practices, which sufficiently and properly reflect all direct and indirect costs of any nature expended in the performance of this Agreement.

Section 5.02 Retention of Records

The Contractor agrees to retain all books, records, and other documents relevant to this Agreement, including those required pursuant to Section 5.01, for six years after the final payment or expiration or termination of this Agreement, or for a period otherwise prescribed by Law, whichever is later. In addition, if any litigation, claim, or audit concerning this Agreement has commenced before the expiration of the six-year period, the records must be retained until the completion of such litigation, claim, or audit. Any books, records and other documents that are created in an electronic format in the regular course of business may be retained in an electronic format. Any books, records, and other documents that are created in the regular course of business as a paper copy may be retained in an electronic format provided that the records satisfy the requirements of New York Civil Practice Law and Rules (“CPLR”) 4539(b), including the requirement that the reproduction is created in a manner “which does not permit additions, deletions, or changes without leaving a record of such additions, deletions, or changes.” Furthermore, the Contractor agrees to waive any objection to the admissibility of any such books, records or other documents on the grounds that such documents do not satisfy CPLR 4539(b).

Section 5.03 Inspection

A. At any time during the Agreement or during the record retention period set forth in section 5.02, the City, including the Department and the Department’s Office of the Inspector General, as well as City, State and federal auditors and any other persons duly authorized by the City shall, upon reasonable notice, have full access to and the right to examine and copy all books, records, and other documents maintained or retained by or on behalf of the Contractor pursuant to this Article. Notwithstanding any provision herein regarding notice of inspection, all books, records and other documents of the Contractor kept pursuant to this Agreement shall be subject to immediate inspection, review, and copying by the Department’s Office of the Inspector General and/or the Comptroller without prior notice and at no additional cost to the City. The Contractor shall make such books, records and other documents available for inspection in the City of New York or shall reimburse the City for expenses associated with the out-of-City inspection.

B. The Department shall have the right to have representatives of the Department or of the City, State or federal government present to observe the services being performed.

C. The Contractor shall not be entitled to final payment until the Contractor has complied with any request for inspection or access given under this Section.

Section 5.04 Audit

A. This Agreement and all books, records, documents, and other evidence required to be maintained or retained pursuant to this Agreement, including all vouchers or invoices presented for payment and the books, records, and other documents upon which such vouchers or invoices are based (e.g., reports, cancelled checks, accounts, and all other similar material), are subject to audit by (i) the City, including the Comptroller, the Department, and the Department's Office of the Inspector General, (ii) the State, (iii) the federal government, and (iv) other persons duly authorized by the City. Such audits may include examination and review of the source and application of all funds whether from the City, the State, the federal government, private sources or otherwise.

B. Audits by the City, including the Comptroller, the Department, and the Department's Office of the Inspector General, are performed pursuant to the powers and responsibilities conferred by the Charter and the Admin. Code, as well as all orders, rules, and regulations promulgated pursuant to the Charter and Admin. Code.

C. The Contractor shall submit any and all documentation and justification in support of expenditures or fees under this Agreement as may be required by the Department and by the Comptroller in the exercise of his/her powers under Law.

D. The Contractor shall not be entitled to final payment until the Contractor has complied with the requirements of this Section.

Section 5.05 No Removal of Records from Premises

Where performance of this Agreement involves use by the Contractor of any City books, records, documents, or data (in hard copy, or electronic or other format now known or developed in the future) at City facilities or offices, the Contractor shall not remove any such data (in the format in which it originally existed, or in any other converted or derived format) from such facility or office without the prior written approval of the Department's designated official. Upon the request by the Department at any time during the Agreement or after the Agreement has expired or terminated, the Contractor shall return to the Department any City books, records, documents, or data that has been removed from City premises.

Section 5.06 Electronic Records

As used in this Appendix A, the terms books, records, documents, and other data refer to electronic versions as well as hard copy versions.

Section 5.07 Investigations Clause

A. The Contractor agrees to cooperate fully and faithfully with any investigation, audit or inquiry conducted by a State or City agency or authority that is empowered directly or by designation to compel the attendance of witnesses and to examine witnesses under oath, or conducted by the Inspector General of a governmental agency that is a party in interest to the transaction, submitted bid, submitted proposal, contract, lease, permit, or license that is the subject of the investigation, audit or inquiry.

B. 1. If any person who has been advised that his or her statement, and any

information from such statement, will not be used against him or her in any subsequent criminal proceeding refuses to testify before a grand jury or other governmental agency or authority empowered directly or by designation to compel the attendance of witnesses and to examine witnesses under oath concerning the award of or performance under any transaction, agreement, lease, permit, contract, or license entered into with the City, or State, or any political subdivision or public authority thereof, or the Port Authority of New York and New Jersey, or any local development corporation within the City, or any public benefit corporation organized under the Laws of the State, or;

2. If any person refuses to testify for a reason other than the assertion of his or her privilege against self-incrimination in an investigation, audit or inquiry conducted by a City or State governmental agency or authority empowered directly or by designation to compel the attendance of witnesses and to take testimony under oath, or by the Inspector General of the governmental agency that is a party in interest in, and is seeking testimony concerning the award of, or performance under, any transaction, agreement, lease, permit, contract, or license entered into with the City, the State, or any political subdivision thereof or any local development corporation within the City, then;

C. 1. The Commissioner or Agency Head whose agency is a party in interest to the transaction, submitted bid, submitted proposal, contract, lease, permit, or license shall convene a hearing, upon not less than five (5) Days written notice to the parties involved to determine if any penalties should attach for the failure of a person to testify.

2. If any non-governmental party to the hearing requests an adjournment, the Commissioner or Agency Head who convened the hearing may, upon granting the adjournment, suspend any contract, lease, permit, or license pending the final determination pursuant to Paragraph E below without the City incurring any penalty or damages for delay or otherwise.

D. The penalties that may attach after a final determination by the Commissioner or Agency Head may include but shall not exceed:

1. The disqualification for a period not to exceed five (5) years from the date of an adverse determination for any person, or any entity of which such person was a member at the time the testimony was sought, from submitting bids for, or transacting business with, or entering into or obtaining any contract, lease, permit or license with or from the City; and/or

2. The cancellation or termination of any and all such existing City contracts, leases, permits or licenses that the refusal to testify concerns and that have not been assigned as permitted under this Agreement, nor the proceeds of which pledged, to an unaffiliated and unrelated institutional lender for fair value prior to the issuance of the notice scheduling the hearing, without the City incurring any penalty or damages on account of such cancellation or termination; monies lawfully due for goods delivered, work done, rentals, or fees accrued prior to the cancellation or termination shall be paid by the City.

E. The Commissioner or Agency Head shall consider and address in reaching his or her determination and in assessing an appropriate penalty the factors in Paragraphs (1) and (2) below. He or she may also consider, if relevant and appropriate, the criteria established in

Paragraphs (3) and (4) below, in addition to any other information that may be relevant and appropriate:

1. The party's good faith endeavors or lack thereof to cooperate fully and faithfully with any governmental investigation or audit, including but not limited to the discipline, discharge, or disassociation of any person failing to testify, the production of accurate and complete books and records, and the forthcoming testimony of all other members, agents, assignees or fiduciaries whose testimony is sought.

2. The relationship of the person who refused to testify to any entity that is a party to the hearing, including, but not limited to, whether the person whose testimony is sought has an ownership interest in the entity and/or the degree of authority and responsibility the person has within the entity.

3. The nexus of the testimony sought to the subject entity and its contracts, leases, permits or licenses with the City.

4. The effect a penalty may have on an unaffiliated and unrelated party or entity that has a significant interest in an entity subject to penalties under Paragraph D above, provided that the party or entity has given actual notice to the Commissioner or Agency Head upon the acquisition of the interest, or at the hearing called for in Paragraph (C)(1) above gives notice and proves that such interest was previously acquired. Under either circumstance, the party or entity must present evidence at the hearing demonstrating the potential adverse impact a penalty will have on such person or entity.

F. Definitions

1. The term "license" or "permit" as used in this Section shall be defined as a license, permit, franchise, or concession not granted as a matter of right.

2. The term "person" as used in this Section shall be defined as any natural person doing business alone or associated with another person or entity as a partner, director, officer, principal or employee.

3. The term "entity" as used in this Section shall be defined as any firm, partnership, corporation, association, or person that receives monies, benefits, licenses, leases, or permits from or through the City, or otherwise transacts business with the City.

4. The term "member" as used in this Section shall be defined as any person associated with another person or entity as a partner, director, officer, principal, or employee.

G. In addition to and notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement, the Commissioner or Agency Head may in his or her sole discretion terminate this Agreement upon not less than three (3) Days written notice in the event the Contractor fails to promptly report in writing to the City Commissioner of Investigation any solicitation of money, goods, requests for future employment or other benefits or thing of value, by or on behalf of any employee of the City or other person or entity for any purpose that may be related to the procurement or obtaining of this Agreement by the Contractor, or affecting the performance of this Agreement.

Section 5.08 Confidentiality

A. The Contractor agrees to hold confidential, both during and after the completion or termination of this Agreement, all of the reports, information, or data, furnished to, or prepared, assembled or used by, the Contractor under this Agreement. The Contractor agrees that such reports, information, or data shall not be made available to any person or entity without the prior written approval of the Department. The Contractor agrees to maintain the confidentiality of such reports, information, or data by using a reasonable degree of care, and using at least the same degree of care that the Contractor uses to preserve the confidentiality of its own confidential information. In the event that the data contains social security numbers or other Personal Identifying Information, as such term is defined in Paragraph B of this Section, the Contractor shall utilize best practice methods (e.g., encryption of electronic records) to protect the confidentiality of such data. The obligation under this Section to hold reports, information or data confidential shall not apply where the City would be required to disclose such reports, information or data pursuant to the State Freedom of Information Law (“FOIL”), provided that the Contractor provides advance notice to the City, in writing or by e-mail, that it intends to disclose such reports, information or data and the City does not inform the contractor, in writing or by e-mail, that such reports, information, or data are not subject to disclosure under FOIL.

B. The Contractor shall provide notice to the Department within three (3) days of the discovery by the Contractor of any breach of security, as defined in Admin. Code § 10-501(b), of any data, encrypted or otherwise, in use by the Contractor that contains social security numbers or other personal identifying information as defined in Admin. Code § 10-501 (“Personal Identifying Information”), where such breach of security arises out of the acts or omissions of the Contractor or its employees, subcontractors, or agents. Upon the discovery of such security breach, the Contractor shall take reasonable steps to remediate the cause or causes of such breach, and shall provide notice to the Department of such steps. In the event of such breach of security, without limiting any other right of the City, the City shall have the right to withhold further payments under this Agreement for the purpose of set-off in sufficient sums to cover the costs of notifications and/or other actions mandated by any Law, or administrative or judicial order, to address the breach, and including any fines or disallowances imposed by the State or federal government as a result of the disclosure. The City shall also have the right to withhold further payments hereunder for the purpose of set-off in sufficient sums to cover the costs of credit monitoring services for the victims of such a breach of security by a national credit reporting agency, and/or any other commercially reasonable preventive measure. The Department shall provide the Contractor with written notice and an opportunity to comment on such measures prior to implementation. Alternatively, at the City’s discretion, or if monies remaining to be earned or paid under this Agreement are insufficient to cover the costs detailed above, the Contractor shall pay directly for the costs, detailed above, if any.

C. The Contractor shall restrict access to confidential information to persons who have a legitimate work related purpose to access such information. The Contractor agrees that it will instruct its officers, employees, and agents to maintain the confidentiality of any and all information required to be kept confidential by this Agreement.

D. The Contractor, and its officers, employees, and agents shall notify the Department, at any time either during or after completion or termination of this Agreement, of any intended statement to the press or any intended issuing of any material for publication in any media of

communication (print, news, television, radio, Internet, etc.) regarding the services provided or the data collected pursuant to this Agreement at least twenty-four (24) hours prior to any statement to the press or at least five (5) business Days prior to the submission of the material for publication, or such shorter periods as are reasonable under the circumstances. The Contractor may not issue any statement or submit any material for publication that includes confidential information as prohibited by this Section 5.08.

E. At the request of the Department, the Contractor shall return to the Department any and all confidential information in the possession of the Contractor or its subcontractors. If the Contractor or its subcontractors are legally required to retain any confidential information, the Contractor shall notify the Department in writing and set forth the confidential information that it intends to retain and the reasons why it is legally required to retain such information. The Contractor shall confer with the Department, in good faith, regarding any issues that arise from the Contractor retaining such confidential information. If the Department does not request such information, or the Law does not require otherwise, such information shall be maintained in accordance with the requirements set forth in Section 5.02.

F. A breach of this Section shall constitute a material breach of this Agreement for which the Department may terminate this Agreement pursuant to Article 10. The Department reserves any and all other rights and remedies in the event of unauthorized disclosure.

ARTICLE 6: COPYRIGHTS, PATENTS, INVENTIONS, AND ANTITRUST

Section 6.01 Copyrights

A. Any reports, documents, data, photographs, deliverables, and/or other materials produced pursuant to this Agreement, and any and all drafts and/or other preliminary materials in any format related to such items produced pursuant to this Agreement, shall upon their creation become the exclusive property of the City.

B. Any reports, documents, data, photographs, deliverables, and/or other materials provided pursuant to this Agreement (“Copyrightable Materials”) shall be considered “work-made-for-hire” within the meaning and purview of Section 101 of the United States Copyright Act, 17 U.S.C. § 101, and the City shall be the copyright owner thereof and of all aspects, elements and components thereof in which copyright protection might exist. To the extent that the Copyrightable Materials do not qualify as “work-made-for-hire,” the Contractor hereby irrevocably transfers, assigns and conveys exclusive copyright ownership in and to the Copyrightable Materials to the City, free and clear of any liens, claims, or other encumbrances. The Contractor shall retain no copyright or intellectual property interest in the Copyrightable Materials. The Copyrightable Materials shall be used by the Contractor for no purpose other than in the performance of this Agreement without the prior written permission of the City. The Department may grant the Contractor a license to use the Copyrightable Materials on such terms as determined by the Department and set forth in the license.

C. The Contractor acknowledges that the City may, in its sole discretion, register copyright in the Copyrightable Materials with the United States Copyright Office or any other government agency authorized to grant copyright registrations. The Contractor shall fully cooperate in this effort, and agrees to provide any and all documentation necessary to accomplish

this.

D. The Contractor represents and warrants that the Copyrightable Materials: (i) are wholly original material not published elsewhere (except for material that is in the public domain); (ii) do not violate any copyright Law; (iii) do not constitute defamation or invasion of the right of privacy or publicity; and (iv) are not an infringement, of any kind, of the rights of any third party. To the extent that the Copyrightable Materials incorporate any non-original material, the Contractor has obtained all necessary permissions and clearances, in writing, for the use of such non-original material under this Agreement, copies of which shall be provided to the City upon execution of this Agreement.

E. If the services under this Agreement are supported by a federal grant of funds, the federal and State government reserves a royalty-free, non-exclusive irrevocable license to reproduce, publish, or otherwise use and to authorize others to use, for federal or State government purposes, the copyright in any Copyrightable Materials developed under this Agreement.

F. If the Contractor publishes a work dealing with any aspect of performance under this Agreement, or with the results of such performance, the City shall have a royalty-free, non-exclusive irrevocable license to reproduce, publish, or otherwise use such work for City governmental purposes.

Section 6.02 Patents and Inventions

The Contractor shall promptly and fully report to the Department any discovery or invention arising out of or developed in the course of performance of this Agreement. If the services under this Agreement are supported by a federal grant of funds, the Contractor shall promptly and fully report to the federal government for the federal government to make a determination as to whether patent protection on such invention shall be sought and how the rights in the invention or discovery, including rights under any patent issued thereon, shall be disposed of and administered in order to protect the public interest.

Section 6.03 Pre-existing Rights

In no case shall Sections 6.01 and 6.02 apply to, or prevent the Contractor from asserting or protecting its rights in any discovery, invention, report, document, data, photograph, deliverable, or other material in connection with or produced pursuant to this Agreement that existed prior to or was developed or discovered independently from the activities directly related to this Agreement.

Section 6.04 Antitrust

The Contractor hereby assigns, sells, and transfers to the City all right, title and interest in and to any claims and causes of action arising under the antitrust laws of the State or of the United States relating to the particular goods or services procured by the City under this Agreement.

ARTICLE 7: INSURANCE

Section 7.01 Agreement to Insure

The Contractor shall not commence performing services under this Agreement unless and until all insurance required by this Article is in effect, and shall ensure continuous insurance coverage in the manner, form, and limits required by this Article throughout the term of the Agreement.

Section 7.02 Commercial General Liability Insurance

A. The Contractor shall maintain Commercial General Liability Insurance covering the Contractor as Named Insured and the City as an Additional Insured in the amount of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) per occurrence. Such insurance shall protect the City and the Contractor from claims for property damage and/or bodily injury, including death that may arise from any of the operations under this Agreement. Coverage under this insurance shall be at least as broad as that provided by the most recently issued Insurance Services Office (“ISO”) Form CG 0001, and shall be "occurrence" based rather than “claims-made.”

B. Such Commercial General Liability Insurance shall name the City, together with its officials and employees, as an Additional Insured with coverage at least as broad as the most recently issued ISO Form CG 20 10.

Section 7.03 Professional Liability Insurance

A. At the Department’s direction, if professional services are provided pursuant to this Agreement, the Contractor shall maintain and submit evidence of Professional Liability Insurance appropriate to the type(s) of such services to be provided under this Agreement in the amount of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) per claim. The policy or policies shall include an endorsement to cover the liability assumed by the Contractor under this Agreement arising out of the negligent performance of professional services or caused by an error, omission or negligent act of the Contractor or anyone employed by the Contractor.

B. All subcontractors of the Contractor providing professional services under this Agreement for which Professional Liability Insurance is reasonably commercially available shall also maintain such insurance in the amount of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) per claim, and the Contractor shall provide to the Department, at the time of the request for subcontractor approval, evidence of such Professional Liability Insurance on forms acceptable to the Department.

C. Claims-made policies will be accepted for Professional Liability Insurance. All such policies shall have an extended reporting period option or automatic coverage of not less than two (2) years. If available as an option, the Contractor shall purchase extended reporting period coverage effective on cancellation or termination of such insurance unless a new policy is secured with a retroactive date, including at least the last policy year.

Section 7.04 Workers' Compensation, Disability Benefits, and Employer's Liability Insurance

The Contractor shall maintain, and ensure that each subcontractor maintains, Workers' Compensation Insurance, Disability Benefits Insurance, and Employer's Liability Insurance in accordance with the Laws of the State on behalf of, or with regard to, all employees providing services under this Agreement.

Section 7.05 Unemployment Insurance

To the extent required by Law, the Contractor shall provide Unemployment Insurance for its employees.

Section 7.06 Business Automobile Liability Insurance

A. If vehicles are used in the provision of services under this Agreement, then the Contractor shall maintain Business Automobile Liability insurance in the amount of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) each accident combined single limit for liability arising out of ownership, maintenance or use of any owned, non-owned, or hired vehicles to be used in connection with this Agreement. Coverage shall be at least as broad as the most recently issued ISO Form CA0001.

B. If vehicles are used for transporting hazardous materials, the Business Automobile Liability Insurance shall be endorsed to provide pollution liability broadened coverage for covered vehicles (endorsement CA 99 48) as well as proof of MCS-90.

Section 7.07 General Requirements for Insurance Coverage and Policies

A. All required insurance policies shall be maintained with companies that may lawfully issue the required policy and have an A.M. Best rating of at least A- / "VII" or a Standard and Poor's rating of at least A, unless prior written approval is obtained from the City Law Department.

B. All insurance policies shall be primary (and non-contributing) to any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the City.

C. The Contractor shall be solely responsible for the payment of all premiums for all required insurance policies and all deductibles or self-insured retentions to which such policies are subject, whether or not the City is an insured under the policy.

D. There shall be no self-insurance program with regard to any insurance required under this Article unless approved in writing by the Commissioner. Any such self-insurance program shall provide the City with all rights that would be provided by traditional insurance required under this Article, including but not limited to the defense obligations that insurers are required to undertake in liability policies.

E. The City's limits of coverage for all types of insurance required under this Article shall be the greater of (i) the minimum limits set forth in this Article or (ii) the limits provided to the Contractor as Named Insured under all primary, excess, and umbrella policies of that type of coverage.

Section 7.08 Pollution Liability Insurance

A. The Contractor shall maintain and submit evidence of Pollution Liability Insurance appropriate to the type(s) of such services, in the amount of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) per claim. The policy or policies shall include an endorsement to cover the liability assumed by the Contractor under this Agreement arising out of the negligent performance of services or caused by an error, omission or negligent act of the Contractor or anyone employed by the Contractor.

B. All subcontractors of the Contractor providing services under this Agreement for which Pollution Liability Insurance is reasonably commercially available shall also maintain such insurance in the amount of at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) per claim, and the Contractor shall provide to the Department, at the time of the request for subcontractor approval, evidence of such Pollution Liability Insurance on forms acceptable to the Department.

C. Claims-made policies will be accepted for Pollution Liability Insurance. All such policies shall have an extended reporting period option or automatic coverage of not less than two (2) years. If available as an option, the Contractor shall purchase extended reporting period coverage effective on cancellation or termination of such insurance unless a new policy is secured with a retroactive date, including at least the last policy year.

Section 7.09 Proof of Insurance

A. For Workers' Compensation Insurance, Disability Benefits Insurance, and Employer's Liability Insurance, the Contractor shall file one of the following within ten (10) Days of award of this Agreement. ACORD forms are not acceptable proof of workers' compensation coverage.

1. C-105.2 Certificate of Workers' Compensation Insurance;
2. U-26.3 -- State Insurance Fund Certificate of Workers' Compensation Insurance;
3. Request for WC/DB Exemption (Form CE-200);
4. Equivalent or successor forms used by the New York State Workers' Compensation Board; or
5. Other proof of insurance in a form acceptable to the City.

B. For each policy required under this Agreement, except for Workers' Compensation Insurance, Disability Benefits Insurance, Employer's Liability Insurance, and Unemployment Insurance, the Contractor shall file a Certificate of Insurance with the Department within ten (10) Days of award of this Agreement. All Certificates of Insurance shall be (a) in a form acceptable to the City and certify the issuance and effectiveness of such policies of insurance, each with the specified minimum limits; and (b) accompanied by the endorsement in the Contractor's general liability policy by which the City has been made an additional insured pursuant to Section 7.02(B). All Certificate(s) of Insurance shall be accompanied by either a duly executed "Certification by Broker" in the form attached in Appendix B or copies of all policies referenced in the Certificate of Insurance. If complete policies have not yet been issued, binders are acceptable, until such time as the complete policies have been issued, at which time such policies shall be submitted.

C. Certificates of Insurance confirming renewals of insurance shall be submitted to the

Commissioner prior to the expiration date of coverage of policies required under this Article. Such Certificates of Insurance shall comply with the requirements of Section 7.08 (A) and Section 7.08(B), as applicable.

D. The Contractor shall provide the City with a copy of any policy required under this Article upon the demand for such policy by the Commissioner or the New York City Law Department.

E. Acceptance by the Commissioner of a certificate or a policy does not excuse the Contractor from maintaining policies consistent with all provisions of this Article (and ensuring that subcontractors maintain such policies) or from any liability arising from its failure to do so.

F. In the event the Contractor receives notice, from an insurance company or other person, that any insurance policy required under this Article shall expire or be cancelled or terminated for any reason, the Contractor shall immediately forward a copy of such notice to both the Commissioner, Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, Office of the ACCO, 42-09 28th Street, 17th Floor-CN 30A, Long Island City, NY 11101 and the New York City Comptroller, Attn: Office of Contract Administration, Municipal Building, One Centre Street, Room 1005, New York, New York 10007.

Section 7.10 Miscellaneous

A. Whenever notice of loss, damage, occurrence, accident, claim or suit is required under a general liability policy maintained in accordance with this Article, the Contractor shall provide the insurer with timely notice thereof on behalf of the City. Such notice shall be given even where the Contractor may not have coverage under such policy (for example, where one of Contractor's employees was injured). Such notice shall expressly specify that "this notice is being given on behalf of the City of New York as Additional Insured" and contain the following information: the number of the insurance policy; the name of the named insured; the date and location of the damage, occurrence, or accident; the identity of the persons or things injured, damaged, or lost; and the title of the claim or suit, if applicable. The Contractor shall simultaneously send a copy of such notice to the City of New York c/o Insurance Claims Specialist, Affirmative Litigation Division, New York City Law Department, 100 Church Street, New York, New York 10007. If the Contractor fails to comply with the requirements of this paragraph, the Contractor shall indemnify the City for all losses, judgments, settlements and expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees, arising from an insurer's disclaimer of coverage citing late notice by or on behalf of the City.

B. The Contractor's failure to maintain any of the insurance required by this Article shall constitute a material breach of this Agreement. Such breach shall not be waived or otherwise excused by any action or inaction by the City at any time.

C. Insurance coverage in the minimum amounts required in this Article shall not relieve the Contractor or its subcontractors of any liability under this Agreement, nor shall it preclude the City from exercising any rights or taking such other actions as are available to it under any other provisions of this Agreement or Law.

D. The Contractor waives all rights against the City, including its officials and employees for any damages or losses that are covered under any insurance required under this Article (whether or not such insurance is actually procured or claims are paid thereunder) or any

other insurance applicable to the operations of the Contractor and/or its subcontractors in the performance of this Agreement.

E. In the event the Contractor requires any subcontractor to procure insurance with regard to any operations under this Agreement and requires such subcontractor to name the Contractor as an additional insured under such insurance, the Contractor shall ensure that such entity also name the City, including its officials and employees, as an additional insured with coverage at least as broad as the most recently issued ISO form CG 20 26.

ARTICLE 8: PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY AND INDEMNIFICATION

Section 8.01 Reasonable Precautions

The Contractor shall take all reasonable precautions to protect all persons and the property of the City and of others from damage, loss or injury resulting from the Contractor's and/or its subcontractors' operations under this Agreement.

Section 8.02 Protection of City Property

The Contractor assumes the risk of, and shall be responsible for, any loss or damage to City property, including property and equipment leased by the City, used in the performance of this Agreement, where such loss or damage is caused by any tortious act, or failure to comply with the provisions of this Agreement or of Law by the Contractor, its officers, employees, agents or subcontractors.

Section 8.03 Indemnification

The Contractor shall defend, indemnify and hold the City, its officers and employees harmless from any and all claims (even if the allegations of the lawsuit are without merit) or judgments for damages on account of any injuries or death to any person or damage to any property and from costs and expenses to which the City, its officers and employees may be subjected or which it may suffer or incur allegedly arising out of or in connection with any operations of the Contractor and/or its subcontractors to the extent resulting from any negligent act of commission or omission, any intentional tortious act, or failure to comply with the provisions of this Agreement or of the Laws. Insofar as the facts or Law relating to any claim would preclude the City from being completely indemnified by the Contractor, the City shall be partially indemnified by the Contractor to the fullest extent permitted by Law.

Section 8.04 Infringement Indemnification

The Contractor shall defend, indemnify and hold the City harmless from any and all claims (even if the allegations of the lawsuit are without merit) or judgments for damages and from costs and expenses to which the City may be subject to or which it may suffer or incur allegedly arising out of or in connection with any infringement by the Contractor of any copyright, trade secrets, trademark or patent rights or any other property or personal right of any third party by the Contractor and/or its subcontractors in the performance of this Agreement. The Contractor shall defend, indemnify, and hold the City harmless regardless of whether or not the alleged

infringement arises out of compliance with the Agreement's scope of services/scope of work. Insofar as the facts or Law relating to any claim would preclude the City from being completely indemnified by the Contractor, the City shall be partially indemnified by the Contractor to the fullest extent permitted by Law.

Section 8.05 Indemnification Obligations Not Limited By Insurance Obligation

The indemnification provisions set forth in this Article shall not be limited in any way by the Contractor's obligations to obtain and maintain insurance as provided in this Agreement.

Section 8.06 Actions By or Against Third Parties

A. In the event any claim is made or any action brought in any way relating to Agreement, other than an action between the City and the Contractor, the Contractor shall diligently render to the City without additional compensation all assistance which the City may reasonably require of the Contractor.

B. The Contractor shall report to the Department in writing within five (5) business Days of the initiation by or against the Contractor of any legal action or proceeding in connection with or relating to this Agreement.

Section 8.07 Withholding of Payments

A. In the event that any claim is made or any action is brought against the City for which the Contractor may be required to indemnify the City pursuant to this Agreement, the City shall have the right to withhold further payments under this Agreement for the purpose of set-off in sufficient sums to cover the said claim or action.

B. In the event that any City property is lost or damaged as set forth in Section 8.02, except for normal wear and tear, the City shall have the right to withhold further payments under this Agreement for the purpose of set-off in sufficient sums to cover such loss or damage.

C. The City shall not, however, impose a setoff in the event that an insurance company that provided liability insurance pursuant to Article 7 above has accepted the City's tender of the claim or action without a reservation of rights.

D. The Department may, at its option, withhold for purposes of set-off any monies due to the Contractor under this Agreement up to the amount of any disallowances or questioned costs resulting from any audits of the Contractor or to the amount of any overpayment to the Contractor with regard to this Agreement.

E. The rights and remedies of the City provided for in this Section shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by Law or this Agreement.

Section 8.08 No Third Party Rights

The provisions of this Agreement shall not be deemed to create any right of action in favor of third parties against the Contractor or the City or their respective officers and employees.

ARTICLE 9: CONTRACT CHANGES

Section 9.01 Contract Changes

Changes to this Agreement may be made only as duly authorized by the ACCO or his or her designee and in accordance with the PPB Rules. Any amendment or change to this Agreement shall not be valid unless made in writing and signed by authorized representatives of both parties. Contractors deviating from the requirements of this Agreement without a duly approved and executed change order document, or written contract modification or amendment, do so at their own risk.

Section 9.02 Changes Through Fault of Contractor

In the event that any change is required in the data, documents, deliverables, or other services to be provided under this Agreement because of negligence or error of the Contractor, no additional compensation shall be paid to the Contractor for making such change, and the Contractor is obligated to make such change without additional compensation.

ARTICLE 10: TERMINATION, DEFAULT, AND REDUCTIONS IN FUNDING

Section 10.01 Termination by the City Without Cause

A. The City shall have the right to terminate this Agreement, in whole or in part, without cause, in accordance with the provisions of Section 10.05.

B. If the City terminates this Agreement pursuant to this Section, the following provisions apply. The City shall not incur or pay any further obligation pursuant to this Agreement beyond the termination date set by the City pursuant to Section 10.05. The City shall pay for services provided in accordance with this Agreement prior to the termination date. In addition, any obligation necessarily incurred by the Contractor on account of this Agreement prior to receipt of notice of termination and falling due after the termination date shall be paid by the City in accordance with the terms of this Agreement. In no event shall such obligation be construed as including any lease or other occupancy agreement, oral or written, entered into between the Contractor and its landlord.

Section 10.02 Reductions in Federal, State and/or City Funding

A. This Agreement is funded in whole or in part by funds secured from the federal, State and/or City governments. Should there be a reduction or discontinuance of such funds by action of the federal, State and/or City governments, the City shall have, in its sole discretion, the right to terminate this Agreement in whole or in part, or to reduce the funding and/or level of services of this Agreement caused by such action by the federal, State and/or City governments, including, in the case of the reduction option, but not limited to, the reduction or elimination of programs, services or service components; the reduction or elimination of contract-reimbursable staff or staff-hours, and corresponding reductions in the budget of this Agreement and in the total amount payable under this Agreement. Any reduction in funds pursuant to this Section shall be accompanied by an appropriate reduction in the services performed under this Agreement.

B. In the case of the reduction option referred to in Paragraph A, above, any such

reduction shall be effective as of the date set forth in a written notice thereof to the Contractor, which shall be not less than thirty (30) Days from the date of such notice. Prior to sending such notice of reduction, the Department shall advise the Contractor that such option is being exercised and afford the Contractor an opportunity to make within seven (7) Days any suggestion(s) it may have as to which program(s), service(s), service component(s), staff or staff-hours might be reduced or eliminated, provided, however, that the Department shall not be bound to utilize any of the Contractor's suggestions and that the Department shall have sole discretion as to how to effectuate the reductions.

C. If the City reduces funding pursuant to this Section, the following provisions apply. The City shall pay for services provided in accordance with this Agreement prior to the reduction date. In addition, any obligation necessarily incurred by the Contractor on account of this Agreement prior to receipt of notice of reduction and falling due after the reduction date shall be paid by the City in accordance with the terms of this Agreement. In no event shall such obligation be construed as including any lease or other occupancy agreement, oral or written, entered into between the Contractor and its landlord.

D. To the extent that the reduction in public funds is a result of the State determining that the Contractor may receive medical assistance funds pursuant to title eleven of article five of the Social Services Law to fund the services contained within the scope of a program under this Agreement, then the notice and effective date provisions of this section shall not apply, and the Department may reduce such public funds authorized under this Agreement by informing the Contractor of the amount of the reduction and revising attachments to this agreement as appropriate.

Section 10.03 Contractor Default

A. The City shall have the right to declare the Contractor in default:

1. Upon a breach by the Contractor of a material term or condition of this Agreement, including unsatisfactory performance of the services;

2. Upon insolvency or the commencement of any proceeding by or against the Contractor, either voluntarily or involuntarily, under the Bankruptcy Code or relating to the insolvency, receivership, liquidation, or composition of the Contractor for the benefit of creditors;

3. If the Contractor refuses or fails to proceed with the services under the Agreement when and as directed by the Commissioner;

4. If the Contractor or any of its officers, directors, partners, five percent (5%) or greater shareholders, principals, or other employee or person substantially involved in its activities are indicted or convicted after execution of the Agreement under any state or federal law of any of the following:

1) a. a criminal offense incident to obtaining or attempting to obtain or performing a public or private contract;

2) b. fraud, embezzlement, theft, bribery, forgery, falsification, or destruction of records, or receiving stolen property;

- 3) c. a criminal violation of any state or federal antitrust law;
- 4) d. violation of the Racketeer Influence and Corrupt Organization Act, 18 U.S.C. § 1961 et seq., or the Mail Fraud Act, 18 U.S.C. § 1341 et seq., for acts in connection with the submission of bids or proposals for a public or private contract;
- 5) e. conspiracy to commit any act or omission that would constitute grounds for conviction or liability under any statute described in subparagraph (d) above; or
- 6) f. an offense indicating a lack of business integrity that seriously and directly affects responsibility as a City vendor.

5. If the Contractor or any of its officers, directors, partners, five percent (5%) or greater shareholders, principals, or other employee or person substantially involved in its activities are subject to a judgment of civil liability under any state or federal antitrust law for acts or omissions in connection with the submission of bids or proposals for a public or private contract; or

6. If the Contractor or any of its officers, directors, partners, five percent (5%) or greater shareholders, principals, or other employee or person substantially involved in its activities makes or causes to be made any false, deceptive, or fraudulent material statement, or fail to make a required material statement in any bid, proposal, or application for City or other government work.

B. The right to declare the Contractor in default shall be exercised by sending the Contractor a written notice of the conditions of default, signed by the Commissioner, setting forth the ground or grounds upon which such default is declared (“Notice to Cure”). The Contractor shall have ten (10) Days from receipt of the Notice to Cure or any longer period that is set forth in the Notice to Cure to cure the default. The Commissioner may temporarily suspend services under the Agreement pending the outcome of the default proceedings pursuant to this Section.

C. If the conditions set forth in the Notice to Cure are not cured within the period set forth in the Notice to Cure, the Commissioner may declare the Contractor in default pursuant to this Section. Before the Commissioner may exercise his or her right to declare the Contractor in default, the Commissioner shall give the Contractor an opportunity to be heard upon not less than five (5) business days’ notice. The Commissioner may, in his or her discretion, provide for such opportunity to be in writing or in person. Such opportunity to be heard shall not occur prior to the end of the cure period but notice of such opportunity to be heard may be given prior to the end of the cure period and may be given contemporaneously with the Notice to Cure.

D. After the opportunity to be heard, the Commissioner may terminate the Agreement, in whole or in part, upon finding the Contractor in default pursuant to this Section, in accordance with the provisions of Section 10.05.

E. The Commissioner, after declaring the Contractor in default, may have the services under the Agreement completed by such means and in such manner, by contract with or without public letting, or otherwise, as he or she may deem advisable in accordance with applicable PPB Rules. After such completion, the Commissioner shall certify the expense incurred in such completion, which shall include the cost of re-letting. Should the expense of such completion, as certified by the Commissioner, exceed the total sum which would have been payable under the

Agreement if it had been completed by the Contractor, any excess shall be promptly paid by the Contractor upon demand by the City. The excess expense of such completion, including any and all related and incidental costs, as so certified by the Commissioner, and any liquidated damages assessed against the Contractor, may be charged against and deducted out of monies earned by the Contractor.

Section 10.04 Force Majeure

A. For purposes of this Agreement, a force majeure event is an act or event beyond the control and without any fault or negligence of the Contractor (“Force Majeure Event”). Such events may include, but are not limited to, fire, flood, earthquake, storm or other natural disaster, civil commotion, war, terrorism, riot, and labor disputes not brought about by any act or omission of the Contractor.

B. In the event the Contractor cannot comply with the terms of the Agreement (including any failure by the Contractor to make progress in the performance of the services) because of a Force Majeure Event, then the Contractor may ask the Commissioner to excuse the nonperformance and/or terminate the Agreement. If the Commissioner, in his or her reasonable discretion, determines that the Contractor cannot comply with the terms of the Agreement because of a Force Majeure Event, then the Commissioner shall excuse the nonperformance and may terminate the Agreement. Such a termination shall be deemed to be without cause.

C. If the City terminates the Agreement pursuant to this Section, the following provisions apply. The City shall not incur or pay any further obligation pursuant to this Agreement beyond the termination date. The City shall pay for services provided in accordance with this Agreement prior to the termination date. Any obligation necessarily incurred by the Contractor on account of this Agreement prior to receipt of notice of termination and falling due after the termination date shall be paid by the City in accordance with the terms of this Agreement. In no event shall such obligation be construed as including any lease or other occupancy agreement, oral or written, entered into between the Contractor and its landlord.

Section 10.05 Procedures for Termination

A. The Department and/or the City shall give the Contractor written notice of any termination of this Agreement. Such notice shall specify the applicable provision(s) under which the Agreement is terminated and the effective date of the termination. Except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, the notice shall comply with the provisions of this Section. For termination without cause, the effective date of the termination shall not be less than ten (10) Days from the date the notice is personally delivered, or fifteen (15) Days from the date the notice is either sent by certified mail, return receipt requested, or sent by fax and deposited in a post office box regularly maintained by the United States Postal Service in a postage pre-paid envelope. In the case of termination for default, the effective date of the termination shall be as set forth above for a termination without cause or such earlier date as the Commissioner may determine. If the City terminates the Agreement in part, the Contractor shall continue the performance of the Agreement to the extent not terminated.

B. Upon termination or expiration of this Agreement, the Contractor shall comply with the City close-out procedures, including but not limited to:

1. Accounting for and refunding to the Department, within forty-five (45) Days, any unexpended funds which have been advanced to the Contractor pursuant to this Agreement;
2. Furnishing within forty-five (45) Days an inventory to the Department of all equipment, appurtenances and property purchased through or provided under this Agreement and carrying out any Department or City directive concerning the disposition of such equipment, appurtenances and property;
3. Turning over to the Department or its designees all books, records, documents and material specifically relating to this Agreement that the Department has requested be turned over;
4. Submitting to the Department, within ninety (90) Days, a final statement and report relating to the Agreement. The report shall be made by a certified public accountant or a licensed public accountant; and
5. Providing reasonable assistance to the Department in the transition, if any, to a new contractor.

Section 10.06 Miscellaneous Provisions

- A. The Commissioner, in addition to any other powers set forth in this Agreement or by operation of Law, may suspend, in whole or in part, any part of the services to be provided under this Agreement whenever in his or her judgment such suspension is required in the best interest of the City. If the Commissioner suspends this Agreement pursuant to this Section, the City shall not incur or pay any further obligation pursuant to this Agreement beyond the suspension date until such suspension is lifted. The City shall pay for services provided in accordance with this Agreement prior to the suspension date. In addition, any obligation necessarily incurred by the Contractor on account of this Agreement prior to receipt of notice of suspension and falling due during the suspension period shall be paid by the City in accordance with the terms of this Agreement.
- B. Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Agreement, the Contractor shall not be relieved of liability to the City for damages sustained by the City by virtue of the Contractor's breach of the Agreement, and the City may withhold payments to the Contractor for the purpose of set-off in the amount of damages due to the City from the Contractor.
- C. The rights and remedies of the City provided in this Article shall not be exclusive and are in addition to all other rights and remedies provided by Law or under this Agreement.

ARTICLE 11: PROMPT PAYMENT AND ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFER

Section 11.01 Prompt Payment

- A. The prompt payment provisions of PPB Rule § 4-06 are applicable to payments made under this Agreement. The provisions generally require the payment to the Contractor of interest on payments made after the required payment date, as set forth in the PPB Rules.
- B. The Contractor shall submit a proper invoice to receive payment, except where the Agreement provides that the Contractor will be paid at predetermined intervals without having to

submit an invoice for each scheduled payment.

C. Determination of interest due will be made in accordance with the PPB Rules and the applicable rate of interest shall be the rate in effect at the time of payment.

Section 11.02 Electronic Funds Transfer

A. In accordance with Admin. Code § 6-107.1, the Contractor agrees to accept payments under this Agreement from the City by electronic funds transfer. An electronic funds transfer is any transfer of funds, other than a transaction originated by check, draft, or similar paper instrument, which is initiated through an electronic terminal, telephonic instrument or computer or magnetic tape so as to order, instruct, or authorize a financial institution to debit or credit an account. Prior to the first payment made under this Agreement, the Contractor shall designate one financial institution or other authorized payment agent and shall complete the “EFT Vendor Payment Enrollment Form” available from the Agency or at <http://www.nyc.gov/dof> in order to provide the commissioner of the Department of Finance with information necessary for the Contractor to receive electronic funds transfer payments through the designated financial institution or authorized payment agent. The crediting of the amount of a payment to the appropriate account on the books of a financial institution or other authorized payment agent designated by the Contractor shall constitute full satisfaction by the City for the amount of the payment under this Agreement. The account information supplied by the Contractor to facilitate the electronic funds transfer shall remain confidential to the fullest extent provided by Law.

B. The Agency Head may waive the application of the requirements of this Section to payments on contracts entered into pursuant to Charter § 315. In addition, the commissioner of the Department of Finance and the Comptroller may jointly issue standards pursuant to which the Agency may waive the requirements of this Section for payments in the following circumstances: (i) for individuals or classes of individuals for whom compliance imposes a hardship; (ii) for classifications or types of checks; or (iii) in other circumstances as may be necessary in the best interest of the City.

C. This Section is applicable to contracts valued at Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000) and above.

ARTICLE 12: CLAIMS

Section 12.01 Choice of Law

This Agreement shall be deemed to be executed in the City and State of New York, regardless of the domicile of the Contractor, and shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the Laws of the State of New York (notwithstanding New York choice of law or conflict of law principles) and the Laws of the United States, where applicable.

Section 12.02 Jurisdiction and Venue

The parties agree that any and all claims asserted by or against the City arising under or related to this Agreement shall solely be heard and determined either in the courts of the United States located in the City or in the courts of the State located in the City and County of New York. The parties shall consent to the dismissal and/or transfer of any claims asserted in any other venue

or forum to the proper venue or forum. If the Contractor initiates any action in breach of this Section, the Contractor shall be responsible for and shall promptly reimburse the City for any attorneys' fees incurred by the City in removing the action to a proper court consistent with this Section.

Section 12.03 Resolution of Disputes

A. Except as provided in Subparagraphs (A)(1) and (A)(2) below, all disputes between the City and the Contractor that arise under, or by virtue of, this Agreement shall be finally resolved in accordance with the provisions of this Section and PPB Rule § 4-09. This procedure shall be the exclusive means of resolving any such disputes.

1. This Section shall not apply to disputes concerning matters dealt with in other sections of the PPB Rules or to disputes involving patents, copyrights, trademarks, or trade secrets (as interpreted by the courts of New York State) relating to proprietary rights in computer software, or to termination other than for cause.

2. For construction and construction-related services this Section shall apply only to disputes about the scope of work delineated by the Agreement, the interpretation of Agreement documents, the amount to be paid for extra work or disputed work performed in connection with the Agreement, the conformity of the Contractor's work to the Agreement, and the acceptability and quality of the Contractor's work; such disputes arise when the City Engineer, City Resident Engineer, City Engineering Audit Officer, or other designee of the Agency Head makes a determination with which the Contractor disagrees. For construction, this Section shall not apply to termination of the Agreement for cause or other than for cause.

B. All determinations required by this Section shall be clearly stated, with a reasoned explanation for the determination based on the information and evidence presented to the party making the determination. Failure to make such determination within the time required by this Section shall be deemed a non-determination without prejudice that will allow application to the next level.

C. During such time as any dispute is being presented, heard, and considered pursuant to this Section, the Agreement terms shall remain in full force and effect and, unless otherwise directed by the ACCO or Engineer, the Contractor shall continue to perform work in accordance with the Agreement and as directed by the ACCO or City Engineer, City Resident Engineer, City Engineering Audit Officer, or other designee of the Agency Head. Failure of the Contractor to continue the work as directed shall constitute a waiver by the Contractor of any and all claims being presented pursuant to this Section and a material breach of contract.

D. Presentation of Dispute to Agency Head.

1. Notice of Dispute and Agency Response. The Contractor shall present its dispute in writing ("Notice of Dispute") to the Agency Head within the time specified herein, or, if no time is specified, within thirty (30) Days of receiving written notice of the determination or action that is the subject of the dispute. This notice requirement shall not be read to replace any other notice requirements contained in the Agreement. The Notice of Dispute shall include all the facts, evidence, documents, or other basis upon which the Contractor relies in support of its position, as well as a detailed computation demonstrating

how any amount of money claimed by the Contractor in the dispute was arrived at. Within thirty (30) Days after receipt of the complete Notice of Dispute, the ACCO or, in the case of construction or construction-related services, the City Engineer, City Resident Engineer, City Engineering Audit Officer, or other designee of the Agency Head, shall submit to the Agency Head all materials he or she deems pertinent to the dispute. Following initial submissions to the Agency Head, either party may demand of the other the production of any document or other material the demanding party believes may be relevant to the dispute. The requested party shall produce all relevant materials that are not otherwise protected by a legal privilege recognized by the courts of New York State. Any question of relevancy shall be determined by the Agency Head whose decision shall be final. Willful failure of the Contractor to produce any requested material whose relevancy the Contractor has not disputed, or whose relevancy has been affirmatively determined, shall constitute a waiver by the Contractor of its claim.

2. Agency Head Inquiry. The Agency Head shall examine the material and may, in his or her discretion, convene an informal conference with the Contractor and the ACCO and, in the case of construction or construction-related services, the City Engineer, City Resident Engineer, City Engineering Audit Officer, or other designee of the Agency Head, to resolve the issue by mutual consent prior to reaching a determination. The Agency Head may seek such technical or other expertise as he or she shall deem appropriate, including the use of neutral mediators, and require any such additional material from either or both parties as he or she deems fit. The Agency Head's ability to render, and the effect of, a decision hereunder shall not be impaired by any negotiations in connection with the dispute presented, whether or not the Agency Head participated therein. The Agency Head may or, at the request of any party to the dispute, shall compel the participation of any other contractor with a contract related to the work of this Agreement and that contractor shall be bound by the decision of the Agency Head. Any contractor thus brought into the dispute resolution proceeding shall have the same rights and obligations under this Section as the Contractor initiating the dispute.

3. Agency Head Determination. Within thirty (30) Days after the receipt of all materials and information, or such longer time as may be agreed to by the parties, the Agency Head shall make his or her determination and shall deliver or send a copy of such determination to the Contractor and ACCO and, in the case of construction or construction-related services, the City Engineer, City Resident Engineer, City Engineering Audit Officer, or other designee of the Agency Head, together with a statement concerning how the decision may be appealed.

4. Finality of Agency Head Decision. The Agency Head's decision shall be final and binding on all parties, unless presented to the Contract Dispute Resolution Board ("CDRB") pursuant to this Section. The City may not take a petition to the CDRB. However, should the Contractor take such a petition, the City may seek, and the CDRB may render, a determination less favorable to the Contractor and more favorable to the City than the decision of the Agency Head.

E. Presentation of Dispute to the Comptroller. Before any dispute may be brought by the Contractor to the CDRB, the Contractor must first present its claim to the Comptroller for his or her review, investigation, and possible adjustment.

1. Time, Form, and Content of Notice. Within thirty (30) Days of receipt of a decision by the Agency Head, the Contractor shall submit to the Comptroller and to the Agency Head a Notice of Claim regarding its dispute with the Agency. The Notice of Claim shall consist of (i) a brief statement of the substance of the dispute, the amount of money, if any, claimed and the reason(s) the Contractor contends the dispute was wrongly decided by the Agency Head; (ii) a copy of the decision of the Agency Head; and (iii) a copy of all materials submitted by the Contractor to the Agency, including the Notice of Dispute. The Contractor may not present to the Comptroller any material not presented to the Agency Head, except at the request of the Comptroller.

2. Agency Response. Within thirty (30) Days of receipt of the Notice of Claim, the Agency shall make available to the Comptroller a copy of all material submitted by the Agency to the Agency Head in connection with the dispute. The Agency may not present to the Comptroller any material not presented to the Agency Head, except at the request of the Comptroller.

3. Comptroller Investigation. The Comptroller may investigate the claim in dispute and, in the course of such investigation, may exercise all powers provided in Admin. Code §§ 7-201 and 7-203. In addition, the Comptroller may demand of either party, and such party shall provide, whatever additional material the Comptroller deems pertinent to the claim, including original business records of the Contractor. Willful failure of the Contractor to produce within fifteen (15) Days any material requested by the Comptroller shall constitute a waiver by the Contractor of its claim. The Comptroller may also schedule an informal conference to be attended by the Contractor, Agency representatives, and any other personnel desired by the Comptroller.

4. Opportunity of Comptroller to Compromise or Adjust Claim. The Comptroller shall have forty-five (45) Days from his or her receipt of all materials referred to in Paragraph (E)(3) above to investigate the disputed claim. The period for investigation and compromise may be further extended by agreement between the Contractor and the Comptroller, to a maximum of ninety (90) Days from the Comptroller's receipt of all the materials. The Contractor may not present its petition to the CDRB until the period for investigation and compromise delineated in this Paragraph has expired. In compromising or adjusting any claim hereunder, the Comptroller may not revise or disregard the terms of the Agreement.

F. Contract Dispute Resolution Board. There shall be a Contract Dispute Resolution Board composed of:

1. the chief administrative law judge of the Office of Administrative Trials and Hearings ("OATH") or his or her designated OATH administrative law judge, who shall act as chairperson, and may adopt operational procedures and issue such orders consistent with this Section as may be necessary in the execution of the CDRB's functions, including, but not limited to, granting extensions of time to present or respond to submissions;

2. the City Chief Procurement Officer ("CCPO") or his or her designee; any designee shall have the requisite background to consider and resolve the merits of the dispute and shall not have participated personally and substantially in the particular matter that is the subject of the dispute or report to anyone who so participated; and

3. a person with appropriate expertise who is not an employee of the City. This person shall be selected by the presiding administrative law judge from a prequalified panel of individuals, established, and administered by OATH, with appropriate background to act as decision-makers in a dispute. Such individuals may not have a contract or dispute with the City or be an officer or employee of any company or organization that does, or regularly represent persons, companies, or organizations having disputes with the City.

G. Petition to CDRB. In the event the claim has not been settled or adjusted by the Comptroller within the period provided in this Section, the Contractor, within thirty (30) Days thereafter, may petition the CDRB to review the Agency Head determination.

1. Form and Content of Petition by the Contractor. The Contractor shall present its dispute to the CDRB in the form of a petition, which shall include (i) a brief statement of the substance of the dispute, the amount of money, if any, claimed, and the reason(s) the Contractor contends that the dispute was wrongly decided by the Agency Head; (ii) a copy of the decision of the Agency Head; (iii) copies of all materials submitted by the Contractor to the Agency; (iv) a copy of the decision of the Comptroller, if any, and (v) copies of all correspondence with, and material submitted by the Contractor to, the Comptroller's Office. The Contractor shall concurrently submit four complete sets of the petition: one to the Corporation Counsel (Attn: Commercial and Real Estate Litigation Division), and three to the CDRB at OATH's offices, with proof of service on the Corporation Counsel. In addition, the Contractor shall submit a copy of the statement of the substance of the dispute, cited in (i) above, to both the Agency Head and the Comptroller.

2. Agency Response. Within thirty (30) Days of receipt of the petition by the Corporation Counsel, the Agency shall respond to the statement of the Contractor and make available to the CDRB all material it submitted to the Agency Head and Comptroller. Three complete copies of the Agency response shall be submitted to the CDRB at OATH's offices and one to the Contractor. Extensions of time for submittal of the Agency response shall be given as necessary upon a showing of good cause or, upon the consent of the parties, for an initial period of up to thirty (30) Days.

3. Further Proceedings. The CDRB shall permit the Contractor to present its case by submission of memoranda, briefs, and oral argument. The CDRB shall also permit the Agency to present its case in response to the Contractor by submission of memoranda, briefs, and oral argument. If requested by the Corporation Counsel, the Comptroller shall provide reasonable assistance in the preparation of the Agency's case. Neither the Contractor nor the Agency may support its case with any documentation or other material that was not considered by the Comptroller, unless requested by the CDRB. The CDRB, in its discretion, may seek such technical or other expert advice as it shall deem appropriate and may seek, on its own or upon application of a party, any such additional material from any party as it deems fit. The CDRB, in its discretion, may combine more than one dispute between the parties for concurrent resolution.

4. CDRB Determination. Within forty-five (45) Days of the conclusion of all submissions and oral arguments, the CDRB shall render a decision resolving the dispute. In an unusually complex case, the CDRB may render its decision in a longer period of time, not to exceed ninety (90) Days, and shall so advise the parties at the commencement of this

period. The CDRB's decision must be consistent with the terms of this Agreement. Decisions of the CDRB shall only resolve matters before the CDRB and shall not have precedential effect with respect to matters not before the CDRB.

5. Notification of CDRB Decision. The CDRB shall send a copy of its decision to the Contractor, the ACCO, the Corporation Counsel, the Comptroller, the CCPO, and, in the case of construction or construction-related services, the City Engineer, City Resident Engineer, City Engineering Audit Officer, or other designee of the Agency Head. A decision in favor of the Contractor shall be subject to the prompt payment provisions of the PPB Rules. The required payment date shall be thirty (30) Days after the date the parties are formally notified of the CDRB's decision.

6. Finality of CDRB Decision. The CDRB's decision shall be final and binding on all parties. Any party may seek review of the CDRB's decision solely in the form of a challenge, filed within four months of the date of the CDRB's decision, in a court of competent jurisdiction of the State of New York, County of New York pursuant to Article 78 of the Civil Practice Law and Rules. Such review by the court shall be limited to the question of whether or not the CDRB's decision was made in violation of lawful procedure, was affected by an error of Law, or was arbitrary and capricious or an abuse of discretion. No evidence or information shall be introduced or relied upon in such proceeding that was not presented to the CDRB in accordance with PPB Rules § 4-09.

H. Any termination, cancellation, or alleged breach of the Agreement prior to or during the pendency of any proceedings pursuant to this Section shall not affect or impair the ability of the Agency Head or CDRB to make a binding and final decision pursuant to this Section.

Section 12.04 Claims and Actions

A. Any claim against the City or Department based on this Agreement or arising out of this Agreement that is not subject to dispute resolution under the PPB Rules or this Agreement shall not be made or asserted in any legal proceeding, unless the Contractor shall have strictly complied with all requirements relating to the giving of notice and of information with respect to such claims as provided in this Agreement.

B. No action shall be instituted or maintained on any such claims unless such action shall be commenced within six (6) months after the date of filing with the Comptroller of the certificate for the final payment under this Agreement, or within six (6) months of the termination or expiration of this Agreement, or within six (6) months after the accrual of the cause of action, whichever first occurs.

Section 12.05 No Claim Against Officers, Agents or Employees

No claim shall be made by the Contractor against any officer, agent, or employee of the City in their personal capacity for, or on account of, anything done or omitted in connection with this Agreement.

Section 12.06 General Release

The acceptance by the Contractor or its assignees of the final payment under this Agreement, whether by check, wire transfer, or other means, and whether pursuant to invoice,

voucher, judgment of any court of competent jurisdiction or any other administrative means, shall constitute and operate as a release of the City from any and all claims of and liability to the Contractor, of which the Contractor was aware or should reasonably have been aware, arising out of the performance of this Agreement based on actions of the City prior to such acceptance of final payment, excepting any disputes that are the subject of pending dispute resolution procedures.

Section 12.07 No Waiver

Waiver by either the Department or the Contractor of a breach of any provision of this Agreement shall not be deemed to be a waiver of any other or subsequent breach and shall not be construed to be a modification of the terms of the Agreement unless and until the same shall be agreed to in writing by the parties as set forth in Section 9.01.

ARTICLE 13: APPLICABLE LAWS

Section 13.01 PPB Rules

This Agreement is subject to the PPB Rules. In the event of a conflict between the PPB Rules and a provision of this Agreement, the PPB Rules shall take precedence.

Section 13.02 All Legal Provisions Deemed Included

Each and every provision required by Law to be inserted in this Agreement is hereby deemed to be a part of this Agreement, whether actually inserted or not.

Section 13.03 Severability / Unlawful Provisions Deemed Stricken

If this Agreement contains any unlawful provision not an essential part of the Agreement and which shall not appear to have been a controlling or material inducement to the making of this Agreement, the unlawful provision shall be deemed of no effect and shall, upon notice by either party, be deemed stricken from the Agreement without affecting the binding force of the remainder.

Section 13.04 Compliance With Laws

The Contractor shall perform all services under this Agreement in accordance with all applicable Laws as are in effect at the time such services are performed.

Section 13.05 Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)

A. This Agreement is subject to the provisions of Subtitle A of Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, 42 U.S.C. § 12131 et seq. (“ADA”) and regulations promulgated pursuant thereto, see 28 CFR Part 35. The Contractor shall not discriminate against an individual with a disability, as defined in the ADA, in providing services, programs, or activities pursuant to this Agreement. If directed to do so by the Department to ensure the Contractor’s compliance with the ADA during the term of this Agreement, the Contractor shall prepare a plan (“Compliance Plan”) which lists its program site(s) and describes in detail, how it intends to make the services, programs and activities set forth in the scope of services herein readily accessible and

usable by individuals with disabilities at such site(s). In the event that the program site is not readily accessible and usable by individuals with disabilities, contractor shall also include in the Compliance Plan, a description of reasonable alternative means and methods that result in making the services, programs or activities provided under this Agreement, readily accessible to and usable by individuals with disabilities, including but not limited to people with visual, auditory or mobility disabilities. The Contractor shall submit the Compliance Plan to the ACCO for review within ten (10) Days after being directed to do so and shall abide by the Compliance Plan and implement any action detailed in the Compliance Plan to make the services, programs, or activities accessible and usable by the disabled.

B. The Contractor's failure to either submit a Compliance Plan as required herein or implement an approved Compliance Plan may be deemed a material breach of this Agreement and result in the City terminating this Agreement.

Section 13.06 Voter Registration

A. Participating Agencies. Pursuant to Charter § 1057-a, if this Agreement is with a participating City agency and the Contractor has regular contact with the public in the daily administration of its business, the Contractor must comply with the requirements of this Section. The participating City agencies are: the Administration for Children's Services; the City Clerk; the Civilian Complaint Review Board; the Commission on Human Rights; Community Boards; the Department of Small Business Services; the Department of Citywide Administrative Services; the Department of Consumer Affairs; the Department of Correction; the Department of Environmental Protection; the Department of Finance; the Department of Health and Mental Health; the Department of Homeless Services; the Department of Housing Preservation and Development; the Department of Parks and Recreation; the Department of Probation; the Taxi and Limousine Commission; the Department of Transportation; and the Department of Youth and Community Development.

B. Distribution of Voter Registration Forms. In accordance with Charter § 1057-a, the Contractor, if it has regular contact with the public in the daily administration of its business under this Agreement, hereby agrees as follows:

1. The Contractor shall provide and distribute voter registration forms to all persons together with written applications for services, renewal, or recertification for services and change of address relating to such services. Such voter registration forms shall be provided to the Contractor by the City. The Contractor should be prepared to provide forms written in Spanish or Chinese, and shall obtain a sufficient supply of such forms from the City.

2. The Contractor shall also include a voter registration form with any Contractor communication sent through the United States mail for the purpose of supplying clients with materials for application, renewal, or recertification for services and change of address relating to such services. If forms written in Spanish or Chinese are not provided in such mailing, the Contractor shall provide such forms upon the Department's request.

3. The Contractor shall, subject to approval by the Department, incorporate an opportunity to request a voter registration application into any application for services, renewal, or recertification for services and change of address relating to such services provided on computer terminals, the World Wide Web or the Internet. Any person

indicating that they wish to be sent a voter registration form via computer terminals, the World Wide Web or the Internet shall be sent such a form by the Contractor or be directed, in a manner subject to approval by the Department, to a link on that system where such a form may be downloaded.

4. The Contractor shall, at the earliest practicable or next regularly scheduled printing of its own forms, subject to approval by the Department, physically incorporate the voter registration forms with its own application forms in a manner that permits the voter registration portion to be detached therefrom. Until such time when the Contractor amends its form, the Contractor should affix or include a postage-paid City Board of Elections voter registration form to or with its application, renewal, recertification, and change of address forms.

5. The Contractor shall prominently display in its public office, subject to approval by the Department, promotional materials designed and approved by the City or State Board of Elections.

6. For the purposes of Paragraph A of this Section, the word "Contractor" shall be deemed to include subcontractors having regular contact with the public in the daily administration of their business.

7. The provisions of Paragraph A of this Section shall not apply to services that must be provided to prevent actual or potential danger to life, health, or safety of any individual or of the public.

C. Assistance in Completing Voter Registration Forms. In accordance with Charter § 1057-a, the Contractor hereby agrees as follows:

1. In the event the Department provides assistance in completing distributed voter registration forms, the Contractor shall also provide such assistance, in the manner and to the extent specified by the Department.

2. In the event the Department receives and transmits completed registration forms from applicants who wish to have the forms transmitted to the City Board of Elections, the Contractor shall similarly provide such service, in the manner and to the extent specified by the Department.

3. If, in connection with the provision of services under this Agreement, the Contractor intends to provide assistance in completing distributed voter registration forms or to receive and transmit completed registration forms from applicants who wish to have the forms transmitted to the City Board of Elections, the Contractor shall do so only by prior arrangement with the Department.

4. The provision of Paragraph B services by the Contractor may be subject to Department protocols, including protocols regarding confidentiality.

D. Required Statements. In accordance with Charter § 1057-a, the Contractor hereby agrees as follows:

1. The Contractor shall advise all persons seeking voter registration forms and information, in writing together with other written materials provided by the Contractor or by appropriate publicity, that the Contractor's or government services are not conditioned on being registered to vote.

2. No statement shall be made and no action shall be taken by the Contractor or an employee of the Contractor to discourage an applicant from registering to vote or to encourage or discourage an applicant from enrolling in any particular political party.

3. The Contractor shall communicate to applicants that the completion of voter registration forms is voluntary.

4. The Contractor and the Contractor's employees shall not:

7) a. seek to influence an applicant's political preference or party designation;

8) b. display any political preference or party allegiance;

9) c. make any statement to an applicant or take any action the purpose or effect of which is to discourage the applicant from registering to vote; or

10) d. make any statement to an applicant or take any action the purpose or effect of which is to lead the applicant to believe that a decision to register or not to register has any bearing on the availability of services or benefits.

E. The Contractor, as defined above and in this Agreement, agrees that the covenants and representations in this Section are material conditions of this Agreement.

F. The provisions of this Section do not apply where the services under this Agreement are supported by a federal or State grant of funds and the source of funds prohibits the use of federal or State funds for the purposes of this Section.

Section 13.07 Participation in an International Boycott

A. The Contractor agrees that neither the Contractor nor any substantially-owned affiliated company is participating or shall participate in an international boycott in violation of the provisions of the federal Export Administration Act of 1979, as amended, 50 U.S.C. Appendix. §§ 2401 et seq., or the regulations of the United States Department of Commerce promulgated thereunder.

B. Upon the final determination by the Commerce Department or any other agency of the United States as to, or conviction of, the Contractor or a substantially-owned affiliated company thereof, of participation in an international boycott in violation of the provisions of the Export Administration Act of 1979, as amended, or the regulations promulgated thereunder, the Comptroller may, at his or her option, render forfeit and void this Agreement.

C. The Contractor shall comply in all respects, with the provisions of Admin. Code § 6-114 and the rules issued by the Comptroller thereunder.

Section 13.08 MacBride Principles

A. In accordance with and to the extent required by Admin. Code § 6-115.1, the Contractor stipulates that the Contractor and any individual or legal entity in which the Contractor holds a ten percent (10%) or greater ownership interest and any individual or legal entity that holds a ten percent (10%) or greater ownership interest in the Contractor either (a) have no business operations in Northern Ireland, or (b) shall take lawful steps in good faith to conduct any business

operations they have in Northern Ireland in accordance with the MacBride Principles, and shall permit independent monitoring of their compliance with such principles.

B. The Contractor agrees that the covenants and representations in Paragraph A above are material conditions to this Agreement.

C. This Section does not apply if the Contractor is a not-for-profit corporation.

Section 13.09 Access to Public Health Insurance Coverage Information

A. **Participating Agencies.** Pursuant to Charter § 1069, if this Agreement is with a participating City agency and the Contractor is one to whom this Section applies as provided in Paragraph B of this Section, the Contractor hereby agrees to fulfill the obligations in Paragraph C of this Section. The participating City agencies are: the Administration for Children's Services; the City Clerk; the Commission on Human Rights; the Department for the Aging; the Department of Corrections; the Department of Homeless Services; the Department of Housing Preservation and Development; the Department of Juvenile Justice; the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene; the Department of Probation; the Department of Social Services/Human Resources Administration; the Taxi and Limousine Commission; the Department of Youth and Community Development; the Office to Combat Domestic Violence; and the Office of Immigrant Affairs.

B. **Applicability to Certain Contractors.** This Section shall be applicable to a Contractor operating pursuant to an Agreement which (i) is in excess of \$250,000 and (ii) requires such Contractor to supply individuals with a written application for, or written renewal or recertification of services, or request for change of address form in the daily administration of its contractual obligation to such participating City agency. "Contractors" to whom this Section applies shall be deemed to include subcontractors if the subcontract requires the subcontractor to supply individuals with a written application for, or written renewal or recertification of services, or request for change of address form in the daily administration of the subcontractor's contractual obligation.

C. **Distribution of Public Health Insurance Pamphlet.** In accordance with Charter § 1069, when the participating City agency supplies the Contractor with the public health insurance program options pamphlet published by the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene pursuant to Section 17-183 of the Admin. Code (hereinafter "pamphlet"), the Contractor hereby agrees as follows:

1. The Contractor will distribute the pamphlet to all persons requesting a written application for services, renewal or recertification of services or request for a change of address relating to the provision of services.

2. The Contractor will include a pamphlet with any Contractor communication sent through the United States mail for the purpose of supplying an individual with a written application for services, renewal or recertification of services or with a request for a change of address form relating to the provision of services.

3. The Contractor will provide an opportunity for an individual requesting a written application for services, renewal or recertification for services or change of address form relating to the provision of services via the Internet to request a pamphlet, and will provide such pamphlet by United States mail or an Internet address where such pamphlet may be viewed or downloaded, to any person who indicates via the Internet that they wish to be sent a pamphlet.

4. The Contractor will ensure that its employees do not make any statement

to an applicant for services or client or take any action the purpose or effect of which is to lead the applicant or client to believe that a decision to request public health insurance or a pamphlet has any bearing on their eligibility to receive or the availability of services or benefits.

5. The Contractor will comply with: (i) any procedures established by the participating City agency to implement Charter §1069; (ii) any determination of the commissioner or head of the participating City agency (which is concurred in by the commissioner of the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene) to exclude a program, in whole or in part, from the requirements of Charter § 1069; and (iii) any determination of the commissioner or head of the participating City agency (which is concurred in by the commissioner of the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene) as to which Workforce Investment Act of 1998 offices providing workforce development services shall be required to fulfill the obligations under Charter § 1069.

D. Non-applicability to Certain Services. The provisions of this Section shall not apply to services that must be provided to prevent actual or potential danger to the life, health or safety of any individual or to the public.

Section 13.10 Distribution of Personal Identification Materials

A. Participating Agencies. Pursuant to City Executive Order No. 150 of 2011 (“E.O. 150”), if this Agreement is with a participating City agency and the Contractor has regular contact with the public in the daily administration of its business, the Contractor must comply with the requirements of this Section. The participating City agencies are: Administration for Children's Services, Department of Consumer Affairs, Department of Correction, Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, Department of Homeless Services, Department of Housing Preservation and Development, Human Resources Administration, Department of Parks and Recreation, Department of Probation, and Department of Youth and Community Development.

B. Policy. As expressed in E.O. 150, it is the policy of the City to provide information to individuals about how they can obtain the various forms of City, State, and Federal government-issued identification and, where appropriate, to assist them with the process for applying for such identification.

C. Distribution of Materials. If the Contractor has regular contact with the public in the daily administration of its business, the Contractor hereby agrees to provide and distribute materials and information related to whether and how to obtain various forms of City, State, and Federal government-issued identification as the Agency directs in accordance with the Agency’s plans developed pursuant to E.O. 150.

ARTICLE 14: MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

Section 14.01 Conditions Precedent

A. This Agreement shall be neither binding nor effective unless and until it is registered pursuant to Charter § 328.

B. The requirements of this Section shall be in addition to, and not in lieu of, any approval or authorization otherwise required for this Agreement to be effective and for the expenditure of City funds.

Section 14.02 Merger

This written Agreement contains all the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties, and no other agreement, oral or otherwise, regarding the subject matter of this Agreement shall be deemed to exist or to bind either of the parties, or to vary any of the terms contained in this Agreement, other than a written change, amendment or modification duly executed by both parties pursuant to Article 9 of this Appendix A.

Section 14.03 Headings

Headings are inserted only as a matter of convenience and therefore are not a part of and do not affect the substance of this Agreement.

Section 14.04 Notice

A. The Contractor and the Department hereby designate the business addresses specified at the beginning of this Agreement as the places where all notices, directions, or communications from one such party to the other party shall be delivered, or to which they shall be mailed. Either party may change its notice address at any time by an instrument in writing executed and acknowledged by the party making such change and delivered to the other party in the manner as specified below.

B. Any notice, direction, or communication from either party to the other shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been given when (i) delivered personally; (ii) sent by certified mail, return receipt requested; (iii) delivered by overnight or same day courier service in a properly addressed envelope with confirmation; or (iv) sent by fax or email and, unless receipt of the fax or e-mail is acknowledged by the recipient by fax or e-mail, deposited in a post office box regularly maintained by the United States Postal Service in a properly addressed, postage pre-paid envelope.

C. Nothing in this Section shall be deemed to serve as a waiver of any requirements for the service of notice or process in the institution of an action or proceeding as provided by Law, including the New York Civil Practice Law and Rules.

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APPENDIX A

SCHEDULE OF INSURANCE AND BOND REQUIREMENTS

If checked, the following requirements must be met by the Contractor:

<u>Item</u>	<u>Minimum Coverage</u>	<u>Required</u>
Bid Deposit	2% of Contract Price	Not Required
- or -		
Bid Bond	10% of Contract Price	Not Required
Liquidated Damages	See Section II- Scope of Services	
Workers Compensation	Statutory Requirements	(X)
Employer's Liability	\$1,000,000 each accident	(X)
Comprehensive General Liability	\$1,000,000 per occurrence	(X)
Combined Single Limit	\$2,000,000 aggregate	
Bodily Injury and		
Property Damage		
Automobile Liability	\$1,000,000 per occurrence	(X)
Combined Single Limit	\$2,000,000 aggregate	
Bodily Injury and		
Property Damage		

The following coverage must be provided:

	Comprehensive Form	(X)
	Owned	(X)
	Hired	(X)
	Non-Owned	(X)
Professional Liability	\$1,000,000 per occurrence	(X)
	\$3,000,000 aggregate	
Pollution Liability	\$1,000,000 per occurrence	(X)
	\$3,000,000 aggregate	(X)

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Agency Chief Contracting Officer, on behalf of the City of New York, and the Contractor, have executed this agreement in triplicate.

**THE CITY OF NEW YORK
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND MENTAL HYGIENE**

By: _____
Agency Chief Contracting Officer

(Print full legal name of Contractor)

By: _____
(Partner, Member of Firm or Officer of Corporation)

(Place Seal Here)

Approved as to Form

Certified as to Legal Authority:

Corporation Counsel

Date: _____

APPROVAL AS TO FORM OF A CONTRACT BY STANDARD TYPE OF CLASS

AGENCY: DOHMH

EPIN: 81616B0009

CONTRACT: Regulated medical waste collection, removal and transportation services

I hereby approve as to form the annexed contract by standard type of class. This approval is valid until 06/20/2017 and for a maximum of 10 contracts. The above approval is made on the express understanding that the substantive language of the subject contracts will not be altered or changed in any way without prior submission to the Office of the Corporation Counsel for approval, provided, however, that blank spaces in the contracts requiring names, dates, dollar amounts or other similar details may be completed.

Expiration	Additional Number Allowed	Total Number Allowed	Date Added	Approved By
06/20/2017	10	10	06/20/2016	Electronically Signed By AMRITA BARTH
__/__/__	0	0	__/__/__	

APPROVED AS TO FORM
CERTIFIED AS TO LEGAL AUTHORITY

Electronically Signed By AMRITA BARTH

ACTING CORPORATION COUNSEL

DATE: 06/20/2016 19:28

ACKNOWLEDGMENT BY AGENCY CHIEF CONTRACTING OFFICER

STATE OF NEW YORK

SS:

COUNTY OF QUEENS

On this _____ day of _____, 20____ before me personally came _____, to me known and known to me to be the Agency Chief Contracting Officer of the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene of the City of New York, the person described in whom, as such Commissioner, executed the foregoing agreement, and he duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same on behalf of the City of New York and the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene for the purpose herein mentioned.

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Notary Public or Commissioner of Deeds

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ACKNOWLEDGMENT BY CORPORATION

STATE OF NEW YORK)

ss:

COUNTY OF _____)

On this ____ day of _____, 20__ before me personally came _____, who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that (s)he resides in the City of _____; that (s)he is the _____ of the corporation described in and which executed the foregoing instrument; that (s)he knows the seal of said Corporation; that the seal affixed to the said instrument is such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by order of the Board of Directors of said Corporation; and that (s)he signed his/her name thereto by like order for the purposes therein mentioned.

Notary Public or Commissioner of Deeds

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT BY PARTNERSHIP

STATE OF NEW YORK)

ss:

COUNTY OF _____)

On this ____ day of _____, 20__ before me personally came _____ to me known and known to me to be a member of _____ the firm described in and which executed the foregoing instrument and (s)he acknowledged to me that (s)he subscribed the name of said firm thereto on behalf of said firm for the purposes therein mentioned.

Notary Public or Commissioner of Deeds

ACKNOWLEDGMENT BY INDIVIDUAL

STATE OF NEW YORK)

ss:

COUNTY OF _____)

On this ____ day of _____, 20__ before me personally came _____ to me known and known to me to be the same person described and who executed the foregoing instrument and ne acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purposes therein mentioned.

Notary Public or Commissioner of Deeds



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APPENDIX B

CERTIFICATION BY BROKER

Pursuant to Article Seven of the Agreement portion of this IFB, all certificates of insurance (except certificates of insurance solely evidencing Workers' Compensation Insurance, Employer's Liability Insurance, and/or Disability Benefits Insurance) must be accompanied by one of the following:

- (1) the Certification by Insurance Broker or Agent on the following page setting forth the required information and signatures;

-- OR --

- (2) copies of all policies as certified by an authorized representative of the issuing insurance carrier that are referenced in such certificate of insurance. If any policy is not available at the time of submission, certified binders may be submitted until such time as the policy is available, at which time a certified copy of the policy shall be submitted.

CITY OF NEW YORK
CERTIFICATION BY INSURANCE BROKER OR AGENT

The undersigned insurance broker or agent represents to the City of New York that the attached Certificate of Insurance is accurate in all material respects, and that the described insurance is effective as of the date of this Certification.

[Name of broker or agent (typewritten)]

[Address of broker or agent (typewritten)]

[Email address of broker or agent (typewritten)]

[Phone number of/Fax number of broker or agent (typewritten)]

[Signature of authorized official, broker or agent]

[Name and title of authorized official, broker or agent (typewritten)]

State of)

) ss.:

County of)

Sworn to before me this ____ day of _____ 20__

NOTARY PUBLIC



APPENDIX C
TAX AFFIRMATION

The undersigned proposer or bidder Affirms and declares that said proposer or bidder is not in arrears to the City of New York upon debt, contract or taxes and is not a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon obligation to the City of New York, and has not been declared not responsible, or disqualified, by any agency of the City of New York, nor is there any proceeding pending relating to the responsibility or qualification of the proposer or bidder to receive public contracts except:

Full name of proposer or bidder: _____

Address: _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

CHECK ONE AND INCLUDE APPROPRIATE NUMBER:

() A Individual or Sole Proprietorship SS# _____

() B Partnership, Joint Venture or
other unincorporated organization EIN# _____

() C Corporation EIN# _____

By: _____
Signature

Title

If a corporation, place seal here:

Date _____

Must be signed by an officer or duly authorized representative.

Under the Federal Privacy Act the furnishing of Social Security Number by bidders on City contracts is voluntary. Failure to provide a Social Security Number will not result in a bidder's disqualification. Social Security Numbers will be used to identify bidders, proposers or vendors to ensure their compliance with laws, to assist the City in enforcement of laws as well as to provide the City a means of identifying businesses which seek City contracts.

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APPENDIX D

CHARTER SECTION 312(a) CERTIFICATION

The Agency has determined that the contract(s) to be awarded through this procurement action will not result in the displacement of any New York City employee within this Agency. See attached Displacement Determination Form.

The Agency has determined that the contract(s) to be awarded through this procurement action will result in the displacement of New York City employee(s) within this Agency. See attached Displacement Determination Form.

The contract to be awarded through this procurement action is a task order contract that does not simultaneously result in the award of a first task order; a displacement determination will be made in conjunction with the issuance of each task order pursuant to such task order contract. Determinations for any subsequent task orders will be made in conjunction with such subsequent task orders.



Agency Chief Contracting Officer or designee



Date

Displacement Determination Form – Pursuant to City Charter § 312(a)
(for PSRs or equivalent pre-procurement documents)

This form must be used to certify whether or not there is displacement in the instant contracting action, as defined in City Charter § 312(a) (as amended by Local Law 63 of 2011). You can either certify that there is no displacement by completing Part 1 of this form, or you can certify that there is displacement by completing Part 2 of this form.

If the contract that you are awarding is a task order contract that does not simultaneously result in the award of a first task order, then you must check the box on the bottom of this page; displacement determinations will be made in conjunction with the issuance of task orders pursuant to the subject contract. If the contract that you are awarding does simultaneously result in the award of a first task order, then the displacement determination for that first task order must be done prior to issuance of the solicitation and you must complete either Part 1 or Part 2 of this form.

If you have any questions about Local Law 63 or about completing this form, please contact the Mayor’s Office of Contract Services at APTLL63@cityhall.nyc.gov or (212) 788-0010.

Procurement Description:

APT EPIN: 81616B0009

Your Name: Janell Cleary

Phone: 347-396-6510

Email: jcleary1@health.nyc.gov

Please specifically identify the service(s) being procured.

To provide the collection and removal of medical waste for DOHMH owned/leased buildings throughout the five boroughs.

If the contract to be awarded as a result of this procurement action is a task order contract (multiple or single award and multiple or single agency) that does not simultaneously result in the award of a first task order, then displacement determinations will be made in conjunction with the issuance of task orders pursuant to the subject contract. (Check this box *only* if you are completing this form for a task order contract that will *not* simultaneously result in the award of the first task order. If you check this box, do not fill out the remainder of this form.)

If the contract to be awarded as a result of this procurement action *does* simultaneously result in the award of a first task order, then the displacement determination for that first task order must be done prior to issuance of the solicitation and you must complete either Part 1 or Part 2 of this form.

Part 1: Certification of No Displacement

The Agency has determined that the contract resulting from this procurement action *will not* result in the displacement of any City employee within this Agency, as defined by Charter § 312(a).

The basis upon which the Agency has made this determination (Please answer *all* questions under Part 1):

Do any civil service and/or job titles within this Agency currently perform the services sought by the proposed contract and/or services of a substantially similar nature or purpose?

Yes No

If so, list the names of such titles and the extent to which Agency employees within such titles currently perform such services.

N/A

Do the services sought by the proposed contract expand, supplement, or replace existing services?

Yes No

In either event, include a detailed description comparing the services sought by the proposed contract with such existing services.

Historically, the Agency has never performed this type of service.

Is there capacity within the Agency to perform the services sought by the proposed contract?

Yes No

If not, provide a detailed description specifying the ways in which the Agency lacks such capacity.

DOHMH does not have staff that has the license, knowledge, expertise and experience that specilaizes in the removal of regulated medical waste.

For the term of the proposed contract, list the projected headcount of employees within such titles or employees who perform such services and/or services of a substantially similar nature or purpose.

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Check this box to confirm that none of the below events have occurred within the Agency in the past three years.

- The displacement of a City employee within the agency who performs or has performed the services sought by the proposed contract and/or services of a substantially similar nature or purpose; or
- The announcement of spending reductions in connection with a budgetary program, including but not limited to a Program to Eliminate the Gap, that could result or has resulted in the displacement of a City employee within the Agency who performs or has performed the services sought by the proposed contract and/or services of a substantially similar nature or purpose; or
- Any other statement by an Agency or by the Mayor of a specific anticipated employment action that could result or has resulted in the displacement of a City employee within the Agency who performs or has performed the services sought by the proposed contract and/or services of a substantially similar nature or purpose.

List any other bases for the Agency's determination that the contract resulting from this procurement action will not result in the displacement of any City employee within this Agency.

DOHMH does not have staff that has the license, knowledge, expertise and experience that specilaizes in the removal of regulated medical waste.

Part 2: Certification of Displacement

- The agency has determined that displacement, as defined by Charter § 312(a), has or will occur as a result of this contracting action. The agency has performed the required cost-benefit analysis, as described in Charter § 312(a).

Message from the New York City Vendor Enrollment Center

Get on mailing lists for New York City contract opportunities!

Submit a NYC-FMS Vendor Application - Call 212/857-1680

Message from New York City's Department of Small Business Services

The Department of Small Business Services (SBS) offers One-on-One Technical Assistance to businesses that are interested in bidding on City contracts for the following goods and services: construction, construction related, standardized and architectural and engineering. If you plan on bidding on this or any other City contract, contact SBS to schedule an appointment. The Department of Small Business Services will meet with you to review your particular proposal or submission, and provide feedback and guidance to help you submit the best proposal possible.

To schedule One-on-One Technical Assistance, email techassist@sbs.nyc.gov and an SBS representative will contact you.

APPENDIX E

**CITY OF NEW YORK
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND MENTAL HYGIENE (DOHMH)
OFFICE OF THE AGENCY CHIEF CONTRACTING OFFICER
“NO BID RESPONSE”**

PIN: 17AX001900R0X00

_____ HAS OPTED NOT TO BID ON
(Contractor name)

REGULATED MEDICAL WASTE COLLECTION, REMOVAL, AND TRANSPORTATION SERVICES for the following reason(s):

Contact Name _____ Phone _____
(Signature)

Date ____/____/____

Please return this form to the DOHMH no later than the bid opening date, at the address in the cover letter (Attention: Michael Santangelo, Esq., Contract Manager); or e-mail to Bids@health.nyc.gov. Indicate “Regulated Medical Waste Collection, Removal and Transportation Services” in subject line.

APPENDIX F

Whistleblowers Protection Expansion Act

NOTICE TO BIDDERS, PROPOSERS, CONTRACTORS, AND RENEWAL CONTRACTORS

This contract includes a provision concerning the protection of employees for whistleblowing activity, pursuant to New York City Local Law Nos. 30-2012 and 33-2012, effective October 18, 2012 and September 18, 2012, respectively. The provisions apply to contracts with a value in excess of \$100,000.

Local Law No. 33-2012, the Whistleblower Protection Expansion Act (“WPEA”), prohibits a contractor or its subcontractor from taking an adverse personnel action against an employee or officer for whistleblower activity in connection with a City contract; requires that certain City contracts include a provision to that effect; and provides that a contractor or subcontractor may be subject to penalties and injunctive relief if a court finds that it retaliated in violation of the WPEA. The WPEA is codified at Section 12-113 of the New York City Administrative Code.

Local Law No. 30-2012 requires a contractor to prominently post information explaining how its employees can report allegations of fraud, false claims, criminality, or corruption in connection with a City contract to City officials and the rights and remedies afforded to employees for whistleblowing activity. Local Law No. 30-2012 is codified at Section 6-132 of the New York City Administrative Code.

1. In accordance with Local Law Nos. 30-2012 and 33-2012, codified at sections 6-132 and 12-113 of the New York City Administrative Code, respectively,
 - (a) Contractor shall not take an adverse personnel action with respect to an officer or employee in retaliation for such officer or employee making a report of information concerning conduct which such officer or employee knows or reasonably believes to involve corruption, criminal activity, conflict of interest, gross mismanagement or abuse of authority by any officer or employee relating to this Contract to (i) the Commissioner of the Department of Investigation, (ii) a member of the New York City Council, the Public Advocate, or the Comptroller, or (iii) the City Chief Procurement Officer, ACCO, Agency head, or Commissioner.
 - (b) If any of Contractor’s officers or employees believes that he or she has been the subject of an adverse personnel action in violation of subparagraph (a) of paragraph 1 of this rider, he or she shall be entitled to bring a cause of action against Contractor to recover all relief necessary to make him or her whole. Such relief may include but is not limited to: (i) an injunction to restrain continued retaliation, (ii) reinstatement to the position such employee would have had but for the retaliation or to an equivalent position, (iii) reinstatement of full fringe benefits and seniority rights, (iv) payment of two times back pay, plus interest, and (v) compensation for any special damages sustained as a result of the retaliation, including litigation costs and reasonable attorney’s fees.

- (c) Contractor shall post a notice provided by the City in a prominent and accessible place on any site where work pursuant to the Contract is performed that contains information about:
 - (i) how its employees can report to the New York City Department of Investigation allegations of fraud, false claims, criminality or corruption arising out of or in connection with the Contract; and
 - (ii) the rights and remedies afforded to its employees under New York City Administrative Code sections 7-805 (the New York City False Claims Act) and 12-113 (the Whistleblower Protection Expansion Act) for lawful acts taken in connection with the reporting of allegations of fraud, false claims, criminality or corruption in connection with the Contract.
- (d) For the purposes of this rider, “adverse personnel action” includes dismissal, demotion, suspension, disciplinary action, negative performance evaluation, any action resulting in loss of staff, office space, equipment or other benefit, failure to appoint, failure to promote, or any transfer or assignment or failure to transfer or assign against the wishes of the affected officer or employee.
- (e) This rider is applicable to all of Contractor’s subcontractors having subcontracts with a value in excess of \$100,000; accordingly, Contractor shall include this rider in all subcontracts with a value a value in excess of \$100,000.

2. Paragraph 1 is not applicable to this Contract if it is valued at \$100,000 or less. Subparagraphs (a), (b), (d), and (e) of paragraph 1 are not applicable to this Contract if it was solicited pursuant to a finding of an emergency. Subparagraph (c) of paragraph 1 is neither applicable to this Contract if it was solicited prior to October 18, 2012 nor if it is a renewal of a contract executed prior to October 18, 2012.



**REPORTING INFORMATION TO THE
NEW YORK CITY DEPARTMENT OF
INVESTIGATION**

If you have information of any corrupt or fraudulent activities or unethical conduct relating to a New York City funded project or contract, contact:

**Department of Investigation (DOI) Complaint Bureau
212-825-5959**

or by mail or in person at:

**DEPARTMENT OF INVESTIGATION
80 MAIDEN LANE, 17th FLOOR
NEW YORK, NEW YORK 10038
Attention: COMPLAINT BUREAU**

or file a complaint on-line at:

www.nyc.gov/doi

All communications are confidential.

THE LAW PROTECTS EMPLOYEES OF CITY CONTRACTORS WHO REPORT CORRUPTION

- Any employee of a contractor or subcontractor that has a contract with the City or a City contractor of more than \$100,000 is protected under the law from retaliation by his or her employer if the employee reports wrongdoing related to the contract to the DOI.
- To be protected by this law, an employee must report information about fraud, false claims, corruption, criminality, conflict of interest, gross mismanagement, or abuse of authority relating to a City contract over \$100,000 to DOI or to certain other government officials all of whom must forward the report to DOI.
- Any employee who has made such a report and who believes he or she has been dismissed, demoted, suspended, or otherwise subject to an adverse personnel action because of that report is entitled to bring a lawsuit against the contractor and recover damages.

APPENDIX G

IRAN DIVESTMENT ACT COMPLIANCE RIDER FOR NEW YORK CITY CONTRACTORS

The Iran Divestment Act of 2012, effective as of April 12, 2012, is codified at State Finance Law (“SFL”) §165-a and General Municipal Law (“GML”) §103-g. The Iran Divestment Act, with certain exceptions, prohibits municipalities, including the City, from entering into contracts with persons engaged in investment activities in the energy sector of Iran. Pursuant to the terms set forth in SFL §165-a and GML §103-g, a person engages in investment activities in the energy sector of Iran if:

- a) The person provides goods or services of twenty million dollars or more in the energy sector of Iran, including a person that provides oil or liquefied natural gas tankers, or products used to construct or maintain pipelines used to transport oil or liquefied natural gas, for the energy sector of Iran; or
- b) The person is a financial institution that extends twenty million dollars or more in credit to another person, for forty-five days or more, if that person will use the credit to provide goods or services in the energy sector in Iran and is identified on a list created pursuant to paragraph (b) of subdivision three of Section 165-a of the State Finance Law and maintained by the Commissioner of the Office of General Services.

A bid or proposal shall not be considered for award nor shall any award be made where the bidder or proposer fails to submit a signed and verified bidder’s certification.

Each bidder or proposer must certify that it is not on the list of entities engaged in investment activities in Iran created pursuant to paragraph (b) of subdivision 3 of Section 165-a of the State Finance Law. In any case where the bidder or proposer cannot certify that they are not on such list, the bidder or proposer shall so state and shall furnish with the bid or proposal a signed statement which sets forth in detail the reasons why such statement cannot be made. The City of New York may award a bid to a bidder who cannot make the certification on a case by case basis if:

1. The investment activities in Iran were made before the effective date of this section (i.e., April 12, 2012), the investment activities in Iran have not been expanded or renewed after the effective date of this section and the person has adopted, publicized and is implementing a formal plan to cease the investment activities in Iran and to refrain from engaging in any new investments in Iran: or
2. The City makes a determination that the goods or services are necessary for the City to perform its functions and that, absent such an exemption, the City would be unable to obtain the goods or services for which the contract is offered. Such determination shall be made in writing and shall be a public document.

**BIDDER'S CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH
IRAN DIVESTMENT ACT**

Pursuant to General Municipal Law §103-g, which generally prohibits the City from entering into contracts with persons engaged in investment activities in the energy sector of Iran, the bidder/proposer submits the following certification:

[Please Check One]

BIDDER'S CERTIFICATION

- By submission of this bid or proposal, each bidder/proposer and each person signing on behalf of any bidder/proposer certifies, and in the case of a joint bid each party thereto certifies as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, that each bidder/proposer is not on the list created pursuant to paragraph (b) of subdivision 3 of Section 165-a of the State Finance Law.

- I am unable to certify that my name and the name of the bidder/proposer does not appear on the list created pursuant to paragraph (b) of subdivision 3 of Section 165-a of the State Finance Law. I have attached a signed statement setting forth in detail why I cannot so certify.

Dated: _____, New York
_____, 20__

SIGNATURE

PRINTED NAME

TITLE

Sworn to before me this
_____ day of _____, 20__

Notary Public

Dated:

APPENDIX H

SUBCONTRACTOR TRACKING NOTICE

NOTICE TO BIDDERS:

As of March 2013 the City has implemented a new web based subcontractor reporting system through the City's Payee Information Portal (PIP), available at www.nyc.gov/pip. In order to use the new system, a PIP account will be required. Detailed instructions on creating a PIP account and using the new system are also available at that site. Additional assistance with PIP may be received by emailing the Financial Information Services Agency Help Desk at pip@fisa.nyc.gov.

In order to obtain subcontractor approval under section 3.02 of Appendix A or Article 17 of the Standard Construction Contract and PPB Rule § 4-13 Contractor is required to list the subcontractor in the system. For each subcontractor listed, Contractor is required to provide the following information: maximum contract value, description of subcontractor work, start and end date of the subcontract and identification of the subcontractor's industry. Thereafter, Contractor will be required to report in the system the payments made to each subcontractor within 30 days of making the payment. If any of the required information changes throughout the term of the contract, Contractor will be required to revise the information in the system.

Failure of the Contractor to list a subcontractor and/or to report subcontractor payments in a timely fashion may result in the Agency declaring the Contractor in default of the Contract and will subject Contractor to liquidated damages in the amount of \$100 per day for each day that the Contractor fails to identify a subcontractor along with the required information about the subcontractor and/or fails to report payments to a subcontractor, beyond the time frames set forth herein or in the notice from the City. For construction contracts, the provisions of Article 15 of the Standard Construction Contract shall govern the issue of liquidated damages.

Contractor hereby agrees to these provisions.

APPENDIX I

**DIRECT DEPOSIT / ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFER (EFT) VENDOR PAYMENT
ENROLLMENT FORM**

(Attached separately)

APPENDIX J

NOTICE TO ALL PROSPECTIVE CONTRACTORS

(Attached separately)

NOTICE TO ALL PROSPECTIVE CONTRACTORS

PARTICIPATION BY MINORITY-OWNED AND WOMEN-OWNED BUSINESS ENTERPRISES IN CITY PROCUREMENT

NOTE WELL: A DETERMINATION HAS BEEN MADE THAT NO M/WBE PARTICIPATION GOALS ARE REQUIRED TO BE SET FOR THIS AGREEMENT, AND ACCORDINGLY, NO SPECIFIC PARTICIPATION GOALS HAVE BEEN SET.

However, to the extent that subcontracting is permitted hereunder, the Contractor is encouraged to utilize Minority and Women Owned Business Enterprises (W/MBE).

Note Well: A list of M/WBE firms may be obtained from the DSBS website at www.nyc.gov/buycertified, by emailing DSBS at buyer@sbs.nyc.gov, by calling (212) 513-6356, or by visiting or writing DSBS at 110 William St., New York, New York, 10038, 7th floor. Eligible firms that have not yet been certified may contact DSBS in order to seek certification by visiting www.nyc.gov/getcertified, emailing MWBE@sbs.nyc.gov, or calling the DSBS certification helpline at (212) 513-6311.

APPENDIX K

PAID SICK LEAVE LAW CONTRACT RIDER

Introduction and General Provisions

The Earned Sick Time Act, also known as the Paid Sick Leave Law (“PSLL”), requires covered employees who annually perform more than 80 hours of work in New York City to be provided with paid sick time.¹ Contractors of the City of New York or of other governmental entities may be required to provide sick time pursuant to the PSLL.

The PSLL became effective on April 1, 2014, and is codified at Title 20, Chapter 8, of the New York City Administrative Code. It is administered by the City’s Department of Consumer Affairs (“DCA”); DCA’s rules promulgated under the PSLL are codified at Chapter 7 of Title 6 of the Rules of the City of New York (“Rules”).

Contractor agrees to comply in all respects with the PSLL and the Rules, and as amended, if applicable, in the performance of this agreement. Contractor further acknowledges that such compliance is a material term of this agreement and that failure to comply with the PSLL in performance of this agreement may result in its termination.

Contractor must notify the Agency Chief Contracting Officer of the City agency or other entity with whom it is contracting in writing within ten (10) days of receipt of a complaint (whether oral or written) regarding the PSLL involving the performance of this agreement. Additionally, Contractor must cooperate with DCA’s education efforts and must comply with DCA’s subpoenas and other document demands as set forth in the PSLL and Rules.

The PSLL is summarized below for the convenience of Contractor. Contractor is advised to review the PSLL and Rules in their entirety. On the website www.nyc.gov/PaidSickLeave there are links to the PSLL and the associated Rules as well as additional resources for employers, such as Frequently Asked Questions, timekeeping tools and model forms, and an event calendar of upcoming presentations and webinars at which Contractor can get more information about how to comply with the PSLL. Contractor acknowledges that it is responsible for compliance with the PSLL notwithstanding any inconsistent language contained herein.

Pursuant to the PSLL and the Rules:

Applicability, Accrual, and Use

An employee who works within the City of New York for more than eighty hours in any consecutive 12-month period designated by the employer as its “calendar year” pursuant to the PSLL (“Year”) must be provided sick time. Employers must provide a minimum of one hour of sick time for every 30 hours worked by an employee and compensation for such sick time must be provided at the greater of the employee’s regular hourly rate or the minimum wage. Employers are not required to provide more than forty hours of sick time to an employee in any Year.

¹ Pursuant to the PSLL, if fewer than five employees work for the same employer, as determined pursuant to New York City Administrative Code §20-912(g), such employer has the option of providing such employees uncompensated sick time.;

An employee has the right to determine how much sick time he or she will use, provided that employers may set a reasonable minimum increment for the use of sick time not to exceed four hours per day. In addition, an employee may carry over up to forty hours of unused sick time to the following Year, provided that no employer is required to allow the use of more than forty hours of sick time in a Year or carry over unused paid sick time if the employee is paid for such unused sick time and the employer provides the employee with at least the legally required amount of paid sick time for such employee for the immediately subsequent Year on the first day of such Year.

An employee entitled to sick time pursuant to the PSSL may use sick time for any of the following:

- such employee's mental illness, physical illness, injury, or health condition or the care of such illness, injury, or condition or such employee's need for medical diagnosis or preventative medical care;
- such employee's care of a family member (an employee's child, spouse, domestic partner, parent, sibling, grandchild or grandparent, or the child or parent of an employee's spouse or domestic partner) who has a mental illness, physical illness, injury or health condition or who has a need for medical diagnosis or preventative medical care;
- closure of such employee's place of business by order of a public official due to a public health emergency; or
- such employee's need to care for a child whose school or childcare provider has been closed due to a public health emergency.

An employer must not require an employee, as a condition of taking sick time, to search for a replacement. However, an employer may require an employee to provide: reasonable notice of the need to use sick time; reasonable documentation that the use of sick time was needed for a reason above if for an absence of more than three consecutive work days; and/or written confirmation that an employee used sick time pursuant to the PSSL. However, an employer may not require documentation specifying the nature of a medical condition or otherwise require disclosure of the details of a medical condition as a condition of providing sick time and health information obtained solely due to an employee's use of sick time pursuant to the PSSL must be treated by the employer as confidential.

If an employer chooses to impose any permissible discretionary requirement as a condition of using sick time, it must provide to all employees a written policy containing those requirements, using a delivery method that reasonably ensures that employees receive the policy. If such employer has not provided its written policy, it may not deny sick time to an employee because of non-compliance with such a policy.

Sick time to which an employee is entitled must be paid no later than the payday for the next regular payroll period beginning after the sick time was used.

Exemptions and Exceptions

Notwithstanding the above, the PSSL does not apply to any of the following:

- an independent contractor who does not meet the definition of employee under section 190(2) of the New York State Labor Law;
- an employee covered by a valid collective bargaining agreement in effect on April 1, 2014 until the termination of such agreement;
- an employee in the construction or grocery industry covered by a valid collective bargaining agreement if the provisions of the PSLL are expressly waived in such collective bargaining agreement;
- an employee covered by another valid collective bargaining agreement if such provisions are expressly waived in such agreement and such agreement provides a benefit comparable to that provided by the PSLL for such employee;
- an audiologist, occupational therapist, physical therapist, or speech language pathologist who is licensed by the New York State Department of Education and who calls in for work assignments at will, determines his or her own schedule, has the ability to reject or accept any assignment referred to him or her, and is paid an average hourly wage that is at least four times the federal minimum wage;
- an employee in a work study program under Section 2753 of Chapter 42 of the United States Code;
- an employee whose work is compensated by a qualified scholarship program as that term is defined in the Internal Revenue Code, Section 117 of Chapter 20 of the United States Code; or
- a participant in a Work Experience Program (WEP) under section 336-c of the New York State Social Services Law.

Retaliation Prohibited

An employer may not threaten or engage in retaliation against an employee for exercising or attempting in good faith to exercise any right provided by the PSLL. In addition, an employer may not interfere with any investigation, proceeding, or hearing pursuant to the PSLL.

Notice of Rights

An employer must provide its employees with written notice of their rights pursuant to the PSLL. Such notice must be in English and the primary language spoken by an employee, provided that DCA has made available a translation into such language. Downloadable notices are available on DCA's website at <http://www.nyc.gov/html/dca/html/law/PaidSickLeave.shtml>.

Any person or entity that willfully violates these notice requirements is subject to a civil penalty in an amount not to exceed fifty dollars for each employee who was not given appropriate notice.

Records

An employer must retain records documenting its compliance with the PSLL for a period of at least three years, and must allow DCA to access such records in furtherance of an investigation related to an alleged violation of the PSLL.

Enforcement and Penalties

Upon receiving a complaint alleging a violation of the PSLL, DCA has the right to investigate such complaint and attempt to resolve it through mediation. Within 30 days of written notification of a complaint by DCA, or sooner in certain circumstances, the employer must provide DCA with a written response and such other information as DCA may request. If DCA believes that a violation of the PSLL has occurred, it has the right to issue a notice of violation to the employer.

DCA has the power to grant an employee or former employee all appropriate relief as set forth in New York City Administrative Code 20-924(d). Such relief may include, among other remedies, treble damages for the wages that should have been paid, damages for unlawful retaliation, and damages and reinstatement for unlawful discharge. In addition, DCA may impose on an employer found to have violated the PSLL civil penalties not to exceed \$500 for a first violation, \$750 for a second violation within two years of the first violation, and \$1,000 for each succeeding violation within two years of the previous violation.

More Generous Policies and Other Legal Requirements

Nothing in the PSLL is intended to discourage, prohibit, diminish, or impair the adoption or retention of a more generous sick time policy, or the obligation of an employer to comply with any contract, collective bargaining agreement, employment benefit plan or other agreement providing more generous sick time. The PSLL provides minimum requirements pertaining to sick time and does not preempt, limit or otherwise affect the applicability of any other law, regulation, rule, requirement, policy or standard that provides for greater accrual or use by employees of sick leave or time, whether paid or unpaid, or that extends other protections to employees. The PSLL may not be construed as creating or imposing any requirement in conflict with any federal or state law, rule or regulation.

APPENDIX L

CERTIFIED PAYROLL REPORT

APPENDIX M

PREVAILING WAGE RATES

(Excerpt on pages that follow)

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**LABOR LAW §230 AND NYC ADMINISTRATIVE CODE §6-130
BUILDING SERVICE EMPLOYEES**

**PREVAILING WAGE FOR BUILDING SERVICE EMPLOYEES ON NYC CONTRACTS PURSUANT
TO LABOR LAW §230 ET SEQ.**

Building service employees on public contracts must receive not less than the prevailing rate of wage and supplements for the classification of work performed. In accordance with Labor Law §230 et seq. the Comptroller of the City of New York has promulgated this schedule of prevailing wages and supplemental benefits for building service employees engaged on New York City public building service contracts in excess of \$1,500.00. Prevailing rates are required to be annexed to and form part of the contract pursuant to §231 (4).

This schedule is a compilation of separate determinations of the prevailing rate of wage and supplements made by the Comptroller for each trade classification listed herein pursuant to New York State Labor Law section 234 (1). The source of the wage and supplement rates, whether a collective bargaining agreement, survey data or other, is listed at the end of each classification.

Agency Chief Contracting Officers should contact the Bureau of Labor Law's Classification Unit with any questions concerning trade classifications, prevailing rates or prevailing practices with respect to procurement on New York City building services contracts. Contractors are advised to review the Comptroller's Prevailing Wage Schedule before bidding on building services contracts. Contractors with questions concerning trade classifications, prevailing rates or prevailing practices with respect to building services contracts in the procurement stage must contact the contracting agency responsible for the procurement.

Any error as to compensation under the prevailing wage law or other information as to trade classification, made by the contracting agency in the contract documents or in any other communication, will not preclude a finding against the contractor of prevailing wage violation.

Any questions concerning trade classifications, prevailing rates or prevailing practices on New York City building services contracts that have already been awarded may be directed to the Bureau of Labor Law's Classification Unit by calling (212) 669-7974. All callers must have the agency name and contract registration number available when calling with questions on building services contracts. Please direct all other compliance issues to: Bureau of Labor Law, Attn: Wasyl Kinach, P.E., Office of the Comptroller, 1 Centre Street, Room 1122, New York, N.Y. 10007; Fax (212) 669-4002.

**PREVAILING WAGE FOR BUILDING SERVICE EMPLOYEES IN BUILDINGS WITH TAX
ABATEMENTS PURSUANT TO REAL PROPERTY TAX LAW §421-A**

Covered Landlords shall ensure that all building service employees performing work in buildings with 50 or more dwelling units for which construction was commenced after December 27, 2007 but no later than December 31, 2015, that receive a tax abatement pursuant to Real Property Tax Law §421-a, are paid no less than the prevailing wage listed in the Labor Law §230 Prevailing Wage Schedule, unless the New York City Department of Housing Preservation and Development certifies that, at initial occupancy, at least 50 percent of the dwelling units are affordable to individuals or families with a gross household income at or below 125 percent of the area median income and that any such units which are

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located in rental buildings will be subject to restrictions to insure that they will remain affordable for the entire period during which they receive benefits under Real Property Tax Law §421-a.

PREVAILING WAGE FOR BUILDING SERVICE EMPLOYEES IN NEW YORK CITY LEASED OR FINANCIALLY ASSISTED FACILITIES PURSUANT TO NYC ADMINISTRATIVE CODE § 6-130

Covered landlords & covered financial assistance recipients shall ensure that all building service employees performing building service work at the premises to which a lease or financial assistance pertains are paid no less than the prevailing wage listed in the Labor Law §230 Prevailing Wage Schedule.

Covered Landlords include:

Businesses (other than not-for-profit organizations) leasing to New York City agencies commercial office space or commercial office facilities of 10,000 square feet or more where the City leases or rents no less than 51% of the total square footage of the building to which the lease applies (no less than 80% in Staten Island or in an area not defined as an exclusion area pursuant to section 421-a of the real property tax law on the date of enactment of the local law).

Covered Financial Assistance Recipients include:

Businesses (other than not-for-profit organizations) with annual gross revenues of five million dollars or more who have received financial assistance from the City of New York (as defined in New York City Administrative Code §6-130) with a total value of one million dollars or more.

Exemptions: Business Improvement Districts and employers with manufacturing operations at the premises to which the financial assistance pertains.

The information is intended to assist you in meeting your prevailing wage obligation. You should consult New York City Administrative Code §6-130 to determine whether you are covered by this prevailing wage law. New York City Administrative Code § 6-130 requires the City to maintain an updated list of covered landlords and financial assistance recipients who are subject to the prevailing wage requirement.

Labor Law § 231 (6) and NYC Administrative Law §6-130 requires contractors to post on the site of the work a current copy of this schedule of wages and supplements.

This schedule is applicable to work performed during the effective period, unless otherwise noted. Changes to this schedule are published on our web site www.comptroller.nyc.gov. Contractors must pay the wages and supplements in effect when the building service employee performs the work. Preliminary schedules for future one-year periods appear in the City Record on or about June 1 each succeeding year. Final schedules appear on or about July 1 in the City Record and on our web site www.comptroller.nyc.gov.

Contractors are solely responsible for maintaining original payroll records delineating, among other things, the hours worked by each employee within a given classification.

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Some of the rates in this schedule are based on collective bargaining agreements. The Comptroller's Office has attempted to include all overtime, shift and night differential, Holiday, Saturday, Sunday or other premium time work. However, this schedule does not set forth every prevailing practice with respect to such rates with which employers must comply. All such practices are nevertheless part of the employer's prevailing wage obligation and contained in the collective bargaining agreements of the prevailing wage unions. These collective bargaining agreements are available for inspection by appointment. Requests for appointments may be made by calling (212) 669-4443, Monday through Friday between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m.

In order to meet their obligation to provide prevailing supplemental benefits to each covered employee, employers must either:

- 1) Provide bona-fide benefits which cost the employer no less than the prevailing supplemental benefits rate; or
- 2) Supplement the employee's hourly wage by an amount no less than the prevailing supplemental benefits rate; or
- 3) Provide a combination of bona-fide benefits and wage supplements which cost the employer no less than the prevailing supplemental benefits rate in total.

Particular attention should be given to the supplemental benefits requirement. Although in most instances the payment or provision for supplemental benefits is for each hour worked, some classifications require the payment or provision of supplemental benefits for each hour paid. Consequently, some prevailing practices require benefits to be purchased at the overtime, shift differential, Holiday, Saturday, Sunday or other premium time rate.

Benefits are paid for **EACH HOUR WORKED** unless otherwise noted.

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The City of New York
Office of the Comptroller
Bureau Of Labor Law
1 Centre Street
New York, NY 10007

Scott M. Stringer
Comptroller

If you are a Covered Building Service Employee and you have been paid less than the Prevailing Wage and Benefits, please contact us at 212-669-4443 or download our complaint form from our website at WWW.COMPTROLLER.NYC.GOV (click on the Bureau of Labor Law).

Si es un empleado de servicios a edificios elegible y recibió menos del sueldo prevalente y beneficios, por favor contáctenos en 212-669-4443 o descarga un formulario de reclamo del sitio del Internet WWW.COMPTROLLER.NYC.GOV (opreme "Oficina de Derecho Laboral").

Wasył Kinach, P.E.
Director of Classifications
Bureau of Labor Law

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Time and one half the regular hourly rate after 40 hours in any work week.

(Based on data from NYS Department of Labor Occupational Employment Statistics and US Department of Labor Bureau of Labor Statistics)

MEDICAL WASTE REMOVAL

Driver

Effective Period: 7/1/2016 - 6/30/2017

Wage Rate per Hour: **\$20.47**

Supplemental Benefit Rate per Hour: **\$11.32**

Helper

Effective Period: 7/1/2016 - 6/30/2017

Wage Rate per Hour: **\$16.72**

Supplemental Benefit Rate per Hour: **\$11.32**

Tractor Trailer Driver

Effective Period: 7/1/2016 - 6/30/2017

Wage Rate per Hour: **\$22.97**

Supplemental Benefit Rate per Hour: **\$11.32**

Overtime Description

Time and one half the regular hourly rate after an 8 hour day or after 40 hours in any work week. The seventh day of work in a workweek is paid at double time the regular hourly rate. Time and one half the regular hourly rate for work on a holiday plus days pay for below paid holidays.

Paid Holidays

President's Day
Memorial Day
Independence Day
Labor Day
Thanksgiving Day
Christmas Day

Vacation

1 year of service but less than five years.....ten (10) days
5 years of service but less than ten years.....fifteen (15) days
10 years of service.....sixteen (16) days
11 years.....seventeen (17) days
12 years.....eighteen (18) days
13 years.....nineteen (19) days
14 years.....twenty (20) days

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20 years.....twenty-one (21) days
21 years.....twenty-two (22) days
22 years.....twenty-three (23) days
23 years.....twenty-four (24) days
24 years.....twenty-five (25) days
Plus 5 Personal Days

(Local #813)

MOVER - OFFICE FURNITURE AND EQUIPMENT

Heavy and Tractor Trailer Truck Driver

Tractor-trailer combination or a truck with a capacity of at least 26,000 pounds Gross Vehicle Weight (GVW)

Effective Period: 7/1/2016 - 6/30/2017

Wage Rate per Hour: **\$23.52**

Supplemental Benefit Rate per Hour: **\$5.37**

Light Truck Driver

Effective Period: 7/1/2016 - 6/30/2017

Wage Rate per Hour: **\$18.17**

Supplemental Benefit Rate per Hour: **\$5.37**

Laborer and Freight, Stock, and Material Mover, Hand

Effective Period: 7/1/2016 - 6/30/2017

Wage Rate per Hour: **\$15.52**

Supplemental Benefit Rate per Hour: **\$5.37**

Packer and Packager, Hand

Packs, wraps and labels office furniture and equipment and loads it onto dollies and into elevators.

Effective Period: 7/1/2016 - 6/30/2017

Wage Rate per Hour: **\$11.87**

Supplemental Benefit Rate per Hour: **\$5.37**

Overtime

Time and one half the regular rate after an 8 hour day.

Time and one half the regular hourly rate after 40 hours in any work week.

(Based on data from NYS Department of Labor Occupational Employment Statistics and US Department of Labor Bureau of Labor Statistics)