A RESOLUTION OF THE NEW YORK CITY WORKFORCE INVESTMENT BOARD EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE AUTHORIZING A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN THE WORKFORCE INVESTMENT BOARD AND THE NEW YORK SOFTWARE EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION

WHEREAS, the United States Department of Labor's Employment and Training Administration ("ETA") has established the H-1B Technical Skills Training Grant Program to support training initiatives that help American workers acquire technical capabilities in high skill occupations in which there are shortages of American workers; and

WHEREAS, the New York City Workforce Investment Board ("NYCWIB"), in partnership with the New York Software Industry Association ("NYSIA"), applied for and received an H1-B Technical Skills Training Grant (the "Grant") in the amount of \$2,974,175 for a project (the "Project") to provide computer education and training to approximately 579 New York City residents; and

WHEREAS, the NYCWIB has overall responsibility for administration of the Grant and implementation of the Project;

WHEREAS, it is desirable and appropriate for NYSIA, through its affiliate, the New York Software Educational Foundation ("NYSEF"), to administer the Grant and manage the Project, subject to the oversight of the NYCWIB;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Executive Committee as follows:

1. The Chairperson of the NYCWIB is hereby authorized to execute a Memorandum of Understanding between the NYCWIB and NYSEF containing the material terms substantially as described in Exhibit 1 attached hereto.

Exhibit 1 Material Terms of WIB-NYSEF MOU

1. Parties

- a. The New York City Workforce Investment Board ("WIB")
- b. New York Software Educational Foundation ("NYSEF")
- 2. <u>Term.</u> Duration of the Project and Grant administration responsibilities.
- 3. <u>NYSEF Responsibilities</u>. NYSEF shall fulfill the following responsibilities, subject to NYCWIB's oversight as described in paragraph 4 below.
- a. Serve as fiscal agent for the administration of the Grant, and fulfill all responsibilities associated with that role.
- b. Manage the Project, and keep the NYCWIB informed about the progress and outcomes of the Project.
 - c. Enter into and manage subcontracts for the Project.
- d. Fulfill all fiscal and program reporting and record-keeping requirements of the Grant and the United States Department of Labor ("USDOL").

4. NYCWIB Oversight.

- a. All material modifications to the Project, as described in the Grant application, shall be subject to the approval of NYCWIB.
- b. The Project budget and each subcontract shall be subject to the approval of the NYCWIB.
- c. Each disbursement of Grant monies by NYSEF to any subcontractor shall be subject to the approval of NYCWIB, provided that NYCWIB may establish a threshold amount below which disbursements may be made without prior NYCWIB approval.
- d. All fiscal and program reporting to be made to the USDOL or any other party shall be subject to the approval of the NYCWIB.