

DORMITORY AUTHORITY STATE OF NEW YORK

**CONSTRUCTION SITE SAFETY
CONTRACT NO.:**

SAMPLE CONTRACT

A Contract is hereby made by and between the **DORMITORY AUTHORITY - State of New York**, having its principal office and place of business at 515 Broadway, Albany, New York, 12207-2964, hereinafter referred to as DASNY, and, XXXX hereinafter referred to as the CONSULTANT; and effective as of (“the effective date”);

WHEREAS, the CONSULTANT has been selected by DASNY to provide Loss Control/Risk Management Consulting and Site Safety Inspection Services for construction activities at various facilities in New York State; and.

WHEREAS, DASNY and the CONSULTANT have agreed upon a pricing schedule to be utilized in conjunction with the assignment of work to calculate compensation for services requested and authorized under this Contract;

NOW, THEREFORE, DASNY and the CONSULTANT hereby mutually covenant and agree as follows:

ARTICLE I: CONSULTANT’S SERVICES

The CONSULTANT's Services are contained in Appendix "A", entitled **SCOPE OF SERVICES**, which is attached to and made a part hereof.

For purposes of this Contract, DASNY’s “Client” shall mean any of the programs, including subsidiaries, agents, related corporations, or fiduciaries, for which DASNY performs construction-related and/or financing services on their behalf.

For purposes of this Contract, “Services” shall mean the Original Services, Additional Services and/or Extra Work performed pursuant to this Contract, as the case may be.

ARTICLE II: ADDITIONAL SERVICES

DASNY reserves the right to direct the CONSULTANT to provide Additional Services and the CONSULTANT shall provide said Additional Services when so directed. The CONSULTANT shall be compensated for such Additional Services based upon a negotiated lump sum or reimbursable basis mutually agreed upon between DASNY and the CONSULTANT as set forth in Appendix “B”, entitled **APPROVED CLASSIFICATIONS AND RATES**.

ARTICLE III: EXTRA WORK

If the CONSULTANT believes that any work it has been directed to perform is beyond the scope of this Contract and constitutes Extra Work, it shall promptly so notify DASNY in writing. DASNY shall determine whether or not the work is in fact beyond the scope of this Contract and is considered Extra Work. If DASNY determines that the work is Extra Work, this Contract shall be modified to equitably reflect the cost of said Extra Work based on reasonable estimates provided by CONSULTANT and

approved by DASNY. Payment shall be made in accordance with Article V. The CONSULTANT shall not be required to perform any Extra Work that is not mutually agreed to between the CONSULTANT and DASNY.

ARTICLE IV: CONSULTANTS

- A. DASNY may retain a CONSULTANT or CONSULTANTS to furnish services throughout the term of this Contract, and the CONSULTANT shall cooperate with said CONSULTANT or CONSULTANTS.
- B. The CONSULTANT may propose and engage SUBCONSULTANTS, to perform portions of the Services required under this Contract. DASNY retains the right to disapprove the proposed SUBCONSULTANT and, in such event, the CONSULTANT shall propose another SUBCONSULTANT for that portion of the required Services or shall perform the Services itself. The CONSULTANT shall be responsible to DASNY for the timely and efficient completion of all Services performed by said SUBCONSULTANTS.
- C. The CONSULTANT shall remove from the work any employee of the CONSULTANT, any employee of the SUBCONSULTANT or the SUBCONSULTANT when so directed by DASNY.
- D. Prior to execution of a Contract between the CONSULTANT and proposed SUBCONSULTANT, the CONSULTANT shall submit a copy of the proposed SUBCONSULTANT Contract to DASNY for approval. DASNY shall not be liable for payment to the CONSULTANT for any cost incurred under any SUBCONSULTANT contracts unless said approvals are obtained. The fees of any SUBCONSULTANTS retained by the CONSULTANT for Services required under Article I shall be deemed covered by the compensation as stipulated in Article V.A. The fees of any SUBCONSULTANTS retained by the CONSULTANT for services required under Articles II or III shall be paid as outlined in Article V.C.
- E. The CONSULTANT shall pay its SUBCONSULTANTS the full amount due them from their proportionate share of each requisition for payment submitted by the CONSULTANT and paid by DASNY. The CONSULTANT shall make said payment no later than seven (7) calendar days from receipt of payment from DASNY.
- F. All services rendered by the CONSULTANT for each Project shall be performed by or under the immediate supervision of experienced CONSULTANT(s) licensed and registered in the State of New York possessing expertise in the discipline of the service being rendered. If the CONSULTANT chooses to subcontract or affiliate with another professional entity or organization for all or any portion of the CONSULTANT's scope of services, the CONSULTANT shall subcontract with a professional firm with the requisite licensure, skill, experience and expertise to provide the required services. The CONSULTANT shall furnish professional services in accordance with sound professional standards consistent with those practiced by professional firms on projects similar in size, complexity and cost to the Project.

ARTICLE V: PROVISION FOR PAYMENT

- A. DASNY shall pay, and the CONSULTANT agrees to accept, as compensation for the Original Scope of Services pursuant to Appendix ‘B’ entitled APPROVED CLASSIFICATIONS AND RATES, attached and made a part hereof. Extra Work shall be compensated as mutually agreed upon between the parties.
- B. DASNY shall reserve the right to negotiate with the CONSULTANT the method of compensation based upon a methodology agreed upon between the CONSULTANT and DASNY.
- C. **Additional Services and Extra Work**

Payment for Additional Services and Extra Work will be negotiated in good faith by the CONSULTANT and DASNY as a lump sum or on a reimbursable basis pursuant to a written amendment to this Contract.

ARTICLE VI: REIMBURSABLE EXPENSES

N/A

ARTICLE VII: WITHHOLDING OF PAYMENTS

DASNY may withhold from the CONSULTANT any part of any payment as may, in the judgment of DASNY, be necessary:

- A. to assure payment of just claims of any persons supplying labor or materials for the Work;
- B. to protect DASNY from the CONSULTANT’s failure to perform services; and
- C. to protect DASNY or other such entities as identified by DASNY as Additional Insureds from loss due to failure to defend, loss due to injury to persons or damage to the Work or property of others caused by the act or neglect of the CONSULTANT or SUBCONSULTANT;

ARTICLE VIII: FINAL PAYMENT AND RELEASE

Final payment shall be made to the CONSULTANT in accordance with Article V.A. and upon satisfactory completion and acceptance by DASNY of all services required by the CONSULTANT pursuant to this Contract, or all services performed prior to the termination of said Contract if so terminated and upon submission of a certification that all SUBCONSULTANTS/SUBCONSULTANTS have been paid their full and agreed compensation.

Acceptance by the CONSULTANT of final payment hereunder shall operate as, and shall be, a release to DASNY from all claims and liability to the CONSULTANT and its successors, legal representatives, and assigns for anything done or furnished under or arising out of the provisions of this Contract. No payment, final or otherwise, shall release the CONSULTANT from any obligations under this Contract.

ARTICLE IX: DASNY's PROCEDURE

The CONSULTANT agrees to comply with all procedural requirements of DASNY and/or the Client reasonably inferable from the Scope of Services.

ARTICLE X – PERSONNEL AND CONSULTANT CHART

Attached to and made a part hereof is Appendix “C”, entitled **CONSULTANTS CHART**.

ARTICLE XI – INSURANCE

A. General Provisions

1. The Consultant and Subconsultants shall not violate, or permit to be violated, any term or condition of their insurance policies, and shall at all times satisfy the safety requirements of DASNY's end of the insurance companies issuing such policies.
2. The Consultant and subconsultants shall maintain enforce all insurance required to be procured by them under this contract for Consultant services until issuance of the notice of physical completion by DASNY except wear this contract for Consultant services requires an insurance policy to be maintained for a period beyond issuance of the notice of physical completion in which case the Consultant and subconsultants shall maintain such insurance policy enforce for the specified I didn't sayThere beyond issuance of the notice of physical completion.
3. All insurance required to be procured and maintained by the Consultant and Subconsultants under this Contract for Consultant Services shall be procured from insurance companies licensed to do business in the State of New York by the NYS Department of Financial Services and rated at least A- by A.M. Best and Company, or meet such other requirements as are acceptable to DASNY in its sole and exclusive discretion.
4. All insurance policies required to be procured and maintained by the Consultant and Subconsultants under this Contract for Consultant Services shall include a provision or endorsement that the policy shall not be canceled, materially changed, or not renewed without at least thirty (30) calendar days written notice to the DASNY except for non-payment in which case notice to DASNY shall be provided as required by law.
5. All insurance policies required to be procured and maintained by the Consultant and Subconsultants under this Contract for Consultant Services shall include a provision or endorsement that at least thirty (30) calendar days prior to the expiration of the policy, evidence from the carrier of renewal or replacement of the policy by the carrier, with terms and limits no less favorable than the expiring policy, or written notice from the carrier that the policy will not be renewed or replaced by the carrier, shall be delivered to DASNY.
6. All insurance policies required to be procured and maintained by the Consultant and Subconsultants under this Contract for Consultant Services shall be written on an occurrence basis except where this Contract for Consultant Services explicitly allows otherwise.
7. All insurance policies required to be procured and maintained by the Consultant and Subconsultants under this Contract for Consultant Services shall include a provision or

endorsement that DASNY and the Client(s) shall not be responsible for any claim expenses and loss payments within the deductible or the self-insured retention and that the Consultant or Subconsultant shall be solely responsible for all claim expenses and loss payments within the deductible or self-insured retention. At any time this Contract for Consultant Services requires the Consultant or any Subconsultant to maintain an insurance policy, the DASNY may require the Consultant or any Subconsultant to provide proof, acceptable to Owner in its sole discretion, that the Consultant or Subconsultant has assets or security sufficient to satisfy all deductible or self-insured obligations under such insurance policy for which the Consultant or Subconsultant may be liable under the claims pending or reasonably possible against the Consultant or Subconsultant at the time DASNY requires the proof. A failure of the Consultant or Subconsultant to provide such proof is a failure of the Consultant or Subconsultant to maintain the insurance required by the Contract for Consultant Services or to provide DASNY with evidence of valid and in-force insurance coverage required by the Contract for Consultant Services.

8. All insurance policies required to be procured and maintained by the Consultant and Subconsultants under this Contract for Consultant Services shall include a provision or endorsement that there shall be no right of subrogation against DASNY, Client(s), or Construction Manager. If any of the Consultant's policies or any of the policies of any Subconsultant prohibit such a waiver of subrogation, the Consultant or Subconsultant shall secure the necessary permission to grant this waiver of subrogation. Any and all such permission shall be confirmed by a manuscript endorsement to the relevant insurance policy or policies and a certified copy of the endorsement shall be provided to DASNY.
9. Each liability and protective liability insurance policy required to be procured and maintained by the Consultant and Subconsultants under this Contract for Consultant Services shall include a provision or endorsement that the coverage afforded DASNY, Client(s) and Construction Manager (if applicable) under such policy shall be primary and non-contributory and that such policy shall be primary to any other insurance policy maintained by DASNY, by the Client(s) or by the Construction Manager (if applicable). Any other insurance policy maintained by DASNY, by the Client(s) or by the Construction Manager (if applicable) shall be in excess of and shall not contribute with the Consultant's or Subconsultant's insurance policy, regardless of the "other insurance" clause contained in DASNY's, Client(s)'s or Construction Manager's (if applicable) own policy of insurance or the Consultant's or Subconsultant's insurance policies.
10. Any Consultant Contract Documents, including but not limited to the Request for Proposal, but excluding Change Orders, may require any of the Consultant and Subconsultants to provide at its or their expense any other form or limit of insurance necessary to secure the interests of DASNY or Client(s).
11. Notwithstanding any other provision of the Contract for Consultant Services, DASNY, in a Change Order or Contract Amendment, may require the Consultant and any or all Subconsultants to provide, at the expense of DASNY, any other form or limit of insurance in addition to the insurance requirements of the original Contract for Consultant Services necessary to secure the interests of DASNY, Client(s), or Construction Manager (if applicable).
- 12.. Neither the procurement nor the maintenance of any type of insurance by the DASNY, the Client(s), the Consultant or the Construction Manager shall in any way be construed or deemed to limit, discharge, waive or release the Consultant or any Subconsultant from

any of the obligations or risks accepted by the Consultant and Subconsultants or to be a limitation on the nature or extent of said obligations and risks or to be a limitation of any obligation to defend, indemnify, hold harmless and procure insurance for DASNY, Client(s) and Construction Manager.

13. All provisions of General Terms and Conditions Article XI— Insurance are to the fullest extent permitted by law. One purpose of this Contract for Consultant Services is to allocate, to the fullest extent permitted by law, all risk of loss to the Consultant, each Subconsultant, and the insurers of each. Each insurance company from which DASNY or Client(s) has directly purchased an insurance policy is a third-party beneficiary of the Consultant's and each Subconsultant's obligations to procure insurance.
14. Consultant is responsible for ensuring that each Subconsultant obtains and maintains in the required amount each type of insurance policy required by this Contract for Consultant Services and that such insurance policy provides DASNY, Client(s) and Construction Manager with the coverage required by this Contract for Consultant Services.
15. Consultant agrees and acknowledges that, because the Consultant (and not DASNY or Client(s)) is responsible for performance of the duties and obligations set forth in this Contract for Consultant Services for completion of the Project, the Consultant, through the use of insurance, intends to allocate all losses to such insurance to protect itself and DASNY and Client(s).

B. Submission of Insurance

1. DASNY will not execute the Contract for Consultant Services unless the Consultant shall submit to DASNY or the DASNY's designee proof of insurance in such forms as requested and deemed acceptable by DASNY, indicating the Project, and showing evidence of all insurance required under the Contract for Consultant Services. Upon DASNY's request, the Consultant shall provide a copy of each insurance policy required by the Contract for Consultant Services certified by the insurance carrier as a true and complete copy. DASNY may request such a certified copy of a policy at any time and may make such requests as often as DASNY, in its sole and exclusive discretion, deems necessary. Each request may be for a certified copy of one or more policies. In addition, the Consultant shall provide copies of certificates of insurance to the Construction Manager, if applicable. Certificates of insurance, notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained on the Certificate of Insurance, when submitted to DASNY, constitute a warranty by the Consultant and its insurance agent or broker, that the insurance coverage described is in effect for the policy term shown.
2. The Consultant shall submit to or Owner's designee insurance certificates (Accord 25, or equivalent as determined by DASNY), copies of declaration pages, schedules of forms and endorsements, copies of all named insured endorsements, all endorsements of the policy granting coverage to DASNY, Client(s), and Construction Manager (if applicable), and such other documents requested by DASNY as proof of insurance for the Consultant. All insurance submittals must be approved by DASNY or DASNY's designee prior to the Consultant's commencement of work.
3. Upon DASNY's request, the Consultant shall submit to DASNY or Owner's designee proof of insurance for one or more Subconsultants, in such forms as requested and deemed acceptable by DASNY, indicating the Project, and showing evidence of all insurance required under the Contract for Consultant Services.

Upon DASNY's request, the Consultant shall provide a copy of each insurance policy of the Subconsultant or subconsultants required by the Contract for Consultant Services and certified by the insurance carrier as a true and complete copy. DASNY may request such a certified copy of a policy at any time and may make such requests as often as DASNY, in its sole and exclusive discretion, deems necessary. Each request may be for a certified copy of one or more policies for one or more Subconsultants. In addition, the Consultant shall provide copies of certificates of insurance to the Construction Manager, if applicable. Certificates of insurance of the Subconsultants, notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained on the Certificate of Insurance, when submitted to DASNY by the Consultant, constitute a warranty by the Consultant, the Subconsultant and the Subconsultant's insurance agent or broker, that the insurance coverage described is in effect for the policy term shown.

4. Upon request of DASNY made any time after bids are opened, the Consultant shall submit insurance certificates (Accord 25, or equivalent as determined by DASNY), copies of declaration pages, schedules of forms and endorsements, copies of all named insured endorsements, all endorsements of the policy granting coverage to DASNY, Client(s), and Construction Manager (if applicable), and such other documents requested by DASNY as proof of insurance for a Subconsultant. Owner may request proof of insurance for one or more Subconsultants at the same or at different times and may request proof of insurance for a particular Subconsultant as often as Owner, in its sole and exclusive discretion, determines is necessary.

C. Insurance Provided by the Consultant

1. Prior to award of the Contract for Consultant Services, the Consultant shall procure, at its sole cost and expense, and shall maintain in force at all times required by this Contract for Consultant Services all of the insurance required under this Contract for Consultant Services. Each Subconsultant shall procure, at its sole cost and expense, prior to the Consultant submitting to DASNY the name of such Subconsultant and prior to such Subconsultant commencing performance of any of the work, and each Subconsultant shall maintain in force at all times required by this Contract for Consultant Services all of the insurance required under this Contract for Consultant Services. The insurance that the Consultant and each Subconsultant shall procure and maintain under this Contract for Consultant Services includes, but is not limited to, the following:
 - a. Workers' Compensation (including occupational disease) and Employer's Liability insurance. Full New York State Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability coverage shall be provided and evidenced by one of the following certificates (**Accord certificates are not acceptable**):
 - i. C-105.2 (September '15, or most current version) - Certificate of NYS Workers' Compensation Insurance Coverage. The insurance carrier shall provide a completed form as evidence of in-force coverage.
 - ii. U-26.3 - (or any replacement) NYS Insurance Fund Certificate of Workers' Compensation Coverage. The NYS Insurance Fund shall provide a completed form as evidence of in-force coverage.
 - iii. GSI-105.2(2/02 or most current version) - Certificate of Participation in Workers' Compensation Group Board-approved self-insurance. The NYS Workers' Compensation Board's Self Insurance Office or the Consultant's Group Self Insurance Administrator shall provide a completed form.

- iiii. SI-12 (5/09 or most current version) Affidavit Certifying That Compensation Has Been Secured. The NYS Workers' Compensation Board's Self Insurance Office or the Consultant's Self Insurance Administrator shall provide a completed form.
2. Disability Benefits insurance. Full New York State Disability Benefits coverage for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the New York State Disability Benefits Law shall be provided and evidenced by one of the following certificates:
- a. DB-120.1 (September 15, or most current version) - Certificate Of Insurance Coverage Under the NYS Disability Benefits Law.
 - b. DB-155 (9/16) – Compliance with Disability Benefits Law. The NYS Workers' Compensation Board's Self Insurance Office shall provide a completed form.
 - c. CE 200 Certificate of Attestation of Exemption. (Note: this form will only be accepted as evidence of an exemption from providing Disability Benefits insurance as required by law. The Dormitory Authority of the State of New York will not accept this as an exemption from providing Worker's Compensation Insurance.) The Certificate may be obtained from the NYS Workers Compensation Board's website at <http://www.wcb.state.ny.us>. The CE 200 cannot be used for multiple projects; therefore, a new form shall have to be completed prior to award of any subsequent contract.
3. Commercial General Liability (CGL) insurance. The CGL insurance policy shall cover the liability of the Consultant or Subconsultant for bodily injury, property damage, and personal/advertising injury arising from performance of the work or operations or presence at or in the vicinity of the Site of the Contract for Consultant Services. The limits under such policy shall not be less than the following: the limit for each occurrence shall be at least \$2,000,000; the general aggregate limit shall be at least \$4,000,000; the personal and advertising injury limit shall be at least \$1,000,000; the Fire Damage Legal Liability shall be at least \$1,000,000; and the Products Completed Operations limit shall be at least \$4,000,000. The limits may be provided through a combination of primary and umbrella and/or excess liability policies. Coverage shall provide and encompass at least the following:
- a. If the Consultant or Subconsultant proposes the use of a policy other than the ISO form CG 00 01 12 07, the Consultant or Subconsultant shall provide the proposed policy to DASNY which, in its sole and exclusive discretion, will determine whether the proposed policy provides equivalent coverage. The Consultant or Subconsultant shall pay Owner any attorney fees and other costs incurred by Owner in determining whether the proposed policy provides equivalent coverage. Owner will select the attorney providing advice on the proposed policy.
 - b. ISO Endorsement Forms CG 20 10 04 13 and CG 20 37 04 13, or their equivalents, specifically naming as additional insureds the Dormitory Authority, Client(s), any other entities as required by the Consultant Contract Documents, and if applicable, the Construction Manager (if applicable) and for form CG 20 37 04 13 or its equivalent, specifically listing the Project location. In the event said endorsements or equivalents are not able to be provided, DASNY may accept, at DASNY's sole discretion, CG 20 38 04 13 or its equivalent or other manuscript endorsements providing equivalent coverage.
 - d. If the Consultant or Subconsultant proposes the use of an endorsement or endorsements other than the ISO Endorsement Forms CG 20 10 04 13 and CG 20 37 04 13, the Consultant or Subconsultant shall provide the proposed endorsement(s) to DASNY or DASNY's designee which, in its sole and exclusive discretion, will determine whether the proposed endorsements provide equivalent

coverage. Consultant and Subconsultant shall pay Owner any attorney fees and other costs incurred by Owner in determining whether the proposed endorsements provide equivalent coverage. Owner will select the attorney providing advice on the proposed endorsements. Additional insured status for Owner, Client(s), Construction Manager and any other entities as required by the Consultant Contract Documents shall apply during the Products/Completed Operations phase as well as during the course of performance of the work of the Contract for Consultant Services.

- e. The policy provisions required by Section A.
 - f. Excavation, Collapse and Underground Hazards.
 - g. Independent consultants/subconsultants.
 - h. Blanket Written Contractual Liability covering all indemnity agreements, including all indemnity obligations contained in the Contract for Consultant Services, and covering tort liability of another assumed in a contract.
 - i. Products and completed operations coverage for a term no less than three years commencing upon issuance by DASNY of the Notice of Physical Completion.
 - j. Premises liability.
 - k. Defense and/or indemnification obligations, including obligations assumed under this Contract for Consultant Services.
 - l. Cross liability for additional insureds.
 - m. Consultant and Subconsultant means and methods.
 - n. Liability resulting from Section 240 or Section 241 of the NYS Labor Law.
 - o. ISO Endorsement CG 25 03 11 85 or its equivalent applying the policy's general aggregate limit separately to the Project.
 - p. The maximum deductible or self-insured retention shall be \$50,000.
 - q. No endorsement or provision in the policy shall exclude coverage for Owner, Client(s), or Construction Manager for any liability when the injured party is an employee of Consultant or any Subconsultant.
 - r. No endorsement or provision in the policy shall require privity of contract between DASNY and Subconsultant or between the Client(s) and the Consultant or Subconsultant or between the Construction Manager and the Consultant or Subconsultant in order for DASNY, the Client(s), or the Construction Manager to have coverage as an insured on such insurance policy.
 - s. If the Consultant or Subconsultant must provide a Railroad Protective Liability insurance policy, the CGL exclusion for work within fifty (50) feet of railroad property must be deleted.
 - t. No endorsement or provision in the policy shall have a height limitation or exclusion.
 - u. No endorsement or provision in the policy shall have a classification exclusion with respect to work performed for DASNY, Client(s), and Construction Manager.
 - v. Owner, Client(s), and Construction Manager (if applicable) shall be covered for any and all liability arising out of acts or omissions of Consultant and any Subconsultant.
4. Commercial Automobile Liability insurance. The Commercial Automobile Liability insurance policy shall cover liability arising out of the use of any motor vehicle in connection with the Contract for Consultant Services, including owned, leased, hired and non-owned vehicles bearing or, under the circumstances under which they are being used, required by the laws of NYS to bear, license plates. The policy shall have a combined single limit for bodily injury

and property damage of at least \$1,000,000. The limit may be provided through a combination of primary and umbrella and/or excess liability policies. If the Contract for Consultant Services involves the removal of hazardous waste or otherwise transporting Hazardous Materials, pollution liability coverage for covered autos shall be provided by endorsement CA 99 48 03 06 or CA 00 12 03 06 and the Motor Carrier Act Endorsement (MCS90) shall be attached to the policy.

5. Umbrella and/or Excess Liability insurance. When the limits of the CGL, Commercial Auto Liability or Employers' Liability policies procured are insufficient to meet the limits specified in the preceding sections, Commercial Umbrella or Excess Liability policies shall be procured and maintained provided, however, that the total amount of insurance coverage is at least equal to the requirements specified in the preceding sections. The Commercial Umbrella or Excess Liability policies shall follow the same form as the CGL, Commercial Automobile Liability and Employers Liability insurance policies required in the preceding sections. The Umbrella and/or Excess Liability policies shall be primary to any other insurance maintained by DASNY or Client(s) or Construction Manager or any other additional insured. Any other insurance maintained by DASNY, the Client(s), the Construction Manager, or any other additional insured shall be in excess of and shall not contribute with the Consultant's or Subconsultant's Umbrella or Excess Liability insurance policies, regardless of the "other insurance" clause contained in DASNY's or Client(s)'s or Construction Manager's or other additional insured's own policy of insurance or the Consultant's or Subconsultant's insurance policies.
6. Professional Liability Insurance: Each of the Consultants and any Subconsultant performing any work in connection with this Contract for Consultant Services shall procure and maintain Consultant Liability Insurance or Errors and Omissions Liability Insurance, as applicable, for the work with a minimum insurance limit of not less than two (2) million dollars issued to and covering damage for liability imposed on the Consultant or Subconsultant by this Contract for Consultant Services or law arising out of any negligent act, error, or omission in the rendering of or failure to render Consultant services required by this Contract for Consultant Services. This insurance may be issued on a claims-made policy form and shall be maintained for no less than three (3) years after issuance by DASNY of the Notice of Physical Completion. The policy, at the sole expense of the Consultant or Subconsultant, shall have extended Discovery Clause coverage of at least three (3) years after issuance by DASNY of the Notice of Physical Completion if the policy is cancelled or not renewed. The maximum deductible or self-insured retention is \$100,000.
7. Notwithstanding any other provision of the Contract for Consultant Services to the contrary and to the fullest extent permitted by law, Consultant shall be liable for all costs and fees, including counsel fees, incurred by or on behalf of DASNY, the Client(s) or the Construction Manager in any action brought by or against DASNY, Client(s) or Construction Manager concerning insurance coverage owed to Owner, Client(s) or Construction Manager by any insurer for which Consultant or any Subconsultant represented that DASNY, Client(s) and Construction Manager would be an insured or would benefit in any way if a claim was brought against Owner, Client(s) and Construction Manager .

D. Other Insurance Provided by Consultant

1. The Consultant and each Subconsultant shall also procure and maintain as required the following insurance:
 - a. United States Longshore and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act and Jones Act: When, to perform the work in connection with this Contract for Consultant Services, the

Consultant or any Subconsultant is engaged in activities on or near a shoreline or on or near the navigable waterways of the United States or when any part of the work is connected to water related activities, the Workers' Compensation policy referenced above of the Consultant and any such Subconsultant shall be endorsed to provide Jones Act and United States Longshore and Harbor Workers' Act coverage.

1. Consultant's Pollution Liability insurance: When the work in connection with this Contract for Consultant Services includes abatement, removal, repair, replacement, enclosure, encapsulation or disposal of any pollutants, which include but are not limited to, petroleum, petroleum products, mold, asbestos, lead or any other Hazardous Material, the Consultant or any Subconsultant performing work involving any of the pollutants, shall procure and maintain in full force and effect pollution legal liability insurance with limits of at least \$2,000,000 providing coverage for bodily injury and property damage, including loss of use of damaged property or of property that has not been physically injured and coverage that encompasses at least the following:
 - a. Endorsement specifically naming as additional insureds: Dormitory Authority, the Client(s), and if applicable, the Construction Manager and other entities specified on the sample certificate of insurance provided byDASNY in the bidding documents.
 - b. The policy provisions required by Section A.
 - c. A maximum deductible or self-insured retention of \$50,000.
 - d. Coverage for actual, alleged or threatened emission, discharge, dispersal, seepage, release or escape of pollutants, including any loss, cost or expense incurred as a result of any cleanup of pollutants or in the investigation, settlement or defense of any claim, suit or proceedings againstDASNY, Client(s) or Construction Manager arising from the work in connection with this Contract for Consultant Services.
 - e. Coverage shall be provided until three years afterDASNY issues the Certificate of Physical Completion.
2. Railroad Protective Liability insurance: If any work of the Contract is to be performed on or within fifty (50) feet of a railroad property or railroad right of way or will require entrance upon railroad property or right of way or will require assignment of a railroad employee, the Consultant shall provide and maintain a Railroad Protective Liability policy with the policy limits required byDASNY(s) of the railroad. For purposes of this section, a subway is a railroad. The policy form shall be ISO-RIMA or an equivalent form approved byDASNY(s) of the railroad. The railroad owner(s) shall be the named insured on the policy and the definition of "physical damage to property" shall mean direct and accidental loss of or damage to all property of any named insured and all property in any named insured's care, custody, or control. If the Consultant shall provide a Railroad Protective Liability insurance policy, the Consultant and any Subconsultant performing on or within fifty (50) feet of railroad property or railroad right of way or entering railroad property or right of way or requiring assignment of a railroad employee shall have their CGL insurance policy endorsed to delete the exclusion of coverage for work within fifty (50) feet of railroad property.
3. Unmanned Aircraft System (UAS) Insurance: Any Consultant or Subconsultant proposing the use of any Unmanned Aircraft System for any purpose on a Project, including but not limited to investigation, surveying, photography, inspections or observation, shall comply with all of Owner's policies and procedures regarding such use and shall provide coverage, in the form of an Unmanned Aircraft System (UAS) endorsement to the Commercial General Liability Coverage required above or

4. Aircraft Liability Coverage with a minimum limit of \$1,000,000. Such coverage shall name DASNY and any required third parties as additional insureds.
5. Marine Protection & Indemnity insurance and Hull & Machinery insurance: Each of the Consultant and any Subconsultant performing any work in connection with this Contract for Consultant Services on navigable water or connected to water-related activities or with marine operations, shall procure and maintain Marine Protection & Indemnity insurance and Hull & Machinery insurance. Hull & Machinery coverage shall be provided for the total value of the watercraft and equipment used in the work on navigable water or connected to water-related activities or with marine operations. The Consultant shall obtain a Marine Protection & Indemnity Liability insurance policy for all navigable water, water-related or marine activities or operations under the Contract for Consultant Services with a minimum limit of \$2,000,000. DASNY, the Client(s) and, if applicable, the Construction Manager and other entities specified on the sample certificate of insurance provided by DASNY in the bidding documents shall be additional insureds on the Marine Protection & Indemnity Liability insurance policy. The Marine Protection & Indemnity Liability insurance policy shall provide coverage that encompasses at least the following:
 - a. The policy provisions required by Section A.
 - b. A maximum deductible or self-insured retention of \$50,000.
 - c. Coverage shall be provided until DASNY issues the Certificate of Physical Completion.
 - d. Endorsement specifically naming as additional insureds: Dormitory Authority, the Client(s), and if applicable, the Construction Manager and other entities specified on the sample certificate of insurance provided by DASNY in the bidding documents.

E. Stop Work Order - Insurance

1. All insurance certificates are valid for one (1) year from the date the certificate is signed/stamped, or until policy expiration, whichever is earlier. The Consultant shall be responsible to submit updated insurance certificates to DASNY or DASNY's designee thirty (30) calendar days prior to any insurance certificate expiration date.
2. Failure of the Consultant or any Subconsultant to maintain the insurance required by the Contract for Consultant Services or to provide DASNY or DASNY's designee with evidence of valid and in-force insurance coverage required by the Contract for Consultant Services shall result in a Stop Work Order pursuant to General Terms and Conditions Article 7 – Termination or Suspension and/or withholding of payment to the Consultant.
3. At any time that the coverage provisions and limits on the policies required herein do not meet the provisions and limits set forth above, the Consultant or Subconsultant shall immediately cease work on the Project. The Consultant or Subconsultant shall not resume work on the Project until authorized to do so by DASNY or DASNY's designee.
4. Any delay or time lost as a result of the Consultant or Subconsultant not having proper insurance required by this Contract for Consultant Services or not providing DASNY or DASNY's designee with evidence of valid and in force insurance required by the Contract for Consultant Services shall not give rise to a delay Claim or any other Claim against DASNY. Further, the Consultant may be liable to other consultants for costs incurred by reason of the Consultant's, Subconsultant's or Subcontractor's failure to provide insurance.

F. Subcontractor Insurance Requirements

To the extent that the Consultant or any Subconsultant retains any Subcontractor in connection with the

Project, such Subcontractor's insurance obligations are identical to the obligations placed upon Subconsultants pursuant to Section A of this Contract for Consultant Services, except that Subsections A.2 and C.1 shall not apply to any Subcontractor. Notwithstanding the above, such Subcontractors shall only be required to maintain its insurance policies until Notice of Physical Completion or as otherwise directed by Owner.

ARTICLE XII: INDEMNIFICATION

To the fullest extent permitted by law, the CONSULTANT shall defend if requested, protect, indemnify and hold harmless DASNY and DASNY's Related Parties from and against any and all liability, loss, claims, demands, suits, costs, fees, interest and expenses (including actual fees and expenses of attorneys, expert witnesses, and other consultants), by whomsoever brought and regardless of the legal theories upon which premised, including, but not limited to those arising out of bodily injury to, or sickness or death of, any person, or property damage or destruction (including loss of use), which may be imposed upon, incurred by or asserted against DASNY or DASNY's Related Parties allegedly or actually arising out of or resulting from any negligent act, error or omission or any intentional misconduct (i) of the CONSULTANT; or (ii) of the CONSULTANT's subconsultants; or (iii) of the agents, employees or servants of the CONSULTANT or its consultants. The CONSULTANT shall also indemnify DASNY for breach of contract not related to professional services.

Upon the conclusion of any such action, proceeding or lawsuit, should a final binding determination of responsibility be made that allocates responsibility to DASNY, the Client or DASNY's related parties, DASNY agrees that the obligation to indemnify and hold harmless shall not be applicable to the portion of any uninsured money judgment for which DASNY is responsible, and DASNY agrees to pay the CONSULTANT the percentage of uninsured defense costs that the CONSULTANT incurred based upon an apportionment of DASNY's allocated responsibility.

A. Intellectual Property Indemnity

To the fullest extent permitted by law, the CONSULTANT shall defend, protect, hold harmless, and indemnify DASNY and DASNY's Related Parties from and against any and all liability, loss, claims, demands, suits, costs, fees and expenses (including actual fees and expenses of attorneys, expert witnesses, and other consultants), by whomsoever brought or alleged, for infringement of patent rights, copyrights, or other intellectual property rights, except with respect to processes required by DASNY in writing. If the CONSULTANT has reason to believe the use of a required process is an infringement of a patent, the CONSULTANT shall be responsible for such loss unless such information is promptly given to DASNY.

B. Non-Exclusivity of DASNY's Remedies

DASNY's selection of one or more remedies for breach of this Term Contract for Professional Services shall not limit DASNY's right to invoke any other remedy available to DASNY under this Term Contract for Professional Services or by law.

C. **Waiver of Damages**

The CONSULTANT shall not be entitled to, and hereby waives any monetary claims for or damages arising from or related to, lost profits, lost business opportunities, unabsorbed overhead, or any indirect consequential damages.

D. **Interest**

DASNY is entitled to interest on all amounts due from the CONSULTANT that remain unpaid thirty (30) calendar days after the amount is deemed due, whether as a result of a resolution of a dispute or otherwise. Any such interest shall be calculated by the same method as set forth in Article VI above.

ARTICLE XIII: CONTINUING INTEGRITY

The CONSULTANT shall at all times during the Contract Term remain responsive and responsible. The CONSULTANT shall also monitor each sub-CONSULTANT for responsiveness and responsibility at all times during the Contract Term. The CONSULTANT agrees, if requested by the President of DASNY or his or her designee, to present evidence of its continuing legal authority to do business in New York State, integrity, experience, ability, prior performance, and organizational and financial capacity. The CONSULTANT shall immediately notify DASNY of any material or adverse information pertaining to the CONSULTANT or any sub-CONSULTANT, regardless of tier.

The President of DASNY or his or her designee, in his or her sole discretion, reserves the right to suspend any or all activities under this Contract, at any time, when he or she discovers information that calls into question the responsibility of the CONSULTANT. In the event of such suspension, the CONSULTANT will be given written notice outlining the particulars of such suspension. Upon issuance of such notice, the CONSULTANT shall comply with the terms of the suspension order. Insurance Services may resume at such time as the President of DASNY or his or her designee issues a written notice authorizing a resumption of performance under this Contract.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Contract, upon written notice to the CONSULTANT, and a reasonable opportunity to be heard with the appropriate DASNY officials or staff, the Contract may be terminated by the President of DASNY or his or her designee at the CONSULTANT's expense where the CONSULTANT is determined by the President of DASNY or his or her designee to be non-responsible. In such event, the President of DASNY or his or her designee may complete the contractual requirements in any manner he or she may deem advisable and pursue available legal or equitable remedies for the breach.

ARTICLE XIV: DASNY'S RIGHT TO AUDIT AND INSPECT RECORDS

The CONSULTANT shall maintain, and shall keep for a period of six (6) years after the date of Final Acceptance, all records and other data relating to this Contract, including records of CONSULTANTS and SUBCONSULTANTS. DASNY or DASNY's Representative shall have the right to inspect and audit all records and other data of the CONSULTANT and its CONSULTANTS and SUBCONSULTANTS relating to the Contract. Any item not supported due to the unavailability of said records shall, at the discretion of DASNY, be disallowed. If payment has already been made, amounts disallowed shall be refunded by the CONSULTANT to DASNY upon demand.

ARTICLE XV: TIME OF COMPLETION

The Term of this Contract for the assignment of Engagement Letters shall be from [____TBD____] through [____TBD____]. DASNY may, in its sole discretion, extend the Term of this Contract and issue Work Authorizations for an extended period of one (1) year, to no later than [____TBD____]. The CONSULTANT shall continue to render services for each Work Authorization it is assigned within the term of this Contract and any such extension(s) until the completion of said Work Authoriztion(s) unless DASNY gives written notice to the contrary.

The CONSULTANT's Services are contained in Appendix "A", entitled **SCOPE OF SERVICES**, which is attached to and made a part hereof and shall serve as a directory from which specific services shall be assigned as each Work Authorization is issued.

ARTICLE XVI: ASSIGNMENT

The CONSULTANT shall not assign the Contract in whole or in part without prior written consent of DASNY. DASNY may assign the Contract in whole or in part without prior written consent of the CONSULTANT.

ARTICLE XVII: "E" ADDITIONAL ITEMS

Attached to and made a part hereof is Appendix "E", entitled **ADDITIONAL ITEMS**.

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SIGNATURES

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, DASNY has executed this Contract on the _____ day of _____, 20_____.

**Dormitory Authority-State of New York
515 Broadway
Albany, NY 12207-2964**

By _____

Title _____

Date _____

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the CONSULTANT has caused this Contract to be signed by its duly authorized officer on the _____ day of _____, 20_____.

By _____ 1

Title _____

Date _____

- 1 If a **corporation**, signer must be President, Vice-President or other authorized officer.
- If a **Limited Liability Company (LLC)**, signer must be a member or manager.
- If a **Limited Liability Partnership (LLP)**, signer must be a partner.
- If a **Limited Partnership**, signer must be an authorized partner.
- If a **general partnership**, signer must be a partner.
- If a **sole proprietorship**, signer must be DASNY.

DASNY's ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

NEW YORK STATE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT – DASNY

State of New York)
) SS:
County of _____)

On the _____ day of _____, in the year _____, before me, the undersigned, personally appeared:

_____)
(NAME)

personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual(s) whose name(s) is (are) subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument, the individual(s), or the person upon behalf of which the individual(s) acted, executed the instrument.

Signature of Notary

Stamp or seal containing printed name, county of qualification of notary public and expiration date of notary commission

NEW YORK STATE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT – Contractor/Consultant

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) SS:
County of _____)

On the __day of _____, in the year _____, before me, the undersigned, personally appeared:

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personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual(s) whose name(s) is (are) subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument, the individual(s), or the person upon behalf of which the individual(s) acted, executed the instrument.

Signature of Notary

Stamp or seal containing printed name, county of qualification of notary public and expiration date of notary commission

APPENDIX “A”

SCOPE OF SERVICES

1.0 INTRODUCTION

The purpose of the program is to assist, on behalf of DASNY’s contractors and construction managers in their efforts to observe, identify, and address inadequately controlled safety hazards in an effort to lessen the potential for injury and loss on or near the project site. The CONSULTANT shall provide loss control, risk management consulting, and site inspection services specific to construction in support of that effort.

2.0 OBJECTIVES

The services required generally involve providing safety and loss control related services, including survey/inspection services, consulting, accident investigative services, and technical and administrative services in support of DASNY’s safety-related goals and objectives in accordance with DASNY procedures. OSHA standards, New York City construction safety standards, and safety industry best practices shall be the basis for the inspections. Independently regulated hazards such as asbestos and environmental hazards shall not be included in the scope of this work.

The CONSULTANT shall provide, for approval by DASNY, one individual who will be responsible for coordination of services, monitoring the quality and timeliness of products and services, and generally managing the program to DASNY’s satisfaction.

The CONSULTANT may be required to attend periodic program meetings held at DASNY offices and/or field sites.

The CONSULTANT shall provide for the following:

A. Construction Site Surveys and Reports

Site survey/inspections shall be conducted to observe and report on inadequately controlled existing and potential safety hazards with a concentration on worker safety and hazards affecting pedestrians and the general public. Using the CONSULTANT’s observations, access to the jobsite safety program materials, and accident records provided by DASNY, the CONSULTANT shall recommend remedial action to construction managers and contractors to better control hazards and to lessen or eliminate the potential for injury or loss.

Recommendations shall be based on OSHA standards, NYC Construction Safety standards, and safety industry best practices at a minimum, and shall be shared with representatives of each project participant (i.e. DASNY, construction manager, and applicable contractors) in meetings that will be a part of the survey, as well as in electronic reports, the type and format of which shall be developed cooperatively by DASNY and the CONSULTANT, and submitted within three (3) business days of the site visit.

B. Surveys

The CONSULTANT shall conduct pre-scheduled construction site safety surveys, by appointment, on a monthly basis. The exact number of surveys will vary based on construction volume and activities. DASNY will provide the CONSULTANT with a quarterly schedule of survey locations, but schedules are subject to change at any time. In most cases, scheduled projects will be the subject of one site safety survey per month. DASNY reserves the right to increase or decrease the survey/inspection frequency as necessary to support project efforts. Projects are geographically dispersed throughout New York State, including the five boroughs of New York City and Long Island. The CONSULTANT is expected to provide adequate resources to accommodate schedule and project changes with little notice.

C. Management Reports

The CONSULTANT may be required to provide a monthly or quarterly executive summary of survey and inspection results in a format acceptable to DASNY as well as a short narrative summary of any service highlights.

D. Emergency/Special Inspections

The CONSULTANT shall, when requested, conduct and provide focused safety/loss control visits and services to selected locations on short notice to collect information of a specific nature, report findings, and make recommendations for improvement. An example of these services may be, but is not limited to, the investigation or evaluation of an accident or loss scene or event. Turnaround time for these services, including written reports with photographs, shall be 72 hours or less unless otherwise approved by DASNY.

E. Additional Safety Services

The CONSULTANT shall provide additional services of a technical nature as requested by DASNY to support its programs and efforts. Examples of these services include, but are not limited to, design and development of survey report templates, development and presentation of training materials, development of written safety programs and guidelines, review of safety plans, development/maintenance of tools such as hardware/software and printed materials, responding to inquiries, and conducting research. The CONSULTANT may be asked to periodically host safety seminars either in person (including the potential for field site visits) or via WebEx technology.

APPENDIX "B"

APPROVED CLASSIFICATIONS AND RATES

MAXIMUM HOURLY RATES FOR COMPENSATION FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES RENDERED

1. Should payment for the CONSULTANT's Required Services be on a time and hourly rate basis or should Extra Work on an actual cost basis be required, the hourly rates for the technical classifications listed shall not exceed the following:

Classification

Maximum Hourly Rates

*Rates include labor, profit, overhead and travel.

2. Work performed on a unit cost basis shall be at the following approved rates, which includes complete compensation for all.

| Task | | Unit | Rate |
|-------------|--|-------------|-------------|
| a. | | | |
| b. | | | |
| c. | | | |

APPENDIX "C"
CONSULTANTS CHART

APPENDIX “D”

ADDITIONAL INSUREDS

4201 Schools - Certificates should name the specific 4201 School facility and DASNY as additional insureds.

Beacon Institute - Certificates should name the State of New York, the Beacon Institute for Rivers and Estuaries, the New York State Office of Parks and Recreation, the Construction Manager and DASNY as additional insureds.

City of New York Court Facilities - Certificates should name the City of New York, the Construction Manager and DASNY as additional insureds.

City University of New York (CUNY) - Certificates should name the City University of New York, the City University Construction Fund, the Construction Manager and DASNY as additional insureds.

New York State Housing Trust Fund Corporation - Certificates should name the New York State Housing Trust Fund Corporation and DASNY as additional insureds.

New York City Department of Environmental Protection - Certificates should name the City of New York, the NYC Department of Environmental Protection, the City of Kingston, the Construction Manager and DASNY as additional insureds.

New York City Health and Hospitals Corporation (HHC) - Certificates should name the City of New York, the New York City Health and Hospitals Corporation, the Construction Manager and DASNY as additional insureds.

New York City Office of the County Medical Examiner (OCME) - Certificates should name the City of New York, the New York City Health and Hospitals Corporation, the specific OCME facility, the Construction Manager and DASNY as additional insureds.

New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC) - Certificates should name the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation, the State of New York, the Construction Manager and DASNY as additional insureds.

New York State Department of Health (DOH) - Certificates should name the New York State Department of Health, the State of New York, the Construction Manager and DASNY as additional insureds.

New York State Department of Mental Hygiene: Office of Mental Health (OMH), Office for People with Developmental Disabilities (OPWDD) and Office of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services (OASAS) - Certificates should name the State of New York, the Construction Manager (when applicable) and DASNY as additional insureds.

New York State Parks Recreation & Historic Preservation - Certificates should name the New York State Parks Recreation & Historic Preservation, the State of New York, the Construction Manager and DASNY as additional insureds.

New York State Education Department (SED) - Certificates should name the New York State Education Department, the State of New York, the Construction Manager and DASNY as additional insureds.

Office of Court Administration (OCA) - Certificates should name the State of New York, The Unified Court System of New York, the City of Albany, the Construction Manager and DASNY as additional insureds.

Roswell Park Cancer Institute - Certificates should name The Roswell Park Cancer Institute Corporation, the State of New York, the New York State Department of Health, the Construction Manager and DASNY as additional insureds.

Special Acts School District (SASD) - Certificates should name the specific SASD facility and DASNY as additional insureds.

State University of New York (SUNY) - Certificates should name the State University of New York, the State of New York and DASNY as additional insureds.

Questions concerning Additional Insured Requirements should be directed to Nic Zarrelli, Managing Senior Director, Construction, Finance and Administration at (518) 257-3787.

APPENDIX "E"
ADDITIONAL ITEMS

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1. LABOR LAW PROVISIONS

- A. It is hereby agreed that all applicable provisions of the Labor Law of the State of New York shall be carried out in performance of the Work.
- B. The CONSULTANT specifically agrees, as required by Labor Law, Sections 220 and 220-d as amended, that:
 - 1) no laborer, workmen, or mechanic, in the employ of the CONSULTANT, Sub-consultant, or other person doing or contracting to do the whole or any part of the work contemplated by this Contract shall be permitted or required to work more than eight hours in any one calendar day or more than five days in any one week, except in the emergencies set forth in the Labor Law;
 - 2) the wages paid for legal day's work shall be not less than the prevailing rate of wages as defined by law;
 - 3) the minimum hourly rate of wages to be paid shall be not less than that stated in this Contract and shall be designated by the Commissioner of Labor of the State of New York; and
 - 4) the CONSULTANT and every Sub-consultant shall post in a prominent and accessible place on the Site, a legible statement of all minimum wage rates and supplements to be paid or provided for the various classes of laborers and mechanics to be engaged in the Work and all deductions, if any, required by law to be made from unpaid wages actually earned by the laborers and mechanics so engaged.
- C. The minimum wage rates, if any, herein specified for apprentices shall apply only to persons working with the tools of the trade that said persons are learning under the direct supervision of journeyman mechanics. Except as otherwise required by law, the number of apprentices in each trade or occupation employed by the CONSULTANT or any Sub-consultant shall not exceed the number submitted by the applicable standards of the New York State Department of Labor, or, in the absence of said standards, the number permitted under the usual practice prevailing between the unions and the employer's association of the respective trades or occupations.
- D. All employees of the CONSULTANT and each Sub-consultant shall be paid in accordance with the provisions of the Labor Law. Certified payroll copies shall be provided to the OWNER upon request.

- E. The CONSULTANT agrees that, in case of underpayment of wages to any worker engaged in the Work by the CONSULTANT or any Sub-consultant, the OWNER shall withhold from the CONSULTANT, out of payments due, an amount sufficient to pay said worker the difference between the wages required to be paid under this Contract and rates actually paid said worker for the total number of hours worked and that the OWNER may disburse said amount so withheld by the OWNER for and on account of the CONSULTANT to the employees to whom said amount is due. The CONSULTANT further agrees that the amount to be withheld pursuant to this paragraph may be in addition to the percentages to be retained by the OWNER pursuant to other provisions of this Contract.
- F. Pursuant to subdivision 3 of section 220 and section 220-d of the Labor Law this Contract may be forfeited and no sum paid for any work done thereunder on a second conviction for willfully paying less than:
- 1) the stipulated wage scale as set forth in Labor Law; Section 220, subdivision 3, as amended, or
 - 2) less than the stipulated minimum hourly wage scale as specified in Labor Law, Section 220-d, as amended.
- G. The CONSULTANT specifically agrees, as required by the Labor Law, Section 220-e, as amended, that:
- 1) in the hiring of employees for the performance of work under this Contract or any subcontract hereunder, or for the manufacture, sale, or distribution of materials, equipment, or supplies hereunder, but limited to operation performed within the territorial limits of the State of New York, no CONSULTANT, nor any person acting on behalf of said CONSULTANT or Sub-consultant, shall by reason of race, creed, color, 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) no CONSULTANT, nor any person on behalf of said CONSULTANT or Sub-consultant shall, in any manner, discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract on account of race, creed, color, sex, or national origin;
 - 3) there may be deducted from the amount payable to the CONSULTANT, by the OWNER under this Contract, a penalty of Fifty and 00/100 Dollars (\$50.00) for each person for each calendar day during which such person was discriminated against or intimidated in violation of the terms of this Contract; and
 - 4) this Contract may be canceled or terminated by the OWNER and all money due or to become due hereunder may be forfeited for a second or

any subsequent violation of the terms or conditions of this section of this Contract.

- H. The CONSULTANT specifically agrees to certify its payrolls and keep these certified records on site and available, and provide copies to the OWNER upon request.

2. NONDISCRIMINATION

During the performance of this Contract, the CONSULTANT agrees as follows:

- A. The CONSULTANT will not discriminate against any employees or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, age, disability, or marital status.
- B. If directed to do so by the Commissioner of Human Rights, the CONSULTANT will send to each labor union or representative of workers with which the CONSULTANT has or is bound by a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, a notice, to be provided by the State Commissioner of Human Rights, advising said labor union or representative of the CONSULTANT'S Contract under clauses A. through G. (hereinafter called "nondiscrimination clauses"). If the CONSULTANT was directed to do so by the contracting agency as part of the proposal or negotiation of this Contract, the CONSULTANT shall request said labor union or representative to furnish a written statement that said labor union or representative will not discriminate because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, age, disability, or marital status, and that said labor union or representative will cooperate, within the limits of its legal and contractual authority, in the implementation of the policy and provisions of these nondiscrimination clauses and that it consents and agrees that recruitment, employment, and the terms and conditions of employment under this Contract shall be in accordance with the purposes and provisions of these nondiscrimination clauses. If said labor union or representative fails or refuses to comply with said request that it furnish such a statement, the CONSULTANT shall promptly notify the State Commissioner of Human Rights of said failure or refusal.
- C. If directed to do so by the Commissioner of Human Rights, the CONSULTANT will post and keep posted in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, notices to be provided by the State Commissioner of Human Rights setting forth the substance of the provisions of clauses A. and B. and such provisions of the State's laws against discrimination as the State Commissioner of Human Rights shall determine.
- D. The CONSULTANT will state, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the CONSULTANT, that all qualified applicants will be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, age, disability, or marital status.
- E. The CONSULTANT will comply with the provisions of Sections 290-299 of the Executive Law and with the Civil Rights Laws, will furnish all information and reports deemed necessary by the State Commissioner of Human Rights under

these nondiscrimination clauses and said sections of the Executive Law, and will permit access to the CONSULTANT'S books, records, and accounts by the State Commissioner of Human Rights, the Attorney General, and the Commissioner of Labor of the State of New York for the purpose of investigation to ascertain compliance with these nondiscrimination clauses and said sections of the Executive Law and Civil Rights Laws.

- F. This Contract may be forthwith canceled, terminated, or suspended in whole or in part, by the contracting agency upon the basis of a finding made by the State Commissioner of Human Rights that the CONSULTANT has not complied with these nondiscrimination clauses, and the CONSULTANT may be declared ineligible for future contracts made by or on behalf of the State or public authority or agency of the State, until the CONSULTANT satisfies the State Commissioner of Human Rights that the CONSULTANT has established and is carrying out a program in conformity with the provisions of these nondiscrimination clauses. Said finding shall be made by the State Commissioner of Human Rights after conciliation efforts by the Commissioner have failed to achieve compliance with these nondiscrimination clauses and after a verified complaint has been filed with the Commissioner, notice thereof has been given to the CONSULTANT, and an opportunity has been afforded the CONSULTANT to be heard publicly in accordance with the Executive Law. Said sanctions may be imposed and remedies invoked independently of or in addition to sanctions and remedies otherwise provided by law.
- G. The CONSULTANT will include the provisions of clauses A. through F. in every subcontract or purchase order in such a manner that said provisions will be binding upon each Sub-consultant or vendor as to operations to be performed within the State of New York. The CONSULTANT will take such action in enforcing said provisions of said subcontract or purchase order as the State Commissioner of Human Rights or the contracting agency may direct, including sanctions or remedies for non-compliance. If the CONSULTANT becomes involved in or is threatened with litigation with a Sub-consultant or vendor as a result of said direction by the State Commissioner of Human Rights or the contracting agency, the CONSULTANT shall promptly so notify the Attorney General, requesting the Attorney General to intervene and protect the interests of the State of New York.

3. PROVISIONS REQUIRED BY LAW DEEMED INSERTED

Each and every provision of law and clause required by law to be inserted into this Contract shall be deemed to be inserted herein and this Contract shall read and shall be enforced as though so included.

4. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS, RULES, AND REGULATIONS

The CONSULTANT shall comply fully with all applicable laws, rules, and regulations.

5. CONTRACT DEEMED EXECUTORY

The CONSULTANT agrees that the Contract shall be deemed executory to the extent of moneys available from either (i) the proceeds of bonds issued by the Authority for the

Contract, or (ii) moneys made available by the Client for the Contract, or (iii) other non-Authority moneys made available from whatever source specifically for the Contract and no liability shall be incurred by the Owner beyond moneys available therefore.

6. OWNERSHIP OF DOCUMENTS

Original drawings and specifications will become the property of the OWNER, and the CONSULTANT may not use the drawings and specifications for any purpose not relating to the Project without the OWNER's consent. The CONSULTANT may retain such reproductions of drawings and specifications as the CONSULTANT may reasonably require. Upon completion of the Work or any early termination of this Contract, the CONSULTANT will promptly furnish the OWNER with the complete set of original record prints. All such original drawings and specifications shall become the property of the OWNER who may use them, without the CONSULTANT's permission, for any proper purpose including, but not limited to, additions to or completion of the Project.

7. TERMINATION OR SUSPENSION

A. Termination for Cause

If the CONSULTANT defaults by failing to substantially perform, in accordance with the terms of this Contract for Professional Services, as determined by the OWNER, the OWNER may give written notice to the CONSULTANT (i) terminating this Contract for Professional Services effective seven (7) calendar days from the date of notice; or (ii) setting forth the nature of the default and requesting the CONSULTANT initiate cure within seven (7) calendar days from the date of notice. At any time thereafter, if the CONSULTANT fails to initiate cure upon the request of the OWNER and continue such cure until complete, the OWNER may give notice to the CONSULTANT of immediate termination. If the OWNER terminates this Contract for Professional Services pursuant to this paragraph, and it is subsequently determined by a court of competent jurisdiction that the CONSULTANT was not in default, then in such event said termination shall be deemed a termination for convenience as set forth in Paragraph B of this Article.

B. Termination for Convenience or Suspension of Project

The OWNER may at any time give written notice to the CONSULTANT terminating this Contract for Professional Services or suspending the Project, in whole or in part, for the OWNER'S convenience and without cause. If the OWNER terminates this Contract for Professional Services or suspends the Project, the CONSULTANT shall immediately reduce its staff, services and outstanding commitments in order to minimize the cost of termination or suspension.

C. Payment In Case Of Termination or Suspension of Project

1. If this Contract for Professional Services is terminated by the OWNER pursuant to Paragraph 7A above, no further payment shall be made to the CONSULTANT until completion of the Project. At such time, the CONSULTANT'S compensation shall, at the OWNER'S option, be calculated (i) subject to the last sentence of this Subparagraph, on the basis of services actually performed and approved by the OWNER and expenses actually incurred from the date of the last approved *Professional*

Services Contract Payment Requisition up to the effective termination date; or (ii) on the basis of the payment terms set forth elsewhere herein. In either case, the CONSULTANT'S compensation shall be reduced by all costs and damages incurred by the Owner as a result of the default of the CONSULTANT.

2. If this Contract For Professional Services is (i) terminated by the OWNER pursuant to Paragraph 7B above; or (ii) suspended more than four (4) months by the OWNER pursuant to Paragraph 7B above, the CONSULTANT'S compensation shall be calculated on the basis of services actually performed and approved by the OWNER and expenses actually incurred from the date of the last approved *Professional Services Contract Payment Requisition* up to the effective termination or suspension date and reasonable costs associated with termination or suspension. In no event shall the CONSULTANT be entitled to compensation in excess of the Professional Contract Price.

3. If this Contract for Professional Services is suspended less than four (4) months by the OWNER pursuant to Paragraph 7B above, the CONSULTANT specifically agrees that such suspension, interruption or delay of the performance of the services pursuant to this item shall not increase the cost of the Professional Services.

4. Time of completion set forth in the Project Design Schedule may be extended to such time as the OWNER determines shall compensate for the time lost by the suspension, interruption or delay; such determination shall be set forth in writing by the OWNER.

8. SUSPENSION OR ALTERATION

- A. The OWNER may order the CONSULTANT in writing to suspend, delay, or interrupt performance of all or any part or the Work for a reasonable period of time as the OWNER may determine. The order shall contain the reason or reasons for issuance which may include, but shall not be limited to, the following: latent field conditions, substantial program revisions, acquisition of rights-of-way or real property, financial crisis, labor disputes, civil unrest, or Acts of God.
- B. Upon receipt of a suspension order, the CONSULTANT shall, as soon as practicable, cease performance of the Work as ordered and take immediate affirmative measures to protect such Work from loss or damage.
- C. The CONSULTANT specifically agrees that such suspension, interruption, or delay of the performance of the Work pursuant to this Item shall not increase the cost of performance of the Work of this Contract.
- D. Time of Completion of the Work may be extended to such time as the OWNER determines shall compensate for the time lost by the suspension, interruption, or delay, such determination to be set forth in writing.

9. LAWS OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

This Contract shall be governed by the Laws of the State of New York.

10. CODES

Unless otherwise directed by the OWNER, the CONSULTANT shall comply with all applicable codes and regulations required by law. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, compliance with codes and regulations shall include, but shall not be limited to, those of the following which are applicable:

- A. Administrative Codes
- B. Zoning Resolutions
- C. State Building Code, NYS Uniform Fire Prevention and Building Code, latest edition
- D. Local Zoning Ordinances
- E. Local Building Codes
- F. State Hospital Code

If Federal Aid is obtained for any facilities described herein, then any and all regulations imposed by the participating Federal Agency shall be complied with in the performance of this Contract.

11. GOVERNMENT PROVISIONS

The CONSULTANT shall comply with any applicable provisions or Acts of Congress, rules, regulations, and requirements of the Government of the United State of America. If there is a grant of money or loan of money by the Government of the United States of America for the Project, then the CONSULTANT shall furnish any information and provide any assistance which the OWNER deemed necessary for the preparation of any certificates, reports, or materials required as a result of obtaining said grant or loan.

12. COOPERATION

The CONSULTANT shall render any assistance which the OWNER may require with respect to any claim or action in any way relating to the CONSULTANT's services during or subsequent to the design or construction of the Project including, without limitation, review of claims, preparation of technical reports and participation in negotiations both before and after it has otherwise completed performance of the Contract and without any additional compensation therefore.

13. LATE PAYMENT

Timeliness of payment and any interest to be paid to the CONSULTANT for late payment shall be governed by Section 2880 of the Public Authorities Law, to the extent required by law.

14. DEATH OF THE CONSULTANT

If the CONSULTANT is an individual and that CONSULTANT shall die prior to the said completed performance of this Contract, then the payment to the estate of said

CONSULTANT, pursuant to this Contract, shall be made as if the Project or any part thereof had been suspended or altered on the date of the death of the CONSULTANT. If the CONSULTANT is a partnership and a partner shall die prior to the completed performance of this Contract, the OWNER, in the OWNER's discretion, may deem the Project or any part thereof, suspended or altered on the date of said death or any date thereafter which the OWNER selects, and the payment to the estate of the deceased CONSULTANT or the partnership, pursuant to this Contract, shall be made as if the Project or any part thereof had been suspended or altered on the date of said death or such other date thereafter selected by the OWNER. The OWNER shall have the right to the immediate possession of all files of the CONSULTANT relating to the Project, all plans and specifications in regard to the Project, and shall have a right to retain the services of another CONSULTANT to complete the Project. If the CONSULTANT is a professional or other corporation, then this paragraph shall not be applicable.

15. DASNY-CONSULTANT RELATIONSHIP

The relationship created by this Contract between the OWNER and CONSULTANT is one of independent CONSULTANT and it is in no way to be construed as creating any agency relationship between the OWNER and the CONSULTANT nor is it to be construed as, in any way or under any circumstances, creating or appointing the CONSULTANT as an agent of the OWNER for any purpose whatsoever.

16. PROTECTION OF LIVES AND HEALTH

Each CONSULTANT and Subconsultant shall comply fully with all applicable provisions of the laws of the State of New York, the United States of America, and with all applicable rules and regulations, adopted or promulgated, by agencies or municipalities of the State of New York or the United States of America. The CONSULTANT's and Subconsultant's attention is specifically called to the applicable rules and regulations, codes, and bulletins of the New York State Department of Labor and to the standards imposed under the Federal Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970, as amended. The CONSULTANT shall report on compliance to the OWNER or OWNER's Representative.

17. NYS VENDOR RESPONSIBILITY QUESTIONNAIRE

- A. In order to assist the OWNER in determining the responsibility and reliability of the vendor selected for the Contract and to effectuate the directives of Executive Order No. 125, the Council of Contracting Agencies has adopted procedures to collect and exchange relevant information among Contracting Agencies.
- B. When directed by the OWNER, prior to the award of any Contract valued at \$10,000 or more, the CONSULTANT shall, within ten days following either oral or written notice that it must comply, submit evidence of a duly executed NYS Vendor Responsibility Questionnaire (VRQ) to the OWNER.

The OWNER requires the CONSULTANT to file the VRQ online via the New York State VendRep System (the "System") and submit a copy of the certification page to the OWNER. To enroll in and use the System, see the System Instructions at http://www.osc.state.ny.us/vendrep/vendor_index.htm or go directly to the VendRep System online at <https://portal.osc.state.ny.us>. The

CONSULTANT must provide their New York State Vendor Identification Number when enrolling. To request assignment of a Vendor ID or for System assistance, contact the Office of the State Comptroller's ("OSC") Help Desk at 866-370-4672 or 518- 408-4672 or by email at ciohelpdesk@osc.state.ny.us.

- C. The information contained in the NYS Vendor Responsibility Questionnaire will serve as an informational resource to aid the OWNER in making an award determination.

18. PROHIBITED INTERESTS/ETHICAL CONDUCT - CONSULTANTS

- A. Officers and employees of the Owner are bound by Sections 73, 73-a and 74 of the *New York State Public Officers Law*. In addition, no officer, employee, Consultant, attorney, engineer, inspector or CONSULTANT of or for the Owner authorized on behalf of the Owner to exercise any legislative, executive, administrative, supervisory or other similar functions in connection with the Contract or the Work, shall become personally interested, directly or indirectly, in the Contract, material supply contract, subcontract, insurance contract, or any other contract pertaining to the Work.
- B. Section 73(5) of the *Public Officers Law* expressly prohibits the CONSULTANT, or its agents, from directly or indirectly offering or giving any gift having more than nominal value to an employee of the Owner under circumstances in which it could be reasonably inferred the gift was intended to influence the employee in the performance of their official duties, could reasonably be expected to influence the employee in the performance of their official duties, or was intended as a reward for the employee's official action.

In addition to the prohibition of Section 73 (5) of the Public Officers Law, DASNY has a "zero tolerance" policy with respect to the solicitation, acceptance or receipt of gifts from disqualified sources. Therefore, the Professional and its agents should refrain from offering or giving anything of value to an employee of the Owner. Employees of the Owner may not solicit any gift, gratuity, stipend or thing of value from the CONSULTANT or its agents. Violations of these gift provisions may be grounds for immediate Contract termination and/or referral for civil action or criminal prosecution.

- C. To promote a working relationship with the Owner based on ethical business practices, the CONSULTANT is expected to:
 - 1) furnish all goods, materials and services to the Owner as contractually required and specified,
 - 2) submit complete and accurate reports to the Owner and its agents as required,
 - 3) not seek, solicit, demand or accept any information, verbal or written, from the Owner or its agents that provides an unfair advantage over a competitor,
 - 4) not engage in any activity or course of conduct that restricts open and fair competition on Owner-related projects and transactions,
 - 5) not engage in any course of conduct with Owner employees or its agents that constitutes a conflict of interest, in fact or in appearance, and

- 6) not offer or give any unlawful gifts or gratuities, or engage in bribery or other criminal activity.
- D. The Owner encourages the CONSULTANT to advance and support ethical business conduct and practices among its directors, officers and employees, preferably through the adoption of corporate ethics awareness training programs and written codes of conduct.
- E. Although the CONSULTANT may employ relatives of Owner employees, the Owner must be made aware of such circumstances as soon as possible, preferably in writing, to ensure a conflict of interest situation does not arise. The Owner reserves the right to request that the CONSULTANT modify the work assignment of a relative of an Owner employee where a conflict of interest, or the appearance thereof, is deemed to exist.
- F. The CONSULTANT may hire former employees of the Owner. However, as a general rule, former employees of the Owner may neither appear nor practice before the Owner, nor receive compensation for services rendered on a matter before the Owner, for a period of *two years* following their separation from service with the Owner. In addition, former employees of the Owner are subject to a “*lifetime bar*” from appearing before the Owner or receiving compensation for services regarding any transaction in which they personally participated or which was under their active consideration during their tenure with the Owner.
- G. The CONSULTANT agrees to notify the Owner’s Office of Internal Affairs at 518-257-3193 of any activity by an employee of the Owner that is inconsistent with the contents of this Section.
- H. Any violation of these provisions shall justify termination of this Contract and may result in Owner’s rejection of the CONSULTANT’s bids or proposals for future contracts.

19. COOPERATION WITH INVESTIGATIONS

The CONSULTANT agrees to cooperate fully and faithfully with any investigation, audit or inquiry conducted by the Office of Professional Integrity (“OPI”) of the OWNER or any other duly authorized representative of the OWNER (“Representative”).

The CONSULTANT shall grant the OPI or the Representative the right to examine all books, records, files, accounts, computer records, documents and correspondence, including electronically-stored information, in the possession or control of the CONSULTANT, its subsidiaries and affiliated companies and any other company directly or indirectly controlled by the CONSULTANT, relating to the CONSULTANT. These shall include, but not be limited to: Subcontracts; bid files; payroll and personnel records; cancelled checks; correspondence; memoranda; reports; audits; vendor qualification records; original estimate files; change order/amendment estimate files; detailed worksheets; Subcontractor, CONSULTANT and supplier proposals for both successful and unsuccessful bids; back-charge logs; any records detailing cash, trade, or volume discounts earned; insurance proceeds, rebates or dividends received; payroll and personnel records; tax returns, and the supporting documentation for the aforesaid books and records. At the OPI’s or the Representative’s request, said materials shall be provided in a computer readable format, where available. At the request of the OPI or the

Representative, the CONSULTANT shall execute such documents, if any, as are necessary to give the OPI or the Representative access to Contract-related books, documents or records which are, in whole or part, under control of the CONSULTANT but not currently in the CONSULTANT's physical possession. The CONSULTANT shall not enter into any agreement with a Subcontractor, CONSULTANT or supplier, in connection with the Contract, that does not contain a right to audit clause in favor of the OWNER. The CONSULTANT shall assist the OPI or the Representative in obtaining access to past and present Subcontractor, CONSULTANT and supplier amendment/change order files (including detailed documentation covering negotiated settlements), accounts, computer records, documents, correspondence, and any other books and records in the possession of Subcontractors, CONSULTANTS and suppliers pertaining to the Contract, and, if appropriate, enforce the right-to-audit provisions of such agreements.

The CONSULTANT shall assist the OPI or the Representative in obtaining access to, interviews with, and information from all former and current persons employed and/or retained by the CONSULTANT, for purposes of the Contract.

The CONSULTANT shall require each Subcontractor to include in all agreements that the Subcontractor may hereinafter enter into with any and all Subcontractors, CONSULTANTS and suppliers, in connection with the Contract, a right-to-audit clause in favor of the OWNER conferring rights and powers of the type outlined in this section. The CONSULTANT shall not enter into any Subcontract with a Subcontractor in connection with the Contract that does not contain such a provision.

The CONSULTANT shall not make any payments to a Subcontractor, CONSULTANT or supplier from whom the CONSULTANT has failed to obtain and supply to the OPI or the Representative complete, accurate and truthful information in compliance with a request from the OPI or the Representative to the CONSULTANT.

Any violation of the provisions of this Article shall justify termination of this Contract and may result in the OWNER's rejection of the CONSULTANT's bids or proposals for future contracts.

20. FALSE STATEMENTS/INFORMATION

- A. False statements, information or data submitted on or with applications for payment may result in one or more of the following actions:
 - 1) Termination of the Contract
 - 2) Disapproval of future contracts and sub-contracts
 - 3) Withholding of final payment on the Contract
 - 4) Civil and/or criminal prosecution

- B. These provisions are solely for the benefit of the Owner, and any action or non-action hereunder by the Owner shall not give rise to any liability on the part of the Owner.

21. INVALID PROVISIONS

If any term or provision of the Contract or the application thereof to any person, firm or corporation, or circumstance shall, to any extent, be determined to be invalid or unenforceable, the remainder of the Contract, or the application of such terms or provisions to persons, firms or corporations, or circumstances other than those to which it is held invalid or unenforceable, shall not be affected thereby and each term or provision of the Contract shall be valid and be enforced to the fullest extent permitted by law.

22. CONFLICTING TERMS

In the event of a conflict between or among any parts of the Contract, including Appendices thereto, the better quality, greater quantity, or more costly part shall govern, unless the OWNER directs otherwise.

23. 2005 PROCUREMENT LOBBYING LAW

- A. Chapter 1 of the Laws of 2005, as amended by Chapter 596 of the Laws of 2005, requires proposers to affirm their understanding of and agreement to comply with State Finance Law § 139-j (3) and § 139-j (6) (b), certify their compliance with State Finance Law § 139-k (5), disclose prior non-responsibility determinations under State Finance Law § 139-j, and to certify that the information they provide with respect to State Finance Law § 139-j and § 139-k is complete, true and accurate.
- B. For any contract \$15,000 or more each proposer shall submit, with its proposal, on the form provided herewith, *SFL 139 Form 1: Professional's Certifications Pursuant to SFL § 139-j and § 139-k*. The information contained in *SFL 139 Form 1: Professional's Certifications Pursuant to SFL § 139-j and § 139-k* will serve as an informational resource to aid the Owner in making an award determination.
- C. The Owner reserves the right to terminate this contract in the event it is found that the certification filed by the Professional in accordance with State Finance Law § 139-j and § 139-k, as such may be amended or modified, was intentionally false or intentionally incomplete. Upon such finding, the Owner may exercise its termination right, such termination constituting a termination for cause, by providing written notification to the Professional in accordance with the terms of Article 7.A of this Contract – Termination for Cause.

24. NONCOMPLIANCE

This Contract may be void and of no effect unless the CONSULTANT complies with each of the provisions of these **ADDITIONAL ITEMS**.