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REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

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RFP NO.: 52170

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QUESTIONS DUE BY:	February 16, 2018	TIME: 2:00 P.M.
PROPOSAL DUE DATE:	March 13, 2018	TIME: 2:00 P.M.

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1. INFORMATION FOR PROPOSERS ON THIS REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

A. General Information: The Port Authority of New York and New Jersey

B. For background with respect to The Port Authority of New York and New Jersey (the "Authority" or "Port Authority"), see www.panynj.gov. Additionally, an electronic version of the Authority's most recent Annual Report is available at http://www.panynj.gov/corporate-information/annual-reports.html. The Port Authority is an agency of the States of New York and New Jersey, created and existing by virtue of the Compact of April 30, 1921, made by and between the two States, and thereafter consented to by the Congress of the United States. It is charged with providing transportation, terminal and other facilities of trade and commerce within the Port District. The Port District comprises an area of about 1,500 square miles in both States, centering about New York Harbor. The Port District includes the Cities of New York and Yonkers in New York State, and the cities of Newark, Jersey City, Bayonne, Hoboken and Elizabeth in the State of New Jersey, and over 200 other municipalities, including all or part of seventeen counties, in the two States. The Port Authority manages and/or operates all of the region's major commercial airports (Newark Liberty International, John F. Kennedy International, Teterboro, LaGuardia and Stewart International Airports), the two AirTrain® systems (JFK and Newark), marine terminals in both New Jersey and New York (Port Newark and Elizabeth, Howland Hook and Brooklyn Piers); and its interstate tunnels and bridges (the Lincoln and Holland Tunnels; the George Washington, Bayonne, and Goethals Bridges; and the Outerbridge Crossing), which are vital "Gateways to the Nation."

In addition, the Port Authority operates the Port Authority Bus Terminal in Manhattan, the largest facility of its kind in the world, and the George Washington Bridge and Journal Square Transportation Center bus stations. A key link in interstate commuter travel, the Port Authority also operates the Port Authority Trans-Hudson Corporation (PATH), a rapid rail transit system linking Newark, and the Jersey City and Hoboken waterfronts, with midtown and downtown Manhattan. Please refer to the website at www.panynj.gov for more information about the Port Authority's business areas, Facilities, services, program and press releases.

B. Brief Summary of Scope of Work

The Port Authority is hereby seeking proposals from qualified firms to provide a broad spectrum of marketing communications services that support the Authority's corporate and business objectives. This would include strategy, planning, execution and evaluation of communications programs across all media.

The Proposer's duties shall include, but not be limited to:

- i. Assist in developing marketing and other communications strategies for the Authority as a whole and for its specific business lines and facilities, including, but not limited to, branding; strategic communications plans; tactical communications and media plans to support specific initiatives; and communications and media research.
- ii. Create and/or produce specific communications projects in accordance with direction provided by the Authority's Marketing Communications Division for a variety of

audiences, including customers, the public, local communities and other stakeholders.

- iii. Develop media plans for approval by the Authority and place paid media as the Authority agency of record. Monitor billing and verify placements.
- iv. Develop communications that promote the Authority's revenue-generating services and assist in the development of communications or communications strategies for new markets as required by the Port Authority.
- v. Assist in developing communications strategies and producing communications products that bolster public support for the Authority's short- and long-term strategic public affairs agendas.

The selected Contractor must demonstrate the ability to provide a full range of marketing communications services and be able to comply with generally accepted billing and reporting practices. The Contractor should have all the necessary disciplines in house or demonstrate its ability to subcontract for these services efficiently.

The anticipated start date of this three-year Contract is July 16, 2018. After an initial threeyear Base Term, the Authority may exercise up to three, one-year Option Periods and one (1) one hundred twenty (120) day Extension Period.

C. Deadline for Receipt of Proposals

The due date specified on the cover page is the Proposal Due Date closing at 2:00 P.M., Eastern Standard Time (EST) on such date.

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING DELIVERY REQUIREMENTS CAREFULLY. Proposers assume all responsibility for delays or problems in delivery.

Proposal submissions will be received at:

The Port Authority of NY & NJ Attention: Proposal Custodian Procurement Department 4 World Trade Center 150 Greenwich Street, 21st Floor New York, NY 10007

Clearly mark the solicitation number on the outermost package.

At this address, proposals will be accepted via (1) regular mail, (2) express delivery service (e.g. UPS), or (3) hand delivery.

Express carrier deliveries by commercial vehicles can be made via vendors approved by Silverstein Properties, the 4 World Trade Center (4 WTC) Property Manager, through the Vehicle Security Center (VSC). Presently, UPS is the only delivery vendor with approved recurring delivery times.

There is extensive security at the World Trade Center Site. Individuals must present a valid government-issued photo ID to enter 4 WTC. Individuals without valid identification shall be turned away and their packages not accepted. Individuals without packages or carrying small

packages or boxes that can be conveyed by hand or on a hand truck may enter through the lobby. All envelopes, packages and boxes may be subject to additional security screening.

There is no parking available at 4 WTC/150 Greenwich Street, and parking in the surrounding area is extremely limited.

The Port Authority assumes no responsibility for delays caused by any delivery service.

D. Vendor Profile

To ensure maximum opportunities, it is vitally important that Proposers keep their vendor profiles up to date with an appropriate e-mail address, as this will enable their firm to receive timely notice of advertisements, reminders, solicitations and addenda. Proposers may update their vendor profile or register as a Port Authority Vendor by accessing the online registration system at <u>https://www.paprocure.com/.</u>

E. Submission of Proposals

One (1) reproducible original (containing original signatures and clearly designated as such) and fifteen (15) double-sided copies of the proposal must be submitted on or before the due date and time in accordance with the information on the cover page of this RFP and sent or delivered to the RFP Custodian at the address specified on the cover page. Each copy of the proposal as well as the parcel(s) used for shipping must be conspicuously marked with the Proposer's name and address as well as the Proposer's Vendor Number, if available. In addition, the outside of the package must clearly state the title of this RFP, the number of this RFP and the Proposal Due Date. Failure to properly label proposal submissions may cause a delay in identification, misdirection or disqualification of proposal submissions. Consistent with environmentally preferable procurement practices, the Port Authority requests all documents submitted to be in a form that can be easily recycled (i.e., no plastic covers or binding) and to provide only supporting literature which directly relates to the proposal being submitted.

F. Communications Regarding this RFP

All communications concerning this RFP should be directed to the Contact listed on the cover page. All questions regarding this RFP should be submitted in writing to the Contact at the e-mail address listed on the cover page no later than 2:00 p.m. (EST) on February 16, 2018.

The Contact is authorized only to direct the attention of prospective Proposers to various portions of this RFP so that they may read and interpret such portions themselves.

Neither the Contact nor any other employee of the Port Authority is authorized to interpret the provisions of this RFP or give additional information as to its requirements. If interpretation or other information is required, it will be communicated to Proposers by written addenda and such writing shall form a part of this RFP.

G. Proposal Acceptance or Rejection

Acceptance shall be only by mailing to or delivering at the office designated by the Proposer in its proposal, a notice in writing signed by an authorized representative on behalf of the Port Authority specifically stating that the proposal is accepted or by execution of an agreement covering the subject matter of this RFP signed by authorized representatives of the Port Authority and the Proposer. No other act of the Port Authority, its Commissioners, officers, agents, representatives, or employees shall constitute acceptance of a proposal. Rejection of a proposal shall be only by either (a) a notice in writing specifically stating that the proposal is not accepted, signed by an authorized representative of the Port Authority and mailed to or delivered to the Proposer at the office designated in the Proposal, or (b) omission of the Port Authority to accept the proposal within 180 days after the Proposal Due Date. No other act of the Port Authority, its Commissioners, officers, agents, representatives or employees shall constitute rejection of a proposal.

H. Union Jurisdiction

Proposers are advised to ascertain whether any union now represented or not represented at the facility will claim jurisdiction over any aspect of the operations to be performed hereunder and their attention is directed to the Section of this RFP entitled "Harmony" included in the "Standard Contract Terms and Conditions" hereunder.

I. City Payroll Tax

Proposers should be aware of the payroll tax imposed by the:

- a. City of Newark, New Jersey for services performed in Newark, New Jersey;
- b. City of New York, New York for services performed in New York, New York; and
- c. City of Yonkers, New York for services performed in Yonkers, New York.

These taxes, if applicable, are the sole responsibility of the Contractor. Proposers should consult their tax advisors as to the effect, if any, of these taxes. The Port Authority provides this notice for informational purposes only and is not responsible for either the imposition or administration of such taxes. The Port Authority exemption set forth in the paragraph entitled "Sales or Compensating Use Taxes", in the "Standard Contract Terms and Conditions" included herein, does not apply to these taxes.

J. Additional Proposer Information

Prospective Proposers are advised that additional vendor information, including, but not limited to forms, documents and other information, including MBE/WBE Participation Plan Submission Forms and protest procedures, may be found on the Port Authority website at: <u>http://www.panynj.gov/business-opportunities/become-vendor.html.</u>

K. Contractor Staff Background Screening

The Contractor awarded this Contract will be required to have its staff, and any subcontractor's staff working under this Contract, authorize the Authority or its designee to perform background checks. Such authorization shall be in a form acceptable to the Authority. The Contractor (and subcontractor) may also be required to use an organization designated by the Authority to perform the background checks.

L. Automated Clearing House Enrollment

The Port Authority of New York and New Jersey has transitioned to an electronic method of paying its vendors, contractors and consultants via an Automated Clearing House (ACH) funds transfer. It is the Port Authority's expectation that all vendors, contractors and consultants will be paid via an ACH funds transfer. To avoid delays in payment, vendors, contractors, and consultants should enroll in ACH and complete the Port Authority's

"Authorization Agreement For Direct Deposits And Direct Payments (ACH Credits)" form, which is available at <u>http://www.panynj.gov/business-opportunities/pdf/ach-authorization-form.pdf</u>. The Authorization Agreement shall remain in full force and effect until the Port Authority has received written notification from the vendor, contractor or consultant of its termination in such time and in such manner as to afford the Port Authority and the depository financial institution(s) a reasonable opportunity to act on it. Any questions on this process may be directed to the Comptrollers' Department ACH Enrollments contact line at 201 216-6002 or emailed to <u>ACHENROLLMENT@PANYNJ.GOV</u>.

M. Vendor Presentations

After review of all proposal submissions, an oral presentation to a selection committee and others, as appropriate, may be requested. It should be noted that firms selected to make presentations may receive short advance notice. Presentations will be limited to sixty (60) minutes, and include the material contained in your proposal. The presentation will be followed by an approximately thirty (30) minute question and answer session. Proposer's staff performing the presentation shall be led by the Project Manager that will lead a project for the Authority, who may be supported by no more than five (5) staff members who would be part of the team. Notification of presentation scheduling is made by email.

2. SCOPE OF WORK

A. BACKGROUND

Founded in 1921, The Port Authority of New York and New Jersey builds, operates, and maintains many of the most important transportation and trade infrastructure assets in the country. These assets include several major metropolitan airports (representing the largest passenger volume in the country), the East Coast's biggest seaport, the region's most active tunnels, bridges, and bus terminal, the World Trade Center, and the Port Authority Trans-Hudson rail transit system ("PATH"). The agency's network of aviation, ground, rail, and seaport facilities is among the busiest in the nation. To view the agency's annual report and Capital Plan, visit <u>www.panynj.gov</u>. The Port Authority's Marketing Department provides communications services in support of the Authority's assets and administers the communications services contract. The Marketing Department develops, implements, and coordinates with its internal business partners all corporate and line business marketing communications. This includes branding and messaging at both the business line and corporate levels, paid advertising, customer communications, social media, web content, and various audio/visual products.

Each marketing business unit works with the client department (e.g., Aviation, Ports, PATH rail rapid-transit and Tunnel, Bridges & Terminals ("TB&T") and the World Trade Center ("WTC")) and the marketing communications agency account group. The marketing communications agency will have a single point of contact for each business line.

Media and traditional public relations activities are managed by Port Authority Media Relations and are not included in the scope of this Contract. However, some public relations support services may be requested on a project basis. Similarly, Government and Community Relations activities, managed in-house, are not part of the scope of this Contract. Marketing Communications within the Port Authority cover a full spectrum of business activities that fall under two main categories: Corporate Communications and Line Business Communications. Below is a sample of the type of business activities that fall under each category. The scope of this Contract includes but is not limited to these activities, and the agency, at its discretion, may expand or limit them.

i) <u>Corporate Communications:</u>

Typical business activities include, but are not limited to:

- a) Overall brand positioning and organizational narrative;
- b) Social media strategy and optimization;
- c) Promotion of capital improvement and redevelopment programs;
- d) Security awareness campaigns;
- e) Environmental communications;
- f) Talent/Recruitment campaigns; and
- g) EEO diversity communications for recruitment or for construction and service procurement communications with vendors.
- ii) Line Business and Customer Communications:
- a) Aviation facilities include: John F. Kennedy International ("JFK"), LaGuardia ("LGA"), Newark Liberty International ("EWR"), Stewart International ("SWF") and Teterboro ("TEB") Airports, as well as AirTrain® JFK and AirTrain® Newark.
 - 1) **Typical communications programs include**: Airport access via various ground transportation options, including AirTrain® JFK and AirTrain® Newark; airport parking promotions, Business-to-Business communications related to marketing air cargo and airport slot availability to the airline industry, airport-specific customer communications (including during emergencies and events causing travel disruptions), and community outreach. Significant communications and potential branding efforts are required in connection with major airport redevelopment projects at LGA, EWR and JFK.
- b) **PATH**: The PATH rail rapid-transit system service is an interstate railroad that connects Essex and Hudson counties in New Jersey with both midtown and downtown Manhattan. It is also a major connection for transfer from NJ Transit's commuter rail and bus services to/from suburban New Jersey counties and MTA/NYCT subway and bus lines in Manhattan.
 - 1) **Typical communications programs include**: Service and schedule information; social media strategies and promotion for customer-oriented communication; promotion of fare media options, i.e., PATH SmartLink Card; utilizing PATHVISION digital screens, station assets and other point-of-service media as a communications channel.
 - 2) **Capital Projects:** There are several major capital improvement projects under way or planned for the PATH system that will require a significant customer communications due to project-related service changes. This includes the extension of PATH train from Newark Penn Station to EWR in New Jersey, continuing signal improvement work, station upgrades and platform extensions, as well as storm mitigation work (to repair the damage from Superstorm Sandy).

- c) **Port:** The Ports of New York and New Jersey, located in the heart of the Northeast Corridor, moves more than \$200 billion in cargo each year and has approximately seventy percent (70%) of our incoming vessels making the port their first port of call. The port's extensive transportation infrastructure and immediate access to over one-third of the nation's consumer market, including eastern Canada, provide more ways of reaching more people than any other port in the eastern or southern United States. It is a full-service port offering shippers competitive options for moving containerized, bulk and breakbulk cargo in and out of its six terminals and public berths.
 - 1) **Typical communications programs include:** the creation and distribution of content that attracts shippers to connect with a team of customer relations experts and engages audiences online. Some examples are service schedule tip ins for maritime trade publications, podcasts, email blasts, case studies and profiles, digital and print ads, and video.
 - 2) **Capital Projects:** Significant infrastructure investments, such as raising the Bayonne Bridge, on port roadway and rail infrastructure investments, the NY/NJ port is primed to become the leading port in the nation.
- d) Tunnels, Bridges & Terminals ("TB&T") facilities include: The George Washington Bridge, Bayonne and Goethals Bridges, the Outerbridge Crossing, the Lincoln and Holland Tunnels, and the Port Authority Bus Terminal and George Washington Bridge Bus Station.
 - 1) **Typical communications programs include**: Bus terminal/station retail service promotions; E-ZPass marketing and customer information; construction communications for projects at bridge and tunnel crossings; toll option communications; major capital construction with significant impact on travel is nearly complete on the Bayonne and Goethals Bridges.
 - 2) Capital Projects: A 10-year Capital Improvement Program comprised of eleven (11) projects at the George Washington Bridge, replacement of the Lincoln Tunnel "Helix," and planning for a new Port Authority Bus Terminal in Midtown Manhattan are among the major capital investments that will require a broad spectrum of marketing communications support during the term of this Contract.

B SCOPE OF ASSIGNMENT

The Contractor will assist in the development and implementation of marketing communications plans, develop creative materials, oversee production, and plan and buy media for the Port Authority.

Subject to the specific written authorization of the Marketing Department Director, including written approval of project cost estimates, services shall include, but are not limited to:

1. Strategy and Planning

The Contractor shall provide strategic communications planning and creative services, as requested, for the overall Port Authority and for specific line businesses and facilities. The Contractor shall draw upon its resources to offer expert advice on

subjects that encompass the full spectrum of marketing communications activities including but not be limited to:

- a. <u>Campaigns</u> The bulk of the advertising/marketing communications campaigns for which the Contractor shall be called to consult are related to line business (Aviation, TB&T, Port, and PATH) objectives as they support the overall business objectives of the Port Authority. Each of these business lines, and in some cases individual facilities that are part of them, have specific business objectives and discreet markets. Strategies must take into account the characteristics of each of these markets and must be consistent with overall Port Authority business and market objectives. The Contractor shall provide vision for any number of campaigns with recommendations for creative and media strategies, as well associated disciplines which are traditionally managed in-house by the Port Authority.
- b. <u>Branding</u> Working within already established brand strategies and practices, the Contractor shall provide strategic advice on making reasonable adjustments to brand standards as well as recommendations on how they should fit within the Authority's existing brand architecture or an evolved iteration thereof. The Contractor may be called upon to evolve or expand upon the Authority's brand management system.
- c. <u>Social Media and Digital Communications Strategies</u> The Port Authority manages its social media messaging in house. Similarly, web content is developed, for the most part, using Port Authority staff resources. While day-to-day management activities are centered inside the Port Authority, the Contractor may be called upon to consult on a variety of issues or questions surrounding these activities.
- d. <u>Research</u> As needed, the Contractor shall recommend both quantitative and qualitative research projects to support both line business and overall Port Authority communications programs. Methodologies may include, but not be limited to surveys, ethno-graphic research, focus groups, in-depth interviews, audience and internet-based research and polling.

2. Creating and Designing Advertising, Collateral and Materials

The Contractor shall concept creative platforms as requested and develop, design, produce, and place advertisements in all media to support approved Port Authority campaigns. The Contractor may also be called upon to create, design and produce various communications collateral and other communications materials. In most instances, the Authority will request three (3) creative concepts to be provided for a proposed advertisement or project. Final selection will be at the sole discretion of the Port Authority.

a. <u>Online/Digital</u> – Design and produce media-specific online, email marketing and digital advertising. Assist with creating social media content, such as info graphics, crafted for specific audiences to grow the Authority's social media identity. Develop mobile and social apps, and web videos, and provide analytics to measure and identify patterns to assemble an accurate picture of online behavior. Ensure these programs are integrated with existing communications.

- b. <u>Broadcast</u> -- When requested, write scripts for terrestrial and digital radio and, on occasion, television advertising; arrange for recording and traffic of broadcast spots; recommend, hire and manage talent.
- c. <u>Out-Of-Home ("OOH")</u> Design OOH advertising for both paid and Port Authority-owned OOH outlets. The Port Authority, through its revenue advertising contractor, has access to OOH outlets on the PATH system, the Port Authority Bus Terminal and George Washington Bridge Bus Stations, AirTrain® JFK, AirTrain® Newark, and the region's airports. The Port Authority will request materials to be designed.
- d. <u>Print</u> Depending upon the campaign and the target markets, develop appropriate creative for advertising in New York/New Jersey regional daily and weekly newspapers; general interest magazines; and trade magazines.
- e. <u>Video Production</u> As requested, develop concepts for all types of video, particularly video appropriate for social media or Web. Recommend producers and assist in the selection of production houses, supervise overall production and deliver final products in appropriate formats.
- f. <u>Collateral</u> -- Design and produce text, artwork, and mechanicals for collateral materials including, but not limited to, brochures, posters, direct mail, digital and social media messaging and graphics, sales kits, exhibits, leaflets, specialty advertising items and other materials.

3. Media Planning and Buying

- a) As dictated by approved strategic plans, the Contractor shall develop paid media plans for review and approval by the Authority. Plans will include costs, audience characteristics and demographics, along with metrics; timing and deadlines for reservations and materials.
- b) Based on budgets, strategies and other factors, the Contractor shall recommend specific media channels as well as particular media outlets that will most appropriately enable the Authority to achieve its strategic communications objectives.
- c) Media buying will be net of commission. The Authority will compensate the Contractor for time and materials. The Contractor may buy the media on the Authority's behalf and bill the Authority the net cost of the media. In some cases, at its discretion, the Authority may require media to bill the Authority directly.
- d) When applicable, place Authority legal and classified advertising (including but not limited to, bid and contract offerings, recruitment advertising, etc.), including the creation of such advertisements as needed, and the purchase of advertising space in publications as directed by the Authority.
- e) Auditing all advertising placed, including the verification of advertising actually run, examining the quality of reproduction and positioning of printed and OOH advertisements, auditing all electronic media, affidavits of performance, and auditing and verifying all invoices for placement.

4. Production Management

Subject to the review and approval of the Authority, the Contractor shall produce and deliver, or shall arrange for the production and delivery by appropriate professional firms, such advertising, collateral, and other marketing communications material to the Authority at the times and in the quantities required by the Authority. At the

request of the Authority, the Contractor shall provide all artwork, text mechanicals and other pertinent materials to the Authority for the Authority's use.

5. Other Categories (as needed)

- a. <u>Trade Shows, Events</u>: When applicable, coordinate and perform promotional and communications services for activities, events and special events, consumer and trade promotions, sponsorship marketing, and facility entertainment programs as required by the Authority.
- b. <u>Fulfillment</u>: Provide distribution and fulfillment services including mailing house and shipping and delivery services, as required by the Port Authority.

6. Timelines, Estimates, Final Costs

- a. For each project requested by the Authority hereunder, you shall prepare a "start to finish" timeline and cost estimate, including categories and details requested by the Authority, which shall be provided to the Authority for the Authority's approval. In addition, you shall provide a monthly project status report for all projects, on the first business day of each month. Midway assessments shall be conducted to ensure the team is working within the established estimate.
- b. If the cost estimate exceeds the original amount by more than ten percent (10%), a revised estimate will be submitted for approval by the Authority before work on the project continues. At the conclusion of the project, the Contractor shall provide a final project reconciliation containing such information in detail as may be requested by the Authority.

3. PROPOSER PREREQUISITES

Only Proposers who can demonstrate that they comply with the following should submit proposals as only proposals from such Proposers will be considered:

- A. The Proposer shall have had at least three (3) years of continuous experience immediately prior to the date of the submission of its proposal in the management and operation of a business which provides marketing communications services, and has actually engaged in providing these services to commercial and industrial accounts under contract. The Proposer may fulfill this prerequisite if it can demonstrate that the persons or entities owning and controlling the Proposer have had a cumulative total of at least the same number of and type of direct continuous experience immediately prior to the submission of this proposal as is required of the Proposer, or has owned and controlled other entities which meet the requirement. See Attachment C PROPOSER REFERENCE FORM.
- B. The Proposer shall demonstrate that it has earned gross revenues of at least six million dollars (\$6,000,000.00) a year for the past three (3) fiscal or calendar year(s) from the type of services or products described herein.
- C. In the event a proposal is submitted by a joint venture the foregoing prerequisites will be considered with respect to such Proposal as follows:

With respect to subparagraph (A) above, the prerequisite will be considered satisfied if the joint venture itself, or any of its participants individually, can meet the requirements. With respect to subparagraph (B) the gross income of the joint venture itself may meet

the prerequisites or the gross income of the participants in the joint venture may be considered cumulatively to meet the prerequisite.

If the proposal is submitted by a common law joint venture, a joint venture that has not been established as a distinct legal entity, each participant of the joint venture shall be held jointly and severally liable and must individually execute and perform all acts required by this proposal. Documents signed by a common law joint venture, in connection with this proposal, shall include the names of all participants of the joint venture followed by the words "acting jointly and severally". All joint venture proposers must provide documentation of their legal status.

- D. All Proposers must include documentation that they meet the above prerequisites.
- E. By furnishing this solicitation document to Proposers, the Port Authority has not made a determination that the Proposers have met the prerequisites or have otherwise been deemed qualified to perform the services. In addition, a determination that a Proposer has met the prerequisites is no assurance that they will be deemed qualified in connection with other proposal requirements included herein.

4. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

The Proposer will be required to demonstrate that it is financially capable of performing the contract resulting from this RFP ("Contract"). The determination of the Proposer's financial qualifications and ability to perform this Contract will be in the sole discretion of the Port Authority. The Proposer shall submit, with its proposal, the following:

A. (1) Certified financial statements, including applicable notes, reflecting the Proposer's assets, liabilities, net worth, revenues, expenses, profit or loss and cash flow for the most recent year or the Proposer's most recent fiscal year.

(2) Where the certified financial statements in (1) above are not available, then reviewed statements from an independent accountant setting forth the aforementioned information shall be provided.

(3) Where the statements submitted pursuant to subparagraphs (1) and (2) aforementioned do not cover a period which includes a date not more than forty-five days prior to the Proposal Due Date, then the Proposer shall also submit a statement in writing, signed by an executive officer or his/her designee, that the present financial condition of the Proposer is at least as good as that shown on the statements submitted.

- B. A statement of work which the Proposer has on hand, including any work on which a bid and/or proposal has been submitted, containing a description of the work, the annual dollar value, the location by City and State, the current percentage of completion, the expected date for completion, and the name of an individual most familiar with the Proposer's work on these jobs.
- C. The name and address of the Proposer's banking institution, chief banking representative handling the Proposer's account, the Proposer's Federal Employer Identification Number (i.e., the number assigned to firms by the Federal Government for tax purposes), the Proposer's Dun and Bradstreet number, if any, the name of any credit service to which the

Proposer furnished information and the number, if any, assigned by such service to the Proposer's count.

5. EVALUATION CRITERIA AND RANKING

All proposals will be reviewed by the Port Authority to determine if they adhere to the format required in this RFP, if they contain all required submissions and if the Proposer meets the prerequisites required for submission of a Proposal. For Proposals meeting such requirements, the following criteria, set forth in order of importance, will be utilized in the evaluation of proposals.

A. Firm Experience with Similar Clients

The extent of the proposer's relevant experience in providing marketing/communications services in any or all of the following businesses: public transportation, aviation, maritime transportation, infrastructure development, engineering, and international trade. Particular emphasis will be placed on the firms' demonstrated experience, if any, working with public sector clients, and/or demonstrated experience or knowledge of the above-mentioned business in the New York/New Jersey region.

B. Staff Qualifications and Experience

The extent to which the Proposer's managerial and supervisory personnel proposed to be assigned to the Port Authority's account have experience in implementing and managing similar services in a similar environment, using staff resources comparable in size to that necessary for the services to be provided hereunder.

C. Technical Expertise and Experience

- (1) Documented experience in providing a full range of advertising and marketing communications services.
- (2) Demonstrated capabilities to perform all tasks associated with this Contract utilizing in-house resources or subcontractors, as appropriate, with particular focus on the following disciplines: creative, strategic communications, and media planning and buying.
- (3) Demonstrated talent with producing advertising and major marketing communications featuring state-of the art design, production quality and excellent written content; expertise with interpreting correctly the objective of client communications, executing the communication and providing measurements of the results of the communication.
- (4) The creativity and quality of the Proposer's marketing communications experience vis-à-vis the Scope of Work and the creativity and quality of similar services provided to other clients that are relevant to the Port Authority's advertising and marketing communications needs.
- (5) The clarity and feasibility of the Proposal.

D. Management Approach

(1) The extent to which the Proposer articulates a clear management approach and philosophy, particularly regarding client/agency relations, brand management methodologies, and strategic approaches to all media; especially digital, and how the agency collaborates with clients in providing vision for its marketing/communications programs.

- (2) The extent to which the Proposer's managerial and supervisory personnel proposed to be assigned to the Authority's account have experience in implementing and managing similar services in a similar environment using staff comparable in size to that necessary for the services to be provided hereunder.
- (3) The Proposer has demonstrated skill to handle a high volume of diverse projects.
- (4) Proposer will ensure compliance with insurance requirements as stated in Attachment B, Section I, Item # 11.
- (5) The Proposer's written MBE/WBE sub contracting participation plan, background check plan and business risk* will all be evaluated as part of the management approach criterion.
- * Consideration will be given to the degree of business risk assumed by the Port Authority. This will include, but not be limited to, assessment of the impact resulting from the possible failure of the Contractor to perform under the terms and conditions of this Contract. As part of the evaluation, business risk will also be measured by the Port Authority's assessment of its ability to immediately replace the Contractor in a manner that maintains or improves the quality and continuity of the services.

E. Cost

The Authority desires the Proposers to offer a single hourly billing rate for all agency services, which must be submitted on Attachment G. The cost-effectiveness to the Authority of the single hourly billing rate, combined with any other proposed compensation will constitute evaluation criteria for the cost proposal.

6. MBE/WBE SUBCONTRACTING PROVISIONS

The Port Authority has a long-standing practice of making its business opportunities available to Minority Business Enterprises (MBEs) and Women-owned Business Enterprises (WBEs) and has taken affirmative steps to encourage such firms to seek business opportunities with the Port Authority.

The Contractor shall use every good faith effort to provide for participation by Port Authority Certified Minority Business Enterprises (MBEs) and Port Authority Certified Women-owned Business Enterprises (WBEs) in all purchasing and subcontracting opportunities associated with this Contract, including purchase of equipment, supplies and labor services.

The Contractor shall use good faith efforts to achieve participation equivalent to a combined thirty percent (30%) of the total Contract price for Port Authority Certified MBEs and Port Authority Certified WBEs.

Good faith efforts to include and facilitate participation by MBE/WBEs shall include, but not be limited to the following:

- a. Dividing the services and materials to be procured into smaller portions, where feasible.
- b. Giving reasonable advance notice of specific contracting, subcontracting and purchasing opportunities to such MBE/WBEs as may be appropriate.
- c. Soliciting services and materials from a Port Authority certified MBE/WBE. To access the Port Authority's Directory of MBE/WBE Port Authority certified firms, go to http://www.panynj.gov/business-opportunities/sd-mwsdbe-profile.html.

- d. Ensuring that provision is made to provide progress payments to MBE/WBEs as defined in the prompt payment provision below.
- e. Observance of reasonable commercial standards of fair dealing in the respective trade or business.

Proposers are directed to use form PA3760C as the recording mechanism for the MBE/WBE Participation Plan, annexed hereto as Attachment D or may be downloaded at http://www.panynj.gov/business-opportunities/become-vendor.html.

Proposers shall include with their Proposals a MBE/WBE Participation Plan for each MBE/WBE subcontractor, to be reviewed and approved by the Authority's Office of Business Diversity and Civil Rights (OBDCR).

Each MBE/WBE Participation Plan submitted by the Proposer to the Port Authority shall contain, at a minimum, the following:

- Identification of the MBE/WBE: Provide the name and address of the MBE/WBE included in the Plan. If none are identified, describe the process for selecting participant firms in order to achieve the good faith goals under this Contract.
- Level of Participation: Indicate the dollar value and percentage of MBE/WBE participation expected to be achieved.
- Scope of Work: Describe the specific scope of work the MBE/WBEs will perform.

The MBE/WBE subcontractors listed on the MBE/WBE Participation Plans must be certified by the Port Authority in order for the Contractor to receive credit toward the MBE/WBE goals set forth in this Contract.

Please go to <u>http://www.panynj.gov/business-opportunities/sd-mwsdbe-profile.html</u> to search for MBE/WBEs by a particular commodity or service. The Port Authority makes no representation as to the financial responsibility of these firms or their ability to perform work under this Contract.

Subsequent to Contract award, all changes to any of the MBE/WBE Participation Plans must be submitted via a Modified MBE/WBE Participation Plan to the Manager for review and approval by the Authority's Office of Business Diversity and Civil Rights. For submittal of modifications to the MBE/WBE Participation Plan, Contractors are directed to use form PA3760D, which may be downloaded at <u>http://www.panynj.gov/business-opportunities/become-vendor.html</u>. The Contractor shall not make changes to its approved MBE/WBE Participation Plan or substitute MBE/WBE subcontractors or suppliers for those named in their approved plan without the Manager's prior written approval. Unauthorized changes or substitutions, including performing the work designated for a subcontractor with the Contractor's own forces, shall be a violation of this section. Progress toward attainment of MBE/WBE participation goals set forth herein will be monitored throughout the duration of this Contract.

The Contractor shall also submit to the Manager, along with invoices, a Statement of Subcontractor Payments, PA3968, which may be downloaded at http://www.panynj.gov/business-opportunities/become-vendor.html. The Statement must include the name and business address of each MBE/WBE subcontractor and supplier

actually involved in the Contract, a description of the work performed and/or product or service supplied by each such subcontractor or supplier, the date and amount of each expenditure, and such other information that may assist the Manager in determining the Contractor's compliance with the foregoing provisions.

Prompt Payment/Retainage

The Contractor agrees to pay each subcontractor under this Contract, for satisfactory performance of its subcontract, no later than ten (10) days from the receipt of each payment the Contractor receives from the Authority. The Contractor agrees further to return retainage payments, if any to each subcontractor within ten (10) days after the subcontractors' work is satisfactorily completed. Any delay or postponement of payment from the above referenced timeframe may occur only for good cause following written approval of the Authority.

MBE/WBE Conditions of Participation

MBE/WBE participation will be counted toward meeting the MBE/WBE contract goal, subject to all of the following conditions:

A. Commercially Useful Function. An MBE/WBE is considered to perform a commercially useful function when it is responsible for the execution of a distinct element of work on a contract and carries out its responsibilities by actually performing, managing, and supervising the work involved in accordance with normal industry practice. Regardless of whether an arrangement between the Contractor and the MBE/WBE represent standard industry practice, if the arrangement erodes the ownership, control or independence of the MBE/WBE or in any other way does not meet the commercially useful function requirement, that firm shall not be included in determining whether the MBE/WBE goal is met and shall not be included in MBE/WBE reports. If this occurs with respect to a firm identified as an MBE/WBE, the Contractor shall receive no credit toward the MBE/WBE goal and may be required to backfill the participation. An MBE/WBE does not perform a commercially useful function if its role is limited to that of an extra participant in a transaction or contract through which funds are passed in order to obtain the appearance of MBE/WBE participation. An MBE/WBE may rebut a determination by the Authority that the MBE/WBE is not performing a commercially useful function to the Authority.

B. Work Force. The MBE/WBE must employ a work force (including administrative and clerical staff) separate and apart from that employed by the Contractor, other Subcontractors on the contract, or their Affiliates. This does not preclude the employment by the MBE/WBE of an individual that has been previously employed by another firm involved in the Contract, provided that the individual was independently recruited by the MBE/WBE in accordance with customary industry practice. The routine transfer of work crews from another employer to the MBE/WBE shall not be allowed.

C. Supervision. All Work performed by the MBE/WBE must be controlled and supervised by the MBE/WBE without duplication of supervisory personnel from the Contractor, other Subcontractors on the contract, or their Affiliates. This does not

preclude routine communication between the supervisory personnel of the MBE/WBE and other supervisors necessary to coordinate the Work.

D. Equipment. MBE/WBE subcontractors may supplement their equipment by renting or leasing additional equipment in accordance with customary industry practice. If the MBE/WBE obtains equipment from the Contractor, their affiliates and other subcontractors performing Work on the Contract, the MBE/WBE shall provide documentation to the Authority demonstrating that similar equipment and terms could not be obtained at a lower cost from other customary sources of equipment. The required documentation shall include copies of the rental or leasing agreements, and the names, addresses and terms quoted by other sources of equipment.

Counting MBE/WBE Participation

The value of the Work performed by an MBE/WBE, with its own equipment, with its own forces, and under its own supervision will be counted toward the goal, provided the utilization is a commercially useful function. An MBE/WBE prime contractor shall still provide opportunities for participation by other MBE/WBEs. Work performed by MBE/WBEs will be counted as set forth below. If the Authority determines that some or all of the MBE/WBEs work does not constitute a commercially useful function, only the portion of the work considered to be a commercially useful function will be credited toward the goal.

A. Subcontractors. One hundred percent (100%) of the value of the Work to be performed by an MBE/WBE subcontractor will be counted toward the MBE/WBE goal. The value of such Work includes the cost of materials and supplies purchased by the MBE/WBE, except the cost of supplies or equipment leased from the Contractor, other Subcontractors or their affiliates will not be counted. When an MBE/WBE subcontracts part of the work of its contract to another firm, the value of the subcontracted work may be counted toward MBE/WBE goals only if the MBE/WBE subcontractor is itself an MBE/WBE. Work that an MBE/WBE subcontracts to a non-MBE/WBE firm does not count toward MBE/WBE goals.

B. Manufacturers/Fabricators. One hundred percent (100%) of the expenditure to an MBE/WBE manufacturer or fabricator will be counted towards the MBE/WBE goal.

C. Material Suppliers. Sixty percent (60%) of the expenditure to an MBE/WBE material supplier will be counted toward the MBE/WBE goal. Packagers, brokers, manufacturer's representatives, or other persons who arrange or expedite transactions are not material suppliers within the meaning of this paragraph.

D. Broker's/Manufacturer's Representatives. One hundred percent (100%) of fees or commissions charged for assistance in the procurement of the materials and supplies, or fees for transportation charges for the delivery of materials or supplies provided by an MBE/WBE broker/manufacturer's representative will be counted toward the MBE/WBE goal, provided they are determined by the Authority to be reasonable and not excessive as compared with fees customarily allowed for similar services. The cost of the materials and supplies themselves will not be counted.

E. Services. One hundred percent (100%) of fees or commissions charged by an MBE/WBE for providing a bona fide service, such as professional, technical, consultant, or managerial services, or for providing bonds or insurance specifically required for the performance of the Work will be counted toward the MBE/WBE goal, provided the fee is reasonable and not excessive as compared with fees customarily allowed for similar services.

F. Trucking Operations. If using an MBE/WBE firm for trucking operations, the MBE/WBE trucking firm of record is the firm that is listed on the MBE/WBE Participation Plan. The MBE/WBE trucking firm shall own and operate at least one registered, insured, and fully operational truck used for the performance of the Work and shall be responsible for the management and supervision of the entire trucking operation for which it is responsible on a particular contract, and there cannot be a contrived arrangement for the purpose of meeting the MBE/WBE goal. The MBE/WBE trucking firm of record shall control the day-to-day MBE/WBE trucking operations for performance of the Work, and shall be responsible for (1) negotiating and executing rental/leasing agreements; (2) hiring and terminating the work force; (3) coordinating the daily trucking needs with the Contractor; and (4) scheduling and dispatching trucks.

1. MBE/WBE Owned/Leased Trucks. One hundred percent (100%) of the value of the trucking operations the MBE/WBE provides for the performance of the Work using trucks it owns or leases on a long-term basis that are registered, insured, and operated by the MBE/WBE using drivers it employs, will be counted toward the MBE/WBE goal.

2. MBE/WBE Short-Term Leased Trucks. The MBE/WBE may lease trucks on a short-term basis from another MBE/WBE, including an owner/operator who is Port Authority certified as an MBE/WBE. One hundred percent (100%) of the value of the trucking operations that the lessee MBE/WBE provides will be counted toward the MBE/WBE goal.

3. Non-MBE/WBE Trucks. The MBE/WBE may lease trucks on a short-term basis from a non-MBE/WBE, including an owner-operator. One hundred percent (100%) of the fee or commission the MBE/WBE receives as a result of the lease arrangement will be counted toward the MBE/WBE goal. The value of the trucking operations provided by the lessee will not be counted toward the MBE/WBE goal.

G. Joint Venture. Joint ventures between MBE/WBEs and non-MBE/WBEs may be counted toward the MBE/WBE goal in proportion to the total dollar value of the contract equal to the distinct, clearly defined portion of the work of the contract that the MBE/WBE performs with its own forces. Please contact the Office of Business Diversity and Civil Rights at (201) 395-3958 for more information about requirements for such joint ventures.

7. CERTIFICATION OF RECYCLED MATERIALS PROVISION

Proposers shall submit, with their proposal, Attachment F the Certified Environmentally Preferable Products / Practices Form attesting that the products or items offered by the Proposer contain the minimum percentage of post-consumer recovered material in accordance with the most recent guidelines issued by the United States Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA"), or, for commodities not so covered, the minimum percentage of post-consumer recovered materials established by other applicable regulatory agencies.

Recycling Definitions:

For purposes of this solicitation, the following definitions shall apply:

- a. "Recovered Material" means any waste material or by-product that has been recovered or diverted from solid waste, excluding those materials and by-products generated from, and commonly reused within, an original manufacturing process.
- b. "Post-consumer Material" means any material or finished product that has served its intended use and has been discarded for disposal or recovery having completed its life as a consumer item. "Post-consumer material" is included in the broader category of "Recovered Material".
- c. "Pre-consumer Material" means any material or by-product generated after the manufacture of a product but before the product reaches the consumer, such as damaged or obsolete products. Pre-consumer Material does not include mill and manufacturing trim, scrap, or broken material that is generated at a manufacturing site and commonly reused on-site in the same or another manufacturing process.
- d. "Recycled Product" means a product that contains the highest amount of postconsumer material practicable, or when post-consumer material is impracticable for a specific type of product, contains substantial amounts of Pre-consumer Material.
- e. "Recyclable Product" means the ability of a product and its packaging to be reused, reconditioned for use, or recycled through existing recycling collection programs.
- f. "Waste Reducing Product" means any product that will result in less waste generated due to its use rather than another product designed to serve the same function with a greater waste generation rate. This shall include, but not be limited to, those products that can be reused, refilled or have a longer life expectancy and contain a lesser amount of toxic constituents.

8. PROPOSAL SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

In order to expedite the evaluation of proposals, the Proposer's response to this RFP shall follow the format and order of items, using the same paragraph identifiers, as set forth below.

A. Letter of Transmittal

The Proposer shall submit a letter on its letterhead, signed by an authorized representative, stating its experience and qualifications in meeting the requirements of this RFP. This letter shall include a statement on whether the Proposer is submitting a proposal as a single entity, a joint venture, or is partnering with another firm in a prime/subcontracting relationship. In all cases, information required for a single entity is required for each participant in a joint venture.

The Letter of Transmittal shall contain:

- (1) Name and address of the Proposer and an original signature on the Letter of Transmittal by an authorized representative on behalf of the Proposer;
- (2) Name(s), title(s) and telephone number(s) of the individual(s) who are authorize to negotiate and execute the Contract;
- (3) Name, title and telephone number of a contact person to which the Port Authority can address questions or issues related to this RFP;
- (4) Name and address of proposed subcontractors, if any;
- (5) If a corporation: (a) a statement of the names and residences of its officers, and (b) a copy of its Certificate of Incorporation, with a written declaration signed by the secretary of the corporation, with the corporate seal affixed thereto, that the copy furnished is a true copy of the Certificate of Incorporation as of the date of the opening of the Proposals;
- If a partnership: a statement of the names and residences of its principal officers, indicating which are general and which are special partners;

If an individual: a statement of residence;

If a joint venture: information on each of the parties consistent with the information requested above; if the Contract is awarded to a common law joint venture (a partnership of business entities) each member will be jointly and severally liable under the Contract.

B. Executive Summary

The Proposer shall submit a summary presenting the major features of its proposal and how the proposal satisfies the requirements contained in this RFP, as well as the special competencies and expertise of the Proposer to meet the requirements of this RFP.

C. Agreement on Terms of Discussion

The Proposer shall submit a copy of the "Agreement on Terms of Discussion," signed by an authorized representative of the Proposer. The Agreement format is included as Attachment A and shall be submitted by the Proposer without any alterations or deviations. Any Proposer who fails to sign the Port Authority's "Agreement on Terms of Discussion" will not have its proposal reviewed. If the Proposer is a joint venture, an authorized representative of each party must sign the Agreement.

D. Certifications With Respect to the Contractor's Integrity Provisions

The Proposer, by signing the Letter of Transmittal, makes the certifications in the "Contractor's Integrity Provisions," included in Attachment B, Part III entitled, "Standard Contract Terms and Conditions" of this RFP. If the Proposer cannot make any such certifications, it shall enclose an explanation of that inability.

E. Code of Ethics for Port Authority Vendors

The Proposer's attention is directed to the Port Authority's "Code of Ethics for Port Authority Vendors." Vendors must certify in writing that they will comply with every aspect of this Code. The Proposer should submit an executed Compliance Certification with their proposal. The Compliance Certification, once executed, will be a material and integral part of any contract resulting from this solicitation. The Code of Ethics and the Compliance Certification can be found on the Port Authority's website at https://www.panynj.gov/business-opportunities/become-vendor.html.

F. Documentation of Proposer Prerequisites

The Proposer shall submit documentation to demonstrate that it meets all prerequisites, if any, included herein.

G. Proposal

The Proposer must submit a proposal that details and clearly describes its experience and capability to perform the advertising and marketing communications services to the Marketing Department in support of the Port Authority's line businesses (Aviation, Port, TB&T and PATH) as well as corporate initiatives including promotion of capital improvements, security awareness, environmental and diversity communications described in this RFP, its approach to such work and the cost of such work to the Port Authority. At a minimum, the proposal shall address the following:

1. Firm Experience with Similar Clients

The Proposer shall submit a listing of three (3) of the most relevant advertising and marketing communications contracts that are similar in scope to this assignment and were performed by or are currently being performed by the Proposer within the last three (3) years. (The proposer may also include the names only of any additional relevant contracts.)

For each of the three (3) contracts listed, include:

- a) The name and address of the contracting party;
- b) The locations where the work was performed;
- c) Duration of the contract;
- d) The approximate dollar amount of the contract;
- e) The annual staff hours of full and part time labor expended in the performance of the contract;
- f) A summary of the types (and breadth) of work performed;
- g) The names, e-mail addresses, addresses, and telephone numbers of the representatives familiar with the work that the Port Authority may contact.

2. Staff Qualifications and Experience

a) The Proposers managerial and supervisory personnel should demonstrate experience in implementing and managing similar services in a similar environment, using staff resources comparable in size to that necessary for the services to be provided hereunder.

- b) The Proposer shall provide a statement on how the firm's accomplishments and the staff's talents demonstrate its range of advertising and marketing communications services.
- c) The Proposer should provide a statement indicating the qualifications and experience of managerial and supervisory personnel employed by the firm who are required to be exclusively dedicated to the Contract, including:
 - i. Their length of service with the firm;
 - ii. The anticipated function of each person on the Contract;
- iii. A summary of the relevant experience of each person listed;
- iv. The resumes of the individuals who are being recommended for these positions should be included in the Proposal;
- v. Proposers shall identify for each individual if he or she will be dedicated exclusively to the Port Authority account or will be a shared resource amongst other accounts; and
- vi. Before any replacement staff assignments, the Contractor shall provide a summary of their experience and qualifications for review and approval of the Port Authority.

3. Technical Expertise and Experience

- i. The Proposer shall provide demonstrated capabilities to perform all task associated with this contract utilizing in-house resources or subcontractors, as appropriate, with particular focus on the following disciplines: strategic planning, creative, integrated marketing, and media planning and buying.
- ii. The Proposer shall submit to the Port Authority, a detailed itemized description explaining technical expertise and past experience the Proposer has in utilization of technological advances in print, digital, web, social, and film media.
- iii. The Proposer shall submit a sample of one of its own campaigns that the Proposer believes demonstrates its qualifications for performing the Scope of Work. The sample should include the following: an integrated communications plan including media recommendation and one sample of print advertising creative, digital advertising creative, collateral creative, and a social media component.
- iv. The Proposer shall provide an illustrative strategic framework that it deems to be responsive to one of the core challenges facing the Port Authority and could serve as the foundation for an integrated campaign. (No creative required)

4. Management Approach

i. The Proposer shall articulate a clear management approach and philosophy, particularly regarding client/agency relations, brand

management methodologies, and strategic approaches to all media, especially digital, and how the agency collaborates with clients in providing vision for its marketing/communications programs.

- ii. The Proposer shall indicate the total number of full-time (minimum thirty (30) hours per week) employees currently employed by the firm and the number employed in each of the preceding three (3) years.
- iii. The Proposer shall show the number of full time and part time employees to be utilized in providing these services, including supervisory staff. The Proposer shall submit a plan to minimize employee turnover. It is the Port Authority's preference to have the Proposers submit a staffing plan that maximizes the use of full time employees.
- iv. The Proposer shall provide a complete description of how it intends to implement and manage the required services hereunder, including any information that it believes would be helpful to the Port Authority in assessing its ability to provide the services described in the RFP.
- v. The Proposal must include the Proposer's plan to ensure compliance with the insurance requirements of this Contract. (See Attachment B, Section I, paragraph 12.)
- vi. The Proposer shall provide proof of current and valid workers' compensation insurance, in accordance with the requirements of this Contract.
- vii. The Proposer's MBE/WBE Participation Plan, in accordance with the MBE/WBE Subcontracting Provisions hereunder, background check plan and business risk shall be submitted and will all be evaluated as part of the management approach criterion.
- viii. The Proposer's Certified Environmentally Preferable Products/Practices Form (Attachment F) ensuring compliance with all applicable federal, state and local standards in their business practices, in accordance with the Certified Environmentally Preferable Products/Practices Provision shall be submitted and will be evaluated as part of the management approach criterion.
- ix. The Proposer shall submit proposed minimum service standards (and the appropriate measurements thereof), concepts or procedures that will further its objective to provide the highest possible level of service at The Port Authority, including how it will determine and maintain performance measurements.
- 5. Cost

The Proposer shall submit a Cost Proposal indicating the compensation that it expects to receive. The Cost Proposal shall be complete and inclusive of all

work required by this RFP. The Cost Proposal should be submitted on Attachment G, Part II, Cost Proposal Form.

The Authority requires that the Proposer submit an hourly billing rate for compensation of all agency fees, inclusive of account management, creative, production, administration, media buying and planning. If the Proposer plans to use a subcontractor for any of these or other basic agency functions, the Proposer again needs to indicate the single hourly billing rate it plans to bill the Authority for those services, or guaranty that the subcontractor(s) will adhere to the Proposer's single hourly billing rate for the services the subcontractor supplies to the Agency.

The Authority shall compensate the Contractor in an amount equal to the amounts actually paid by the Contractor for services provided by third parties for which the Authority has provided prior written approval, including, but not limited to, artwork and designs, printing, illustrations, third-party script and copy writing, radio and television production, web page design and coding, talent, photography, video production. The Contractor shall provide the Authority, at its request, with documentation that three (3) competitive bids were solicited for third-party costs and include such documentation when submitting estimates. Final selection is subject to the Authority's approval. Invoices for payment of third-party services must be accompanied by proof that the Contractor was billed for those services.

The Contractor shall identify, in all estimates and invoices and other billing documents, any third parties or subcontractors, including brokers and representatives, used by the Contractor for Authority work and shall specify all work performed by these third parties or subcontractors. The Contractor shall certify that the net cost amounts included on invoices are reasonable and representative of current market conditions.

The Authority shall reimburse the Contractor in an amount equal to the net cost the Contractor paid to the media for the placement of advertising across all paid media. The Authority will not pay commission to the Contractor or its agents for the planning or placement of paid media. Instead, the Authority expects the agency to bill the Authority the agreed upon single hourly billing rate for all time that is expended to plan, place, verify and bill for these expenses. The Authority shall receive the full benefit of all arrangements and concessions arrived at by any agreement between the Contractor and media companies, whereby charges at less than published rates are available to the contractor for advertising placed by the contractor on behalf of the Authority. All media placements require prior written approval by the Marketing Department Director or an authorized Authority representative. This media authorization should include details of the media placement and the total cost to the Authority for this placement.

At its discretion, the Authority may direct the Contractor to direct media to bill the Authority directly for media. If the Proposer plans to use in-house studio services for advertising production, photography, video, digital production and other services, it shall submit the current schedule of studio fees as part of the Cost Proposal.

6. Business Risk

The Proposer shall submit risk assessment and succession plans to the Contractor and the Port Authority, that assess the business risk in taking on the significant amount of new work that will be required under this Contract. The risk assessment plan should take into account all work currently under contract, as well as work that is under contract to companies which the Proposer owns, controls or has an interest.

The Proposer shall provide any other information that is related to the requirements in this Section F, that the Proposer believes would be helpful to the Port Authority in the evaluation of its proposal.

H. Acknowledgment of Addenda

If any Addenda are posted or sent as part of this RFP, the Proposer shall complete, sign and include with its Proposal the addenda form(s). In the event any Proposer fails to conform to these instructions, its proposal will nevertheless be construed as though the Addenda had been acknowledged.

If the Proposer downloaded this RFP document, it is the responsibility of the Proposer to periodically check the Port Authority website at <u>http://www.panynj.gov/business-opportunities/bid-proposal-advertisements.html</u> and download any addenda that might have been issued in connection with this solicitation.

I. Acceptance Terms and Conditions

The Port Authority has attached to this RFP as Attachment B, Contract Specific Terms and Conditions and Standard Contract Terms and Conditions governing the Contract. The Proposer is expected to agree with these Contract Terms and Conditions. However, if the Proposer has any specific exceptions, such exceptions should be set forth in a separate letter included with its response to this RFP. After the proposal due date, the Proposer will be precluded from raising any exceptions unless such exceptions are justified by and directly related to substantive changes in the business or technical requirements and are agreed to by the Proposer and the Port Authority.

9. CONDITIONS FOR THE SUBMISSION OF A PROPOSAL

In addition to all other requirements of this RFP, the Proposer agrees to the following conditions for the submission of its proposal:

A. Changes to this RFP

At any time, in its sole discretion, the Port Authority may by written addenda, modify, correct, amend, cancel and/or reissue this RFP. If an addendum is issued prior to the date proposals are due, it will be provided to all parties in the medium in which the parties obtained the RFP. If an addendum is issued after proposals have been received, the addendum will be provided only to those whose proposals remain under consideration at such time.

B. Proposal Preparation Costs

The Port Authority shall not be liable for any costs incurred by the Proposer in the preparation, submittal, presentation, or revision of its proposal, or in any other aspect of the Proposer's pre-contract activity. No Proposer is entitled to any compensation except under an agreement for performance of services signed by an authorized representative of the Port Authority and the Proposer.

C. Disclosure of Proposal Contents / Use of Ideas and Materials

Proposal information is not generally considered confidential or proprietary. All information contained in the proposal is subject to the "Agreement on Terms of Discussion" attached hereto as Attachment A.

D. Ownership of Submitted Materials

All materials submitted in response to or in connection with this RFP shall become the property of the Port Authority. Selection or rejection of a Proposal shall not affect this right.

E. Subcontractors

If a Proposer intends to use subcontractor(s) the Proposer must identify in its proposal the names of the subcontractor(s) and the portions of the work the subcontractor(s) will perform.

F. Conflict of Interest

If the Proposer or any employee, agent or subcontractor of the Proposer may have a possible conflict of interest, or may give the appearance of a possible conflict of interest, the Proposer shall include in its proposal a statement indicating the nature of the conflict. The Port Authority reserves the right to disqualify the Proposer if, in its sole discretion, any interest disclosed from any source could create a conflict of interest or give the appearance of a conflict of interest. The Port Authority's determination regarding any questions of conflict of interest shall be final.

G. Authorized Signature

Proposals must be signed by an authorized corporate officer (e.g., President or Vice President), General Partner, or such other individual authorized to bind the Proposer to the provisions of its proposal and this RFP.

H. References

The Port Authority may consult any reference familiar with the Proposer regarding its current or prior operations and projects, financial resources, reputation, performance, or other matters. Submission of a proposal shall constitute permission by the Proposer for the Port Authority to make such inquiries and authorization to third parties to respond thereto.

I. Evaluation Procedures and Negotiation

Only Proposers which meet the prerequisites may have their proposals evaluated based on the evaluation criteria set forth in this RFP. The Port Authority may use such procedures that it deems appropriate to evaluate such proposals. The Port Authority may elect to initiate contract negotiations with one or more Proposers including negotiation of costs/price(s) and any other term or condition, including modifying any requirement of this RFP. The option of whether or not to initiate contract negotiations rests solely with the Port Authority.

J. Taxes and Costs

Purchases of services and tangible personal property by the Port Authority in the States of New York and New Jersey are generally exempt from state and local sales and compensating use taxes, and from most federal excises (Taxes). All costs associated with the Contract must reflect this exemption and be stated in U.S. currency.

K. Most Advantageous Proposal/No Obligation to Award

The Port Authority reserves the right to award the Contract to other than the Proposer proposing the lowest price. The Contract will be awarded to the Proposer whose proposal the Port Authority believes, in its sole discretion, will be the most advantageous to the Port Authority. Neither the release of this RFP nor the acceptance of any response thereto shall compel the Port Authority to accept any proposal. The Port Authority shall not be obligated in any manner whatsoever to any Proposer until a proposal is accepted by the Port Authority in the manner provided in the Section of this RFP entitled "Proposal Acceptance or Rejection."

L. Multiple Contract Awards

The Port Authority reserves the right to award multiple Contracts for the products, work and/or services that are the subject matter of this RFP and Proposers are hereby given notice that they may not be the Port Authority's only contractor for such products, work and/or services.

N. Right to Extend Contract

If this is a proposal for a contract for a term of years, including specified options for renewal, the Port Authority reserves the additional right to extend the contract term for an additional one hundred twenty (120) days, upon the same terms and conditions of the original Contract negotiated between the Port Authority and the successful Proposer.

O. Rights of the Port Authority

- (1) The Port Authority reserves all its rights at law and equity with respect to this RFP including, but not limited to, the unqualified right, at any time and in its sole discretion, to change or modify this RFP, to reject any and all proposals, to waive defects or irregularities in proposals received, to seek clarification of proposals, to request additional information, to request any or all Proposers to make a presentation, to undertake discussions and modifications with one or more Proposers, or to negotiate an agreement with any Proposer or third person who, at any time, subsequent to the deadline for submissions to this RFP, may express an interest in the subject matter hereof, to terminate further participation in the proposal process by a Proposer or to proceed with any proposal or modified proposal, which in its judgment will, under all circumstances, best serve the Port Authority's interest. The Port Authority may, but shall not be obliged to, consider incomplete proposals or to request or accept additional material or information. The holding of any discussions with any Proposer shall not constitute acceptance of a proposal, and a proposal may be accepted with or without discussions.
- (2) No Proposer shall have any rights against the Port Authority arising from the contents of this RFP, the receipt of proposals, or the incorporation in or rejection of

information contained in any proposal or in any other document. The Port Authority makes no representations, warranties, or guarantees that the information contained herein, or in any addenda hereto, is accurate, complete, or timely or that such information accurately represents the conditions that would be encountered during the performance of the contract. The furnishing of such information by the Port Authority shall not create or be deemed to create any obligation or liability upon it for any reason whatsoever and each Proposer, by submitting its proposal, expressly agrees that it has not relied upon the foregoing information, and that it shall not hold the Port Authority liable or responsible therefor in any manner whatsoever. Accordingly, nothing contained herein and no representation, statement or promise, of the Port Authority, its directors, officers, agents, representatives, or employees, oral or in writing, shall impair or limit the effect of the warranties of the Proposer required by this RFP or Contract and the Proposer agrees that it shall not hold the Port Authority liable or responsible therefor in any manner whatsoever.

(3) At any time and from time to time after the opening of the proposals, the Port Authority may give oral or written notice to one or more Proposers to furnish additional information relating to its proposal and/or qualifications to perform the services contained in this RFP, or to meet with designated representatives of the Port Authority. The giving of such notice shall not be construed as an acceptance of a proposal. Information shall be submitted within three (3) calendar days after the Port Authority's request unless a shorter or longer time is specified therein.

P. No Personal Liability

Neither the Commissioners of the Port Authority, nor any of them, nor any officer, agent or employee thereof shall be charged personally with any liability by a Proposer or another or held liable to a Proposer or another under any term or provision of this RFP or any statements made herein or because of the submission or attempted submission of a proposal or other response hereto or otherwise.

10. ATTACHMENTS

ATTACHMENT A	Agreement on Terms of Discussion
ATTACHMENT B	Standard Contract Terms and Conditions
ATTACHMENT C	Proposer Reference Form
ATTACHMENT C1	Proposer Prerequisite A
ATTACHMENT C2	Proposer Prerequisite B
ATTACHMENT C3	Proposer Prerequisite C
ATTACHMENT D	M/WBE Participation Plan
ATTACHMENT E	Statement of Subcontractor Payments
ATTACHMENT F	Certified Environmentally Preferable Products/Practices
ATTACHMENT G	Cost Proposal Form
ATTACHMENT H	Port Authority Facilities

ATTACHMENT A - AGREEMENT ON TERMS OF DISCUSSION

The Port Authority's receipt or discussion of any information (including information contained in any proposal, vendor qualification(s), ideas, models, drawings, or other material communicated or exhibited by us or on our behalf) shall not impose any obligations whatsoever on the Port Authority or entitle us to any compensation therefor (except to the extent specifically provided in such written agreement, if any, as may be entered into between the Port Authority and us). Any such information given to the Port Authority before, with or after this Agreement on Terms of Discussion ("Agreement"), either orally or in writing, is not given in confidence. Such information may be used, or disclosed to others, for any purpose at any time without obligation or compensation and without liability of any kind whatsoever. Any statement which is inconsistent with this Agreement, whether made as part of or in connection with this Agreement, shall be void and of no effect. This Agreement is not intended, however, to grant to the Port Authority rights to any matter, which is the subject of valid existing or potential letters patent.

Any information (including information contained in any proposal, vendor qualification(s), ideas, models, drawings, or other material communicated or exhibited by us or on our behalf) provided in connection with this procurement is subject to the provisions of the Port Authority Public Records Access Policy adopted by the Port Authority's Board of Commissioners, which may be found on the Port Authority website at: <u>http://corpinfo.panynj.gov/documents/Access-to-Port-Authority-Public-Records/</u>. The foregoing applies to any information, whether or not given at the invitation of the Authority.

(Company)

(Signature)

(Title)

(Date)

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ATTACHMENT B TERMS AND CONDITIONS

PART I -CONTRACT SPECIFIC TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. GENERAL AGREEMENT

The undersigned (the "Contractor" or "you") agrees to provide, and The Port Authority of New York and New Jersey (the "Authority" or the "Port Authority") agrees to accept marketing communications services as more fully set forth in the Scope of Work. The Scope of Work requires the doing of all things necessary or proper for or incidental to the requirements as set forth in the Scope of Work. All things not expressly mentioned in the Scope of Work but involved in carrying out their intent are required by the Scope of Work and the Contractor shall perform the same as though they were specifically mentioned, described and delineated. The Contractor's sole compensation in full consideration for the performance of all the Contractor's obligations under this Contract shall be the amount computed in accordance with Attachment G, Cost Proposal Form, hereof.

1. GENERAL PROVISIONS

Any services performed for the benefit of the Authority at any time by you or on your behalf, even if expressly and duly authorized by the Authority, shall be deemed to be rendered under and subject to this Contract (unless referable to another expressly written, duly executed contract by the same parties), whether such additional services are performed prior to, during or subsequent to the services described herein, and no rights or obligations shall arise out of such additional services except as provided under this Contract. The Port Authority reserves the right to appoint the Contractor as "agent".

2. DURATION

This Contract shall commence on or about July 16, 2018 and shall remain in effect for a period of three (3) years (the "Base Term") unless otherwise terminated in accordance with the provisions hereof. The Authority shall have the right to extend this Contract for up to three (3) additional one-year option periods by written notice to the Contractor at least thirty (30) days prior to the expiration of the Base Term or the expiration of the option period, if applicable.

The Authority shall also have the right to extend this Contract for an additional one hundred twenty (120) day period, from the date originally fixed for expiration of the Base Term or any option year then in effect upon the same terms and conditions as set forth in this Contract, to be effected by written notice to the Contractor received no later than thirty (30) days prior to the expiration date of the Base Term or the expiration date of the option period, if applicable.

3. PRICE ADJUSTMENT

All Contract prices submitted by the Contractor and agreed to by the Port Authority, shall remain in effect during all three (3) years of the Base Term. For the Option Period(s) that are applicable to this Contract and are exercised hereunder, (excluding the 120 day Extension Period as described in the above paragraph entitled "Duration") The Port Authority shall adjust the compensation due to the Contractor utilizing the Consumer Price Index for all Urban Consumers; Series Id: CUURA101SA0L2; Not Seasonally Adjusted; New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ_CT-PA area; all items less shelter; 1982-

1984=100, published by the Bureau of Labor Statistics of the United States Department of Labor (hereinafter called the "Price Index").

For the first Option Period of the Contract, the Price Index shall be determined for the months of January 2020 and January 2021. The amounts payable to the Contractor in the final year of the Base Term shall be multiplied by a fraction the numerator of which is the Price Index for January 2021 and the denominator of which is the Price Index for January 2020. The resulting product shall be the amounts payable to the Contractor in the first Option Period.

For the second Option Period of the Contract, the Price Index shall be determined for the months of January 2021 and January 2022. The amounts payable to the Contractor in the first Option Period shall be multiplied by a fraction the numerator of which is the Price Index for January 2022 and the denominator of which is the Price Index for January 2021. The resulting product shall be the amounts payable to the Contractor in the second Option Period.

For the third Option Period of the Contract, the Price Index shall be determined for the months of January 2022 and January 2023. The amounts payable to the Contractor in the second Option Period shall be multiplied by a fraction the numerator of which is the Price Index for January 2023 and the denominator of which is the Price Index for January 2022. The resulting product shall be the amounts payable to the Contractor in the third Option Period.

In the event of a change in the basis for the computation of the said Index or the discontinuance of its publication, such other appropriate index shall be substituted as may be agreed upon by the Authority and the Contractor as properly reflecting changes in the value of the current United States money in a manner similar to that established in the said Price Index. In the event of the failure of the parties to so agree, the Port Authority may select and use such index, as it seems appropriate. Notwithstanding the provisions of this section, in no event shall any adjustment hereunder be greater than three percent (3%) per annum.

The amounts payable to the Contractor during the 120-day Extension Period shall not be subject to adjustment.

If, after an adjustment referred to in this Section, the Index used for computing such adjustment shall be changed or adjusted, then the amounts payable to the Contractor for that period shall be recomputed. If such recomputation results in a smaller increase in the amount payable to such period, then after notification of the change or adjustment, the recomputed amounts shall be in effect and upon demand by the Port Authority, the Contractor shall refund to Port Authority excess amounts paid by Port Authority for such period.

4. PAYMENTS

Subject to the provisions of this Contract, the Port Authority agrees to pay to the Contractor and the Contractor agrees to accept from the Port Authority as full and complete consideration for the performance of all its obligations under this Contract and as sole compensation for the Services performed by the Contractor hereunder, a compensation calculated from the services performed and the respective unit prices inserted by the Contractor in the Cost Proposal Form in Attachment G, forming a part of this Contract. The manner of submission of all bills for payment to the Contractor by the Authority for Services rendered under this Contract shall be subject to the approval of the Contract Manager in all respects, including, but not limited to, format, breakdown of items presented and verifying records. All computations made by the Contractor and all billing and billing procedures shall be done in conformance with the following procedures:

- A. Payment shall be made in accordance with the blended rate plus any approved out of pocket expenses as they appear on Attachment G, Cost Proposal Form, as same may have been adjusted hereunder minus any deductions for services not performed and/or any applicable liquidated damages. All services must be completed within the time frames specified or as designated by the Contract Manager. Contractor shall submit to the Contract Manager by the fifth (5th) day of each month following the month of commencement of this Contract (including the month following the termination, revocation or expiration of this Contract) a complete and correct invoice for the Services performed during the preceding month accompanied by such information as may be required by the Contract Manager for verification. The invoice must show the Contractor's Federal Tax Identification Number. Payment will be made within thirty (30) days of Authority verification of the invoice.
- B. No certificate, payment, acceptance of any Services or any other act or omission of any representative of the Authority shall operate to release the Contractor from any obligation under or upon this Contract, or to stop the Authority from showing at any time that such certificate, payment, acceptance, act or omission was incorrect or to preclude the Authority from recovering any monies paid in excess of those lawfully due and any damage sustained by the Authority.
- B. In the event an audit of received invoices should indicate that the correct sum due the Contractor for the relevant billing period is less than the amount actually paid by the Authority, the Contractor shall pay to the Authority the difference promptly upon receipt of the Authority's statement thereof. The Authority may, however, in its discretion elect to deduct said sum or sums from any subsequent payments payable to the Contractor hereunder.

"Final Payment", as the term is used throughout this Contract, shall mean the final payment made for services rendered in the last month of the Contract Term. However should this Contract be terminated for any reason prior to the last month of the Contract Term, then Final Payment shall be the payment made for services rendered in the month during which such termination becomes effective. The Contractor's acceptance of any payment, including Final Payment, shall act as a full and complete release to the Authority of all claims of and of all liability to the Contractor for all things done or furnished in connection with this Contract and for every act and neglect of the Authority and others relating to or arising out of this Contract, including claims arising out of breach of contract and claims based on claims of third persons. No payment, however, final or otherwise shall operate to release the Contractor from any obligations in connection with this Contract.

Out-of-pocket expenses are the expenses necessarily and reasonably incurred and actually paid by you in the performance of your services hereunder as approved in advance by the Marketing Department Director. Out-of-pocket expenses are unique to the performance of your services under this Contract and generally contemplate the purchase of outside ancillary services, except that for the purpose of this Contract, out-of-pocket expenses do include amounts for telephone calls; travel and local transportation; and meals and

lodging on overnight trips. The expenses do not include expenses that are usually and customarily included as part of the Contractor's overhead. For the purposes of this Contract, out-of-pocket expenses do not include amounts for routine mailing and delivery charges; typing, utilization of computer systems, cameras, recording or measuring devices, flashlights and other small, portable equipment, safety supplies, phones, telephone calls, electronic messaging including fax, or expendable office supplies. Unless otherwise indicated, required insurance is not a reimbursable expense.

When the Contractor is asked to provide services outside the Port District, the actual cost of transportation as well as the cost for hotel accommodations and meals shall be reimbursable hereunder when approved in advance in writing by the Marketing Department Director. The cost for all meals and lodging on approved overnight trips are limited to the amounts established by the United States General Services Administration for that locality.

<u>General Services Administration (GSA) Domestic Rates:</u> <u>http://www.gsa.gov/portal/category/21287</u>

You shall obtain the Marketing Department Director's written approval prior to making expenditures for out-of-pocket expenses in excess of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) per specific expenditure and for all overnight trips, which are reimbursable expenditures as set forth above. You shall substantiate all billings for out-of-pocket expenses in excess of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) with receipted bills and provide said receipts with the appropriate billing.

As used herein:

"Port District" is an area comprised of about 1,500 square miles in the States of New York and New Jersey, centering about New York Harbor. The Port District includes the Cities of New York and Yonkers in New York State, and the cities of Newark, Jersey City, Bayonne, Hoboken and Elizabeth in the State of New Jersey, and over 200 other municipalities, including all or part of seventeen counties, in the two States.

The Contractor shall render a bill for services performed and reimbursable out-of-pocket expenses incurred, accompanied by such records and receipts as required, to the Project Manager. Each invoice shall bear your taxpayer number and the purchase order number provided by the Marketing Department Director. Upon receipt of the foregoing, the Marketing Department Director will estimate and certify to the Authority the approximate amount of compensation earned by you up to that time. As an aid to you the Authority shall, within fifteen days after receipt of such certification by the Marketing Department Director, advance to you by ACH the sum certified minus all prior payments to you for your account.

You shall keep and submit receipts of reimbursable expenditures hereunder, and, notwithstanding any other provisions of this Agreement, failure to do so shall be a conclusive waiver of any right to compensation for such expenses as are otherwise compensable hereunder. The Authority shall have the right to audit all such records.

The Authority shall have the right to inspect your records, pertaining to any compensation to be paid hereunder, such records to be maintained by you for a period of one year after completion of services to be performed under this Agreement.

6. INCREASES AND DECREASES IN AREAS OR FREQUENCIES

The Marketing Department Director shall have the right, at any time and from time to time in their sole discretion, to increase or decrease the frequencies of all or any part of the services required hereunder and/or to add areas not described herein in the Scope of Work or to remove areas or parts of areas which are hereunder so described. In the event the Marketing Department Director decides to change any frequencies or areas such change shall be by written notice given to the Contractor not less than seven (7) days prior to the effective date of said changes, said changes to be effective upon the date specified in said notice.

Where no specific Unit Price has been quoted for the type of services to be increased or decreased, the Marketing Department Director shall have the right to negotiate the compensation to reflect such change, whether an increase or decrease in areas or frequencies, which, in the opinion of the Marketing Department Director, is necessary to complete the work, by multiplying the increased or decreased amount by the negotiated rate.

In the event of a decrease, the Contractor shall not be entitled to compensation for Work not performed.

No such change in areas or frequency will be implemented which results in a total increase or decrease in compensation that is greater than fifty percent (50%) of the Total Estimated Contract Price for the Base Term or, if changes are to be implemented during an Option Period, fifty percent (50%) for that Option Period.

7. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

A. Except as provided below: as between the Port Authority and the Contractor all process flows, codes including, but not limited to, machine code, scripts, programs, routines, processes, procedures, documentation, estimates, reports, records, data, charts, documents, models, designs, renderings, drawings, specifications, photographs, computations, computer tapes or discs, and other documentation of any type whatsoever, whether electronic or in the form of writing, figures or delineations, which are prepared or compiled in connection with this Contract, shall become the exclusive property of the Authority, and the Authority shall have the exclusive right to use or permit the use of them and any ideas or methods represented by them for any purpose and at any time without other compensation than that specifically provided for herein. With regard to training manuals or any other knowledge transfer documentation, communication or presentation prepared under this Contract the Authority shall expressly have the right to use, alter and reproduce including electronically, said manuals for its internal business purposes. The Contractor hereby warrants and represents that the Authority will have at all times the ownership and rights provided for in the immediately preceding sentence free and clear of all claims of third persons whether presently existing or arising in the future and whether presently known to either of the parties to this Contract or not. Any information given to the Port Authority before, with or after submission of the Agreement on Terms of Discussion, either orally or in writing, is not given in confidence and may be used, or disclosed to others, for any purpose at any time without obligation or compensation and without liability of any kind whatsoever except as otherwise set forth in the Agreement On Terms Of Discussion.

- B. All preexisting information or documentation including computer programs or code including source code, of the Contractor, utilized by the Contractor hereunder in the performance of his services hereunder shall be deemed licensed to the Authority for the duration and purposes of this Contract, but shall remain the property of the Contractor.
- C. When in the performance of the Contract the Contractor utilizes passwords or codes for any purpose, the Contractor, upon written request by the Authority, made at any time during or after the performance of such services, shall promptly make available to the designated Authority representative all such passwords and codes.
- D. Third party software not specially prepared for the purpose of this Contract but utilized by the Contractor hereunder in the performance of his services hereunder shall be licensed to the Contractor and the Authority for the duration and purposes of this Contract but shall remain the property of said third party.
- E. The above-described software shall be furnished by the Contractor without additional compensation.
- F. For the sake of clarity, but by no means will this serve as a limitation:
 - The Authority shall have the exclusive rights set forth in this section 7 titled "Intellectual Property" with respect to all in-house studio work (including work performed by Contractor's employees, agents, contractors or subcontractors) specifically produced for the Authority under this Contract and such work shall also be considered, as applicable, Work Product (as defined in the clause titled "Contract Records and Decommission Clause").
 - 2) Authority approved orders for third party services or media purchases may set forth limitations with respect to duration and scope of usage of proprietary material, provided however the Authority shall at all times be provided the rights set forth in the clauses titled "Proprietary Rights in the Subject Matter Not Within the Intellectual Property Clause" and "Intellectual Property" (section 30 in Part II Standard Contract Terms and Conditions).

8. PROPRIETARY RIGHTS IN SUBJECT MATTER NOT WITHIN THE INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY CLAUSE

If in accordance with this Contract the Contractor furnishes research, development or consultative services in connection with the performance of the work and if in the course of such research, development, or consultation patentable or copyrightable subject matter or trade secrets or other proprietary matter is produced by the Contractor, its officers, agents, employees, subcontractors, or suppliers, not custom software, and not covered under the clause hereof entitled "Intellectual Property", the Authority shall have, without cost or expense to it, an irrevocable, non-exclusive, royalty-free license to make, have made, and use, either itself or by anyone on its behalf, such subject matter in connection with any activity now or hereafter engaged in or permitted by the Authority. Promptly upon request by the Authority, the Contractor shall furnish or obtain from the appropriate person a form of license satisfactory to the Authority, but it is expressly understood and agreed that as between the Contractor and the Authority the license herein provided for shall nevertheless arise for the benefit of the Authority immediately upon the production of said subject matter and shall not await formal exemplification in a written license agreement as provided for above. Such license may be transferred by the Authority to its successors, immediate or

otherwise, in the operations of or ownership of any facility now or hereafter operated by the Authority or the Authority but such license shall not be otherwise transferable.

The right of the Authority as well as the Contractor to use all patented material, compositions of matter, manufactures, apparatus, appliances, processes of manufacture or types of construction as well as any copyrightable matter, trade secrets or other proprietary matters, shall be obtained by the Contractor without separate or additional compensation whether the same is patented or copyrighted before, during or after the performance of the work.

9. COMPLIANCE WITH WEB SITE TERMS OF USE AND PRIVACY POLICIES

Contractor shall, and shall compel its employees, agents and subcontractors, to strictly abide by and comply with the policies established by the Authority governing the use of the Authority's web sites as set forth in the Authority web sites Terms of Use and Privacy Statement as the same may be supplemented or amended. The Contractor shall immediately implement all procedures in connection with such policies and in furtherance thereof as directed by the Authority.

10. FINAL PAYMENT

After satisfactory completion of all services required hereunder, and upon receipt from the Contractor of such information as may be required, the Marketing Department Director shall certify in writing to the Contractor the total compensation earned by the Contractor. If so required, the Contractor shall thereupon furnish to the Authority a detailed sworn statement of all claims, just and unjust, of subcontractors, materialmen and other third persons then outstanding which he has reason to believe may thereafter be made on account of the services provided under this Contract. Within thirty (30) days after issuance of such certificate of total compensation earned (or within thirty (30) days after receipt of the documents provided for in the immediately preceding paragraph, if required and if such date is later), the Port Authority shall pay to the Contractor amount stated in said certificate, less all other payments and advances whatsoever to or for the account of the Contractor. All prior estimates and payments shall be subject to correction in this payment, which is throughout this Contract called the Final Payment. The acceptance by the Contractor, or by anyone claiming by or through him, of the Final Payment shall be and shall operate as a release to the Authority of all claims and of all liability to the Contractor for all things done or furnished in connection with this Contract and for every act and neglect of the Authority and others relating to or arising out of this Contract, including claims arising out of breach of the Contract and claims based on claims of third persons.

The Contractor's agreement as provided in the immediately preceding paragraph shall be deemed to be based upon the consideration forming part of this Contract as a whole and not to be gratuitous; but in any event even if deemed gratuitous and without consideration, such agreement as provided in the immediately preceding paragraph shall nevertheless be effective. Such release shall include all claims, whether or not in litigation and even though still under consideration by the Authority. Such release shall be effective notwithstanding any purported reservation of right by the Contractor to preserve such claim. The acceptance of any check designated as "Final Payment" or bearing any similar designation shall be conclusively presumed to demonstrate the intent of the Contractor that such payment was intended to be accepted as final, with the consequences provided in this numbered clause, notwithstanding any purported reservation of rights.

The Contractor agrees that he shall not be entitled to, and hereby waives any right he might otherwise have to, and shall not seek any judgment whether under this Contract or otherwise for any such Final Payment or for an amount equivalent thereto or based thereon, or for any part thereof, if such judgment would have the effect of varying, setting aside, disregarding or making inapplicable the terms of this numbered clause or have the effect in any way of entitling the Contractor to accept such Final Payment or an amount equivalent thereto or based thereon or any part thereof other than in the same fashion as a voluntary acceptance of a Final Payment subject to all the terms of this Contract including this numbered clause, unless and until the Contractor should obtain a judgment on any claim arising out of or in connection with this Contract (including a claim based on breach of contract) for an amount not included in said Final Payment.

11. INSURANCE PROCURED BY THE CONTRACTOR

The Contractor shall take out, maintain, and pay the premiums on Commercial General Liability Insurance, including but not limited to premises-operations, products-completed operations, personal-advertising injury, and independent contractors coverage, with contractual liability language covering the obligations assumed by the Contractor under this Contract and, if vehicles are to be used to carry out the performance of this Contract, then the Contractor shall also take out, maintain, and pay the premiums on Automobile Liability Insurance covering owned, non-owned, and hired autos in the following minimum limits:

<u>Commercial General Liability Insurance</u> - \$ 5 million combined single limit per occurrence for bodily injury and property damage liability. (\$ 25 million each occurrence, unescorted on airside), including product liability; advertising liability with the broadest coverage available; media liability coverage, including coverage for copyright infringement, defamation, trademark violations; and contractual liability, underwritten by an insurance company with a Best's rating of at least A-/XII and licensed to do business in the Territory.

<u>Automobile Liability Insurance</u> - \$ 5 million combined single limit per accident for bodily injury and property damage liability. (\$ 25 million each accident, unescorted on airside)

Insurance policies shall name the Authority, and all the parties listed below as "Insured" (as defined in the policy or in an additional insured endorsement amending the policy's "Who is An Insured" language as the particular policy may provide) and their respective officers, employees and agents as insureds under Form GC 20 10 or equivalent, and shall contain an endorsement which requires that notice be given to the Authority prior to cancellation or expiration of the policy, and shall provide adequate protection for the Insureds and their respective officers, employees, and agents against any and all claims, demands, causes of action or damages, including attorney's fees, arising out of this Agreement, including but not limited to those arising from the manufacture, sale, distribution, use, infringement or advertisement of the Licensed Products, regardless of when such claims are made or when underlying injuries occur or manifest themselves. Insurance policies shall not contain crossclaim, cross-suit, or other such exclusion sections which would preclude additional insured parties from instituting causes of action against other insureds under the policy or which would otherwise limit coverage of the insureds. A waiver of subrogation in favor of the Authority shall be endorsed to all insurance policies hereunder and evidenced on the certificate of insurance referenced herein. In the event Contractor's insurance is cancelled and replacement insurance is not obtained prior to the effective date of such cancellation, the

Authority shall have the right to procure such coverage and charge the expenses incurred to Contractor and/or to terminate this License upon notice and without the right to cure. Upon request, Contractor shall furnish a copy of the insurance policy to the Authority.

The certificate of insurance and liability policy (ies) must contain the following endorsement for the above liability coverages:

"The insurer(s) shall not, without obtaining the express advance written permission from the General Counsel of the Port Authority, raise any defense involving in any way the jurisdiction of the Tribunal over the person of the Port Authority, the immunity of the Port Authority, its Commissioners, officers, agents or employees, the governmental nature of the Port Authority, or the provisions of any statutes respecting suits against the Port Authority."

Any self-insured retention shall cover any liability imposed upon the Contractor and any and all subsidiaries with respect to all operations and obligations assumed by the Contractor and any and all subsidiaries. The undersigned represents that such program provides the Insureds with all rights, immunities and protections that would be provided by traditional independent insurance required under the Agreement, including, but not limited to, the defense obligations that insurers are required to undertake in liability policies pursuant to the terms of the Agreement.

The Contractor shall also take out, maintain, and pay premiums on <u>Workers' Compensation</u> <u>Insurance</u> in accordance with the requirements of law in the state(s) where work will take place, and Employer's Liability Insurance with limits of not less than \$1 million each accident, and contain a waiver of subrogation endorsement in the benefit of the "insureds"

Additionally, Contractor shall take out and maintain at its own expense Technology E&O and Professional Liability insurance in limits of not less than US\$5,000,000 per claims, to cover claims arising out of actual or alleged infringement of patent, copyright, trademark, trade name, trade dress, trade secret, or any other type of intellectual property.

Each policy above shall contain an endorsement that the policy may not be canceled, terminated, or modified without thirty (30) days' prior written notice to the Port Authority of NY and NJ, Att: Facility Contract Administrator, at the location where the work will take place and to the General Manager, Risk Management.

The Port Authority may at any time during the term of this agreement change or modify the limits and coverages of insurance. Should the modification or change results in an additional premium, The General Manager, Risk Management for the Port Authority may consider such cost as an out-of-pocket expense.

Within five (5) days after the award of this agreement or contract and prior to the start of work, the Contractor must submit an original certificate of insurance, to the Port Authority of NY and NJ, Facility Contract Administrator, at the location where the work will take place. <u>This certificate of insurance MUST show evidence of the above insurance policy (ies)</u>, including but not limited to the cancellation notice endorsement and stating the <u>agreement/contract number</u> prior to the start of work. The General Manager, Risk Management must approve the certificate(s) of insurance before any work can begin. Upon

request by the Port Authority, the Contractor shall furnish to the General Manager, Risk Management, a certified copy of each policy, including the premiums.

If at any time the above liability insurance should be canceled, terminated, or modified so that the insurance is not in effect as above required, then, if the Manager shall so direct, the Contractor shall suspend performance of the contract at the premises. If the contract is so suspended, no extension of time shall be due on account thereof. If the contract is not suspended (whether or not because of omission of the Manager to order suspension), then the Authority may, at its option, obtain insurance affording coverage equal to the above required, the cost of such insurance to be payable by the Contractor to the Port Authority.

Renewal certificates of insurance or policies shall be delivered to the Facility Contractor Administrator, Port Authority at least fifteen (15) days prior to the expiration date of each expiring policy. The General Manager, Risk Management must approve the renewal certificate(s) of insurance before work can resume on the facility. If at any time any of the certificates or policies shall become unsatisfactory to the Port Authority, the Contractor shall promptly obtain a new and satisfactory certificate and policy.

The requirements for insurance procured by the Contractor shall not in any way be construed as a limitation on the nature or extent of the contractual obligations assumed by the Contractor under this contract. The insurance requirements are not a representation by the Authority as to the adequacy of the insurance to protect the Contractor against the obligations imposed on them by law or by this or any other Contract. **CITS#5459N**

12. CONTRACT REVIEW AND COMPLIANCE AUDITS

The Contractor, and any subcontractors, shall provide prompt system access and reasonable assistance to the Authority's External and Internal Audit staff or its consultants in their performance of work under the contract, including producing specific requested information, extraction of data and reports. The Contractor, and any subcontractors, shall promptly support requests related to audits of the contract, administrative functions and operations covered by this Contract. The Authority will require access to the Contractor's environment which supports the systems used to provide services required under the contract on a periodic basis; the hours to be determined, at the convenience of the authority.

The Authority reserves the right to use and load security and system software to evaluate the level of security and vulnerabilities in all systems which control, collect, dispense, contain, manage, administer, or monitor operations related to this Port Authority contract.

13. AUTHORITY ACCESS TO RECORDS

The Authority shall have access during normal business hours to all records and documents of the Contractor relating to any service provided under this Contract, amounts for which it has been compensated, or claims the Contractor should be compensated, by the Authority above those included in the compensation set forth elsewhere herein. All Contractor records shall be kept in the Port District (as defined in McKinney's Unconsolidated Laws §6403). The Contractor shall obtain for the Authority similar access to similar records and documents of subcontractors. Such access shall be given or obtained both before and within a period of three (3) years after Final Payment to the Contractor, provided, however, that if within the aforesaid three (3) year period the Authority has notified the Contractor in writing of a

pending claim by the Authority under or in connection with this Contract to which any of the aforesaid records and documents of the Contractor or of his subcontractors relate either directly or indirectly, then the period of such right of access shall be extended to the expiration of six (6) years from the date of Final Payment with respect to the records and documents involved.

The Contractor shall provide, at no cost to the Authority, access for and reasonable assistance to such auditors from the Authority or the Authority's external auditors that may, from time to time, be designated to audit detail records which support Contractor charges to the Authority. The Authority shall have access to the detail records that support Contractor charges to the Authority for up to three (3) years following the termination of the Contract.

14. CONTRACT RECORDS AND DECOMMISSION CLAUSE

Port Authority will own and have all right, title and interest in all data, regardless of media used, including, but not limited to all notations, electronic copy of documents and hard copy documents in Contractors possession, even if such data was obtained by the Contractor on behalf of the Port Authority prior to the Effective Date of this Agreement (the "Work Product") and, to the extent possible all Work Product shall be considered a work made for hire for Port Authority within the meaning of Title 17 of the United States Code (the "Copyright Act"). Contractor hereby grants, transfers and assigns any and all right, title and interest in and to the Work Product and all materials contained therein or prepare therefor. In addition, Contractor shall assign and hereby so assigns to Port Authority all of its interest in the Work Product. Each party shall retain ownership of it pre-existing material used in accordance with this Agreement. While this Agreement is in force, Contractor grants to Port Authority an irrevocable, non-exclusive, worldwide, royalty free license to use, execute and copy for its internal purpose any pre-existing materials contained in the Work Product. Contractor and all of its personnel shall cooperate fully with Port Authority and shall execute such further documentation as Port Authority may request in order to establish, secure, maintain or protect Port Authority, or its assignee's, ownership the Work Product and of all rights therein. Furthermore, Contractor agrees that it shall never transfer or assign the Work Product, or any rights therein, to any third party.

Contractor hereby (i) waives any so-called "moral rights" with respect to the Work Product; (ii) agrees never to use the Work Product without the prior express written consent of Port Authority; (iii) agrees never to contest Port Authority or its assignee's exclusive, complete and unrestricted ownership in and to the Work Product (including all copyright rights therein), or to claim adverse rights therein; and (iv) acknowledges that it shall not be entitle to any compensation beyond the specifically provided herein for any of the Work Product.

When in the performance of the contact services the Contractor utilizes passwords or codes for any purpose, at any time during or after the performance of such services, upon written request by the Authority, and restricted to data and systems used by the Authority related to this Agreement, the Contractor shall make available to the designated Authority representative all such passwords and codes.

Upon Agreement expiration or termination, all Authority Work Product shall be returned to the Authority at no additional cost, within 30 days of such termination or expiration and via a methodology and in a format to be mutually determined at the time of contract expiration or termination. Furthermore, the Contractor shall provide to the Project Manager, within 30 days of Agreement termination or expiration, written confirmation all electronic instances of Authority data, including, but not limited to production data, test data, backups, disaster recovery data, shall have been purged, permanently removed or destroyed in a manner consistent with Contractor company policy related to such data.

15. TRANSITION OF ONGOING SERVICES TO NEW CONTRACTOR

Upon expiration or termination of this Contract, Contractor shall inform the Authority of any ongoing or recurring services or charges that will survive the Contract and shall cooperate with the Authority and the Authority's future marketing communications services contractor to transition those services, orders and/or charges for handling by such contractor.

ATTACHMENT B

PART II STANDARD CONTRACT TERMS AND CONDITIONS (attached at the end of this RFP)

ATTACHMENT C- PROPOSER REFERENCE FORM

Name of Proposer:_____

Please provide a list of references on the firm's performance of similar work within the last three (3) years, including all current contracts. Use additional sheets as necessary.

Include the following information for each reference:

Customer Name:	
Address:	
Contact Name and Title:	-
Phone and Fax Numbers of Contact:	
Contract date(s):	
Contract cost:	
Description of work:	_
	-
	-
Customer Name:	
Address:	
Contact Name and Title:	-
Phone and Fax Numbers of Contact:	
Contract date(s):	
Contract cost:	
Description of Work:	
Customer Name:	
Address:	
Contact Name and Title:	
Phone and Fax Numbers of Contact:	
Contract date (s):	
Contract cost:	
Description of work:	

* Note - Duplicate form as necessary *

ATTACHMENT C1 – PROPOSER PREREQUISITE A

Reference - RFP - Section 3 – Proposer Prerequisites

Prerequisite A – (**Proposer shall have at least five years continuous experience**)

Client Name		
Contract Start Date		
Contract End Date		
Proposer was prime	Yes?	No?
contractor on assignment	Explain -	
& responsible for service		
levels		
Client Contact Name /		
Title		
Client Contact E-mail		
Address		
Client Contact Phone #		
Brief description of		
Scope of Work		

NOTE: CLIENT CONTACT MUST BE AN EMPLOYEE OF THE CLIENT COMPANY.

* Note - Duplicate form as necessary *

ATTACHMENT C2 – PROPOSER PREREQUISITE B

Reference - RFP - Section 3 – Proposer Prerequisites

Prerequisite B (at least three contracts for similar services of similar size).

Total # Of Such	Total # of all such Contracts (Similar size and Scope):
Contracts	

Client Name	
Contract Start Date	
Contract End Date	
Proposer was prime	Yes? No?
contractor on	Explain -
assignment &	
responsible for service	
levels	
Client Contact Name /	
Title	
Client Contact E-mail	
Address	
Client Contact Phone #	
Contract Cost	
Brief description of Scope of Work	

NOTE: CLIENT CONTACT MUST BE AN EMPLOYEE OF THE CLIENT COMPANY

* Note - Duplicate form as necessary *

ATTACHMENT C3 – PROPOSER PREREQUISITE C

Proposers must provide a statement on letterhead signed by their CFO or a CPA certifying that its company meets the gross revenues specified in Section 3, Proposer Prerequisites, Paragraph C, of the Contract.

THE PORT AUTHORITY OF NY & NJ
OFFICE OF BUSINESS DIVERSITY AND CIVIL RIGHTS
MBE/WBE PARTICIPATION PLAN AND AFFIRMATION STATEMENT Instructions: Submit one MBE/WBE PARTICIPATION PLAN AND AFFIRMATION STATEMENT form for each MBE/WBE firm used on this Contract. To avoid undue repetition, the following terms, as used in this Agreement, shall be construed as follows: Bidder/Proposer/Respondent - can used interchangeably and mean any Contractor, Consultant, Supplier, or Vendor who submits a response to this solicitation.
RFP NUMBER AND TITLE:
PROPOSER: Name of Firm:
Address:
Email Address:
MBE/WBE: Name of Firm:
Address: Telephone:
Description of work to be performed by MBE/WBE:
Calculation (supply only):
The Proposer is committed to utilizing the above-named MBE/WBE for the work described above. The estimated dollar value of this work is \$
or % of the total contract amount of \$ The anticipated start date isand the anticipated completion date is
AFFIRMATION of MBE/WBE
The above-named MBE/WBE affirms that it will perform the portion of the Contract for the estimated dollar value as stated above.
By:Date:
Signature of Principal or Officer of MBE/WBE – Print Name and Title
I (print name), an officer of (company name), certify that I have read the PA 3760C MBE/WBE Participation Plan and Affirmation Statement and the information contained in it is true. I fully understand that any false statement within this submittal may prevent the company and/or the undersigned from being found to be responsible Bidders/Proposers in connection with future agreements. In addition, any false statement within this submittal may brevent the subject the company and/or the undersigned to criminal charges in the state and federal courts of New York and New Jersey.
Signature of Proposer Date Date
Please Note: Only 60% of the expenditure to a MBE/WBE material supplier will be counted toward the MBE/WBE goal. Please show calculation above. Example: \$100,000 x 60% = \$60,000 estimated MBE/WBE dollar value of work. Plan cannot be accepted without calculation.

ATTACHMENT D – MBE/WBE PARTICIPATION PLAN

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Officer of Proposer must have ACKNOWLEDGEMENT BY NOTARY PUBLIC completed on the reverse side.

whose name(s) is (are) subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same in his/her capacity. Name of Notary (print) (Affix Notary Stamp Here) My Commission Expires (Notary Signature) (Date) (Notary Signature) (Date)
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ATTACHMENT E – STATEMENT OF SUBCONTRACTOR PAYMENTS

Download form at:

http://www.panynj.gov/business-opportunities/become-vendor.html

ATTACHMENT F - Certified Environmentally Preferable Products/Practices

Proposer Name: _____

_Date: _____

In line with the Port Authority's efforts to promote products and practices which reduce our impact on the environment and human health, Proposers are encouraged to provide information regarding their environmentally preferable/sustainable business practices as they relate to this contract wherever possible. Proposers **must** complete this form and submit it with their response, if appropriate. Proposers **must** submit appropriate documentation to support the items for which the Proposer indicates a "Yes" and present this documentation in the proper sequence of this Attachment.

1. <u>Packaging</u>

Has the Proposer implemented any of the following environmental initiatives? (A checkmark indicates "Yes") ______ Use of corrugated materials that exceed the EPA recommended post-consumer recycled content

Use of other packaging materials that contain recycled content and are recyclable in most local programs

Promotes waste prevention and source reduction by reducing the extent of the packaging and/or offering packaging take-back services, or shipping carton return

Reduces or eliminates materials which have been bleached with chlorine or chlorine derivatives

Eliminates any packaging that may contain polyvinyl chloride (PVC), or polystyrene or heavy metals

If yes, a description of the practices being followed must be included with the submission.

2. <u>Business Practices / Operations / Manufacturing</u>

Does the Proposer engage in practices that s	erve to reduce or minimize	an impact to the environment,	including, but not
necessarily limited to, the following items?	(A checkmark indicates '	"Yes")	

_____ Recycles materials in the warehouse or other operations

_____ Use of alternative fuel vehicles or vehicles equipped with diesel emission control devices for delivery or transportation purposes

Use of energy efficient office equipment or signage or the incorporation of green building design elements

Use of recycled paper (that meets federal specifications) in their marketing and/or resource materials

_____ Other sustainable initiative

If yes, a description of the practices being followed must be included with the submission.

3. Training and Education

Does the Proposer conduct/offer a program to train or inform customers and employees of the environmental benefits of the products to be offered under this contract, and/or does the Proposer conduct environmental training of its own staff?

Yes No If yes, Proposer must attach a description of the training offered and the specific criteria targeted by the training.

4. <u>Certifications</u>

Has the Proposer or any of its manufacturers and/or subcontractors obtained any of the following product / industry certifications? (A checkmark indicates "Yes")

ISO 14000 or adopted some other equivalent environmental management system

Other industry environmental standards (where applicable), such as the CERES principles, LEED Certification, C2C Protocol, Responsible Care Codes of Practice or other similar standards

____ Third Party product certifications such as Green Seal, Scientific Certification Systems, Smartwood, etc.

If yes, Proposers must attach copies of the certificates obtained.

5. Other Environmental Criteria

Proposers are encouraged to respond to criteria specifically indicated in this RFP as "Management Approach" (and attach the appropriate documentation) to receive consideration in the evaluation.

I hereby certify, under penalty of the law that the above statements are true and correct.

_Name

_Date

ATTACHMENT G COST PROPOSAL FORM

Description of Rates, Expenses and Charges

A. Single Average Hourly Billing Rate

The Authority requires that the Proposer submits a single hourly billing rate for all services, including, but not limited to, account management, administration, creative, media planning, media buying, and production management. If the Contractor plans regularly to subcontract any of the disciplines mentioned above, it is expected that the subcontractor shall adhere to the overall contractor's single hourly billing rate. For estimating and comparison purposes, the Authority expects that overall agency hours will average 750 hours per month. This is not a guaranty of a minimum number of billable hours. The actual totals shall vary from month to month. The Authority shall compensate the Contractor for the actual hours required to complete the work on active projects in any given month.

The Contractor shall invoice the Authority monthly for the services covered by the rate listed above. The invoice(s) shall be accompanied by a report listing the hours of all personnel and their general job titles who are billing to the account during the billing period. The invoices shall be itemized by hours spent on each authorized project during that period.

B. Out-of-Pocket Expenses

1. Third-Party Payment

The Authority shall compensate the Contractor in an amount equal to the amounts actually paid by the Contractor for services provided by third parties for which the Authority has provided prior written approval, including, but not limited to, artwork and designs, printing, illustrations, third-party script and copy writing, radio and television production, web page design and coding, talent, photography, video production. The Contractor shall provide the Authority, at its request, with documentation that three competitive bids were solicited for third-party costs and include such documentation when submitting estimates. Final bid selection is subject to the Authority's approval. Invoices for payment of third-party services must be accompanied by proof that the contractor was billed for those services.

The Contractor shall identify, in all estimates and invoices and other billing documents, any third parties or subcontractors, including brokers and representatives, used by the Contractor for Authority work and shall specify all work performed by these third parties or subcontractors. The Contractors shall certify that the net cost amounts included on invoices are reasonable and representative of current market conditions.

2. In-House Studio Charges

In the event that the Contractor will use an in-house studio to provide services traditionally associated with studio work – including, but not limited to, mechanicals, final artwork, photography, layouts, audio recording, video services -- the Contractor shall provide a detailed schedule of fees for any or all of these services as part of this submission. This schedule of fees shall remain in force throughout the course of the Contract.

C. Media Purchases

The Authority shall reimburse the Contractor in an amount equal to the net cost the Contractor pays to the media for the placement of advertising across all paid media. The Authority shall not pay commission to the Contractor or its agents for the planning or placement of paid media. Instead, the Authority expects the agency to bill the Authority the agreed upon single hourly billing rate for all time that is expended to plan, place, verify and bill for these expenses. The Authority shall receive the full benefit of all arrangements and concessions arrived at by any agreement between the contractor and media companies, whereby charges at less than published rates are available to the contractor for advertising placed by the contractor on behalf of the Authority. All media placements require prior written approval by the Marketing Department Director or an authorized Authority representative. This media authorization should include details of the media placement and the total cost to the Authority for this placement.

While most media expenditures will be billed through the contractor, the Authority retains the right, at its discretion, to be billed directly for media expenses.

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Total estimated Contract costs will be a combination of:

- A. Ad agency fees based on the single average hourly rate charged the Authority for these services. The Port Authority estimates monthly billable hours will average 750 hours per month or 9,000 hours per year. For the three (3) year Base Term of this contract, the Port Authority projects total billable hours of 27,000.
- B. **Approved out-of-pocket expenses** will include, but not be limited to, production studio costs, broadcast production costs, video productions, photography, digital development, focus groups and other qualitative and quantitative research, printing, delivery and installation costs, and trade show booth designs and printing. The Port Authority estimates the average annual out-of-pocket expenses to be \$700,000 or \$2.1 million for the three (3) year Base Term.
- C. **Approved media purchases** made on the Port Authority's behalf is estimated at \$1,500,000 per year or \$4.5 million for the three (3) year Base Term.

Cost proposal calculation:

A. Overall Agency Fees based on Single Average Hourly Rate

Enter proposed single average hourly rate	\$
Multiply this rate by 27,000 hours (3-year projection)	\$ (A)

(Enter the result in line A below.)

B. Add \$2,100,000 (estimated out of pocket expenses for 3 years	
D . Add 52 , 100,000 (estimated out of pocket expenses for 5 years)	

C. Add \$4,500,000 (estimated media purchases for 3 years)

Total Estimated 3 Year Contract Costs:

- A. \$_____
- B. \$ 2,100,000.00
- C. \$ 4,500,000.00

Total Estimated 3 Year Contract Costs \$_____(sum of A+B+C)

Proposer's Company Name:_

ATTACHMENT H- Port Authority Facilities *

Aviation

John F. Kennedy International Airport LaGuardia Airport Newark Liberty International Airport

Stewart International Airport Teterboro Airport Atlantic City International Airport

Tunnels, Bridges & Terminals

Holland Tunnel Lincoln Tunnel

Bayonne Bridge George Washington Bridge Goethals Bridge Outerbridge Crossing

George Washington Bridge Bus Station Port Authority Bus Terminal

Port

Brooklyn-Port Authority Marine Terminal Elizabeth-Port Authority Marine Terminal Greenville Yard Howland Hook Marine Terminal Port Jersey-Port Authority Marine Terminal Port Newark

Port Authority Trans-Hudson

PATH Rail Transit System Journal Square Transportation Center

World Trade Center

* The Port Authority has the right to add/or delete Facilities.

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STANDARD CONTRACT TERMS AND CONDITIONS

PART I GENERAL DEFINITIONS

To avoid undue repetition, the following terms, as used in this Agreement, shall be construed as follows:

Authority or Port Authority - shall mean the Port Authority of New York and New Jersey.

<u>Contract, Document or Agreement</u> - shall mean the writings setting forth the scope, terms, conditions and Specifications for the procurement of Goods and/or Services, as defined hereunder and shall include, but not be limited to: Invitation for Bid (IFB), Request for Quotation (RFQ), Request for Proposal (RFP), Purchase Order (PO), Cover Sheet, executed Signature Sheet, AND PRICING SHEETS with Contract prices inserted," "STANDARD CONTRACT TERMS AND CONDITIONS," and, if included, attachments, endorsements, schedules, exhibits, or drawings, the Authority's acceptance and any written addenda issued by an authorized member of the Procurement Department.

Days or Calendar Days - shall mean consecutive calendar days, Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays, included.

<u>Week</u> - unless otherwise specified, shall mean seven (7) consecutive calendar days, Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays.

Month - unless otherwise specified, shall mean a calendar month.

<u>Director</u> - shall mean the Director of the Department which operates the facility of the Port Authority at which the services hereunder are to be performed, for the time being, or his/her successor in duties for the purpose of this Contract, or one of his/her authorized representatives for the purpose of this Contract.

<u>Manager</u> - shall mean the Manager of the Facility for the time, or his successor in duties for the purpose of this Contract, or his duly authorized representative for the purpose of this Contract.

No person shall be deemed a representative of the Director or Manager except to the extent specifically authorized in an express written notice to the Contractor signed by the Director or Manager, as the case may be. Further, no person shall be deemed a successor in duties of the Director unless the Contractor is so notified in writing signed by the Authority's Procurement Department. No person shall be deemed a successor in duties of the Manager unless the Contractor is so notified in a writing signed by the Director.

<u>Minority Business Enterprise</u> (MBE) - means a business entity which is at least fifty-one percent (51%) owned and controlled by one or more members of one or more minority groups, or, in the case of a publicly held corporation, at least fifty-one percent (51%) of the stock of which is owned by one or more minority groups, and whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more such individuals who are citizens or permanent resident aliens.

"Minority Group" means any of the following racial or ethnic groups:

- (a) Black persons having origins in any of the Black African racial groups not of Hispanic origin;
- (b) Hispanic persons of Mexican, Puerto Rican, Dominican, Cuban, Central or South American culture or origin, regardless of race;
- (c) Asian and Pacific Islander persons having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, The Indian Subcontinent, or the Pacific Islands;
- (d) Native American or Alaskan native persons having origins in any of the original peoples of North America and maintaining identifiable tribal affiliations through membership and participation or community identification.

Site of the Work - or words of similar import shall mean the Facility and all buildings and properties associated

therewith as described in this Contract.

Small Business Enterprise (SBE) - The criteria for a Small Business Enterprise are:

- o The principal place of business must be located in New York or New Jersey;
- o The firm must have been in business for at least three years with activity;
- o Average gross income limitations by industry as established by the Port Authority.

<u>Subcontractor</u> - shall mean anyone who performs work (other than or in addition to the furnishing of materials, plant or equipment) in connection with the services to be provided hereunder, directly or indirectly for or on behalf of the Contractor (and whether or not in privity of contract with the Contractor), but shall not include any person who furnished merely his own personal labor or his own personal services. "Subcontractor", however, shall exclude the Contractor or any subsidiary or parent of the Contractor or any person, firm or corporation which has a substantial interest in the Contractor or in which the Contractor or the parent or the subsidiary of the Contractor, or an officer or principal of the Contractor or of the parent of the subsidiary of the Contractor has a substantial interest, provided, however, that for the purpose of the clause hereof entitled "Assignments and Subcontracts" the exclusion in this paragraph shall not apply to anyone but the Contractor itself.

<u>Woman-owned Business Enterprise</u> (WBE) - shall mean a business enterprise which is at least fifty-one percent (51%) owned by one or more women, or, in the case of a publicly held corporation, at least fifty-one percent (51%) of the stock of which is owned by one or more women and whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more women who are citizens or permanent or resident aliens.

<u>Work</u> - shall mean all services, equipment and materials (including materials and equipment, if any, furnished by the Authority) and other facilities and all other things necessary or proper for, or incidental to the services to be performed or goods to be furnished in connection with the service to be provided hereunder.

PART II GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. Facility Rules and Regulations of The Port Authority

- a. The Contractor shall observe and obey (and compel its officers, employees, guests, invitees, and those doing business with it, to observe and obey) the facility Rules and Regulations of the Port Authority now in effect, and such further reasonable Rules and Regulations which may from time to time during the term of this Agreement be promulgated by the Port Authority for reasons of safety, health, preservation of property or maintenance of a good and orderly appearance and efficient operation of the Facility. The Port Authority agrees that, except in case of emergency, it shall give notice to the Contractor of every Rule and Regulation hereafter adopted by it at least five days before the Contractor shall be required to comply therewith.
- b. A copy of the facility Rules and Regulations of the Port Authority shall be available for review by the Contractor at the Office of the Secretary of the Port Authority.

2. Contractor Not An Agent

This Agreement does not constitute the Contractor the agent or representative of the Port Authority for any purpose whatsoever except as may be specifically provided in this Agreement. It is hereby specifically acknowledged and understood that the Contractor, in performing its services hereunder, is and shall be at all times an independent Contractor and the officers, agents and employees of the Contractor shall not be or be deemed to be agents, servants or employees of the Port Authority.

3. Contractor's Warranties

The Contractor represents and warrants:

- a. That it is financially solvent, that it is experienced in and competent to perform the requirements of this Contract, that the facts stated or shown in any papers submitted or referred to in connection with the solicitation are true, and, if the Contractor be a corporation, that it is authorized to perform this Contract;
- b. That it has carefully examined and analyzed the provisions and requirements of this Contract, and that from its own investigations it has satisfied itself as to the nature of all things needed for the performance of this Contract, the general and local conditions and all other matters which in any way affect this Contract or its performance, and that the time available to it for such examination, analysis, inspection and investigation was adequate;
- c. That the Contract is feasible of performance in accordance with all its provisions and requirements and that it can and will perform it in strict accordance with such provisions and requirements;
- d. That no Commissioner, officer, agent or employee of the Port Authority is personally interested directly or indirectly in this Contract or the compensation to be paid hereunder;
- e. That, except only for those representations, statements or promises expressly contained in this Contract, no representation, statement or promise, oral or in writing, of any kind whatsoever by the Port Authority, its Commissioners, officers, agents, employees or consultants has induced the Contractor to enter into this Contract or has been relied upon by the Contractor, including any with reference to: (1) the meaning, correctness, suitability, or completeness of any provisions or requirements of this Contract; (2) the nature, quantity, quality or size of the materials, equipment, labor and other facilities needed for the performance of this Contract; (3) the general or local conditions which may in any way affect this Contract or its performance; (4) the price of the Contract; or (5) any other matters, whether similar to or different from those referred to in (1) through (4) immediately above, affecting or having any connection with this Contract, the bidding thereon, any discussions thereof, the performance thereof or those employed therein or connected or concerned therewith.

Moreover, the Contractor accepts the conditions at the Site of the Work as they may eventually be found to exist and warrants and represents that it can and will perform the Contract under such conditions and that all materials, equipment, labor and other facilities required because of any unforeseen conditions (physical or otherwise) shall be wholly at its own cost and expense, anything in this Contract to the contrary notwithstanding.

Nothing in the Specifications or any other part of the Contract is intended as or shall constitute a representation by the Port Authority as to the feasibility of performance of this Contract or any part thereof.

The Contractor further represents and warrants that it was given ample opportunity and time and by means of this paragraph was requested by the Port Authority to review thoroughly all documents forming this Contract prior to opening of Bids on this Contract in order that it might request inclusion in this Contract of any statement, representation, promise or provision which it desired or on which it wished to place reliance; that it did so review said documents, that either every such statement, representation, promise or provision has been included in this Contract or else, if omitted, that it expressly relinquishes the benefit of any such omitted statement, representation, promise or provision and is willing to perform this Contract without claiming reliance thereon or making any other claim on account of such omission.

The Contractor further recognizes that the provisions of this numbered clause (though not only such provisions) are essential to the Port Authority's consent to enter into this Contract and that without such provisions, the Authority would not have entered into this Contract.

4. Personal Non-Liability

Neither the Commissioners of the Port Authority nor any of them, nor any officer, agent or employee thereof, shall be charged personally by the Contractor with any liability, or held personally liable to the Contractor

under any term or provision of this Agreement, or because of its execution or attempted execution, or because of any breach, or attempted or alleged breach, thereof.

5. Non-Discrimination Requirements

The Contractor shall take all necessary and reasonable steps to ensure non-discrimination in the performance and administration of all aspects of this Contract.

- A. Contractor hereby agrees that no person on the ground of race, color, national origin, creed/religion, sex, age or handicap/disability shall be excluded from participation in, denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination in the furnishing of goods or services or in the selection and retention of subcontractors and/or vendors under this Contract. Contractor shall also ascertain and comply with all applicable federal, state and local laws, ordinances, rules, regulations, and orders that pertain to equal employment opportunity, affirmative action, and non-discrimination in employment.
- B. Contractor agrees that these "Non-Discrimination Requirements" are a binding part of this Contract. Without limiting the generality of any other term or provision of this Contract, in the event the Authority, or a state or federal agency finds that the Contractor or any of its subcontractors or vendors has not complied with these "Non-Discrimination Requirements", the Authority may cancel, terminate or suspend this Contract in accordance with Section 14 of these Standard Terms and Conditions entitled "Default, Revocation, or Suspension of Contract."
- C. Contractor agrees to cooperate fully with the Authority's investigation of allegations of discrimination. Cooperation includes, but is not limited to, allowing the Authority to question employees during the investigation of allegations of discrimination, and complying with directives that the Authority or the State or Federal government deem essential to ensure compliance with these "Non-Discrimination Requirements."

6. Rights and Remedies of the Port Authority

The Port Authority shall have the following rights in the event the Contractor is deemed guilty of a breach of any term whatsoever of this Contract:

- a. The right to take over and complete the Work or any part thereof as agent for and at the expense of the Contractor, either directly or through others.
- b. The right to cancel this Contract as to any or all of the Work yet to be performed.
- c. The right to specific performance, an injunction or any appropriate equitable remedy.
- d. The right to money damages.

For the purpose of this Contract, breach shall include but not be limited to the following, whether or not the time has yet arrived for performance of an obligation under this Contract: a statement by the Contractor to any representative of the Port Authority indicating that the Contractor cannot or will not perform any one or more of its obligations under this Contract; any act or omission of the Contractor or any other occurrence which makes it improbable at the time that it will be able to perform any one or more of its obligations under this Contract; any suspension of or failure to proceed with any part of the Work by the Contractor which makes it improbable at the time that it will be able to perform any one or more of its obligations under this Contract.

The enumeration in this numbered clause or elsewhere in this Contract of specific rights and remedies of the Port Authority shall not be deemed to limit any other rights or remedies which the Authority would have in the absence of such enumeration; and no exercise by the Authority of any right or remedy shall operate as a waiver of any other of its rights or remedies not inconsistent therewith or to estop it from exercising such other rights or remedies.

7. Rights and Remedies of the Contractor

Inasmuch as the Contractor can be adequately compensated by money damages for any breach of this Contract which may be committed by the Port Authority, the Contractor expressly agrees that no default, act or omission of the Port Authority shall constitute a material breach of this Contract, entitling the Contractor to cancel or rescind this Contract or to suspend or abandon performance.

8. Submission To Jurisdiction

The Contractor hereby irrevocably submits itself to the jurisdiction of the Courts of the State of New York and New Jersey, in regard to any controversy arising out of, connected with, or in any way concerning this Contract.

The Contractor agrees that the service of process on the Contractor in relation to such jurisdiction may be made, at the option of the Port Authority, either by registered or certified mail addressed to it at the address of the Contractor indicated on the signature sheet, or by actual personal delivery to the Contractor, if the Contractor is an individual, to any partner if the Contractor be a partnership or to any officer, director or managing or general agent if the Contractor be a corporation.

Such service shall be deemed to be sufficient when jurisdiction would not lie because of the lack of basis to serve process in the manner otherwise provided by law. In any case, however, process may be served as stated above whether or not it might otherwise have been served in a different manner.

9. Harmony

a. The Contractor shall not employ any persons or use any labor, or use or have any equipment, or permit any condition to exist which shall or may cause or be conducive to any labor complaints, troubles, disputes or controversies at the Facility which interfere or are likely to interfere with the operation of the Port Authority or with the operations of lessees, licensees or other users of the Facility or with the operations of the Contractor under this Contract.

The Contractor shall immediately give notice to the Port Authority (to be followed by written notices and reports) of any and all impending or existing labor complaints, troubles, disputes or controversies and the progress thereof. The Contractor shall use its best efforts to resolve any such complaint, trouble, dispute or controversy. If any type of strike, boycott, picketing, work stoppage, slowdown or other labor activity is directed against the Contractor at the Facility or against any operations of the Contractor under this Contract, whether or not caused by the employees of the Contractor, and if any of the foregoing, in the opinion of the Port Authority, results or is likely to result in any curtailment or diminution of the services to be performed hereunder or to interfere with or affect the operations of the Port Authority, or to interfere with or affect the operations of lessees, licensees, or other users of the Facility or in the event of any other cessation or stoppage of operations by the Contractor hereunder for any reason whatsoever, the Port Authority shall have the right at any time during the continuance thereof to suspend the operations of the Contractor under this Contract, and during the period of the suspension the Contractor shall not perform its services hereunder and the Port Authority shall have the right during said period to itself or by any third person or persons selected by it to perform said services of the Contractor using the equipment which is used by the Contractor in its operations hereunder as the Port Authority deems necessary and without cost to the Port Authority. During such time of suspension, the Contractor shall not be entitled to any compensation. Any flat fees, including management fees, shall be prorated. Prior to the exercise of such right by the Port Authority, it shall give the Contractor notice thereof, which notice may be oral. No exercise by the Port Authority of the rights granted to it in the above subparagraph shall be or be deemed to be a waiver of any rights of termination or revocation contained in this Contract or a waiver of any rights or remedies which may be available to the Port Authority under this Contract or otherwise.

b. During the time that the Contractor is performing the Contract, other persons may be engaged in other operations on or about the worksite including Facility operations, pedestrian, bus and vehicular traffic and other Contractors performing at the worksite, all of which shall remain uninterrupted.

The Contractor shall so plan and conduct its operations as to work in harmony with others engaged at the site and not to delay, endanger or interfere with the operation of others (whether or not specifically mentioned above), all to the best interests of the Port Authority and the public as may be directed by the Port Authority.

10. Claims of Third Persons

The Contractor undertakes to pay all claims lawfully made against it by subcontractors, suppliers and workers, and all claims lawfully made against it by other third persons arising out of or in connection with or because of the performance of this Contract and to cause all subcontractors to pay all such claims lawfully made against them.

11. No Third Party Rights

Nothing contained in this Contract is intended for the benefit of third persons, except to the extent that the Contract specifically provides otherwise by use of the words "benefit" or "direct right of action."

12. Provisions of Law Deemed Inserted

Each and every provision of law and clause required by law to be inserted in this Contract shall be deemed to be inserted herein and the Contract shall be read and enforced as though it were included therein, and if through mistake or otherwise any such provision is not inserted, or is not correctly inserted, then upon the application of either party, the Contract shall forthwith be physically amended to make such insertion.

13. Costs Assumed By The Contractor

It is expressly understood and agreed that all costs of the Contractor of whatever kind or nature and whether imposed directly upon the Contractor under the terms and provisions hereof or in any other manner whatsoever because of the requirements of the operation of the service or otherwise under this Agreement shall be borne by the Contractor or without compensation or reimbursement from the Port Authority, except as specifically set forth in this Agreement. The entire and complete cost and expense of the Contractor's services and operations hereunder shall be borne solely by the Contractor and under no circumstances shall the Port Authority be liable to any third party (including the Contractor's employees) for any such costs and expenses incurred by the Contractor and under no circumstances shall the Port Authority be liable to the Contractor for the same, except as specifically set forth in this Section.

14. Default, Revocation or Suspension of Contract

a. If one or more of the following events shall occur:

- 1. If fire or other cause shall destroy all or a substantial part of the Facility.
- 2. If any governmental agency shall condemn or take a temporary or permanent interest in all or a substantial part of the Facility, or all of a part of the Port Authority's interest herein;

then upon the occurrence of such event or at any time thereafter during the continuance thereof, the Port Authority shall have the right on twenty-four (24) hours written notice to the Contractor to revoke this Contract, such revocation to be effective upon the date and time specified in such notice.

In such event this Contract shall cease and expire on the effective date of revocation as if said date were the date of the expiration of this Contract. Such revocation shall not, however, relieve the Contractor of any liabilities or obligations hereunder which shall have accrued on or prior to the effective date of revocation.

- b. If one or more of the following events shall occur:
 - 1. The Contractor shall become insolvent, or shall take the benefit of any present or future insolvency statute, or shall make a general assignment for the benefit of creditors, or file a voluntary petition in bankruptcy or a petition or answer seeking an arrangement or its

reorganization or the readjustment of its indebtedness under the federal bankruptcy laws or under any other law or statute of the United States or of any State thereof, or consent to the appointment of a receiver, trustee, or liquidator of all or substantially all its property; or

- 2. By order or decree of a court the Contractor shall be adjudged bankrupt or an order shall be made approving a petition filed by any of the creditors, or, if the Contractor is a corporation, by any of the stockholders of the Contractor, seeking its reorganization or the readjustment of its indebtedness under the federal bankruptcy laws or under any law or statute of the United States or of any State thereof; or
- 3. A petition under any part of the federal bankruptcy laws or an action under any present or future insolvency law or statute shall be filed against the Contractor and shall not be dismissed within thirty (30) days after the filing thereof; or
- 4. The interest of the Contractor under this Contract shall be transferred to, passed to or devolve upon, by operation of law or otherwise, any other person, firm or corporation, or
- 5. The Contractor, if a corporation, shall, without the prior written approval of the Port Authority, become a surviving or merged corporation in a merger, a constituent corporation in a consolidation, or a corporation in dissolution; or
- 6. If the Contractor is a partnership, and the said partnership shall be dissolved as the result of any act or omission of its copartners or any of them, or by operation of law or the order or decree of any court having jurisdiction, or for any other reason whatsoever; or
- 7. By or pursuant to, or under authority of any legislative act, resolution or rule, or any order or decree of any court or governmental board, agency or officer having jurisdiction, a receiver, trustee, or liquidator shall take possession or control of all or substantially all of the property of the Contractor and such possession or control of all or substantially all of the property of the Contractor and shall continue in effect for a period of fifteen (15) days;

then upon the occurrence of any such event or at any time thereafter during the continuance thereof, the Port Authority shall have the right upon five (5) days notice to the Contractor to terminate this Contract and the rights of the Contractor hereunder; termination to be effective upon the date and time specified in such notice as if said date were the date of the expiration of this Contract. Termination shall not relieve the Contractor of any liabilities or obligations hereunder which have accrued on or prior to the effective date of termination.

- c. If any of the following shall occur:
 - 1. The Contractor shall cease, abandon any part of the service, desert, stop or discontinue its services in the premises for any reason whatsoever and regardless of the fault of the Contractor; or
 - 2. The Contractor shall fail to keep, perform and observe each and every other promise, covenant and agreement set forth in this Contract on its part to be kept, performed or observed, within five (5) days after receipt of notice of default thereunder from the Port Authority (except where fulfillment of its obligations requires activity over a greater period of time, and the Contractor shall have commenced to perform whatever may be required for fulfillment within five (5) days after receipt of notice and continues such performance without interruption except for causes beyond its control);

then upon the occurrence of any such event or during the continuance thereof, the Port Authority shall have the right on twenty four (24) hours notice to the Contractor to terminate this Contract and the rights of the Contractor hereunder, termination to be effective upon the date and time specified in such notice. Termination shall not relieve the Contractor of any liabilities which shall have accrued on or prior to the effective date of termination.

d. If any of the events enumerated in this Section shall occur prior to commencement date of this

Contract the Port Authority upon the occurrence of any such event or any time thereafter during the continuance thereof by twenty-four (24) hours notice may terminate or suspend this Contract and the rights of the Contractor hereunder, such termination or suspension to be effective upon the date specified in such notice.

- e. No payment by the Port Authority of any monies to the Contractor for any period or periods after default of any of the terms, covenants or conditions hereof to be performed, kept and observed by the Contractor and no act or thing done or omitted to be done by the Port Authority shall be deemed to be a waiver of the right of the Port Authority to terminate this Contract or of any other right or remedies to which the Port Authority may be entitled because of any breach thereof. No waiver by the Port Authority of any default on the part of the Contractor in the performance of any of the terms, covenants and conditions hereof to be performed, kept or observed by the Contractor shall be or be construed to be a waiver by the Port Authority of any other subsequent default in the performance of any of the said terms, covenants and conditions.
- f. In addition to all other rights of revocation or termination hereunder and notwithstanding any other provision of this Contract the Port Authority may terminate this Contract and the rights of the Contractor hereunder without cause at any time upon five (5) days written notice to the Contractor and in such event this Contract shall cease and expire on the date set forth in the notice of termination as fully and completely as though such dates were the original expiration date hereof and if such effective date of termination is other than the last day of the month, the amount of the compensation due to the Contractor from the Port Authority shall be prorated when applicable on a daily basis. Such cancellation shall be without prejudice to the rights and obligations of the parties arising out of portions already performed but no allowance shall be made for anticipated profits.
- g. Any right of termination contained in this paragraph, shall be in addition to and not in lieu of any and all rights and remedies that the Port Authority shall have at law or in equity consequent upon the Contractor's breach of this Contract and shall be without prejudice to any and all such other rights and remedies. It is hereby specifically agreed and understood that the exercise by the Port Authority of any right of termination set forth in this paragraph shall not be or be deemed to be an exercise by the Port Authority of an election of remedies so as to preclude the Port Authority from any right to money damages it may have for the period prior to the effective date of termination to the original expiration date of the Contract, and this provision shall be deemed to survive the termination of this Contract as aforesaid.
- h. If (1) the Contractor fails to perform any of its obligations under this Contract or any other agreement between the Port Authority and the Contractor (including its obligation to the Port Authority to pay any claim lawfully made against it by any supplier, subcontractor or worker or other person which arises out of or in connection with the performance of this Contract or any other agreement with the Port Authority) or (2) any claim (just or unjust) which arises out of or in connection with this Contract or any other agreement between the Port Authority and the Contractor is made against the Port Authority or (3) any subcontractor under this Contract or any other agreement between the Port Authority and the Contractor fails to pay any claims lawfully made against it by any supplier, subcontractor, worker or other third person which arises out of or in connection with this Contract or any other agreement between the Port Authority and the Contractor or if in the opinion of the Port Authority any of the aforesaid contingencies is likely to arise, then the Port Authority shall have the right, in its discretion, to withhold out of any payment (final or otherwise) such sums as the Port Authority may deem ample to protect it against delay or loss or to assure the payment of just claims of third persons, and to apply such sums in such manner as the Port Authority may deem proper to secure such protection or satisfy such claims. All sums so applied shall be deducted from the Contractor's compensation. Omission by the Port Authority to withhold out of any payment, final or otherwise, a sum for any of the above contingencies, even though such contingency has occurred at the time of such payment, shall not be deemed to indicate that the Port Authority does not intend to

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exercise its right with respect to such contingency. Neither the above provisions for rights of the Port Authority to withhold and apply monies nor any exercise or attempted exercise of, or omission to exercise, such rights by the Port Authority shall create any obligation of any kind to such supplier, subcontractors, worker or other third persons. If, however, the payment of any amount due the Contractor shall be improperly delayed, the Port Authority shall pay the Contractor interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum for the period of the delay, it being agreed that such interest shall be in lieu of and in liquidation of any damages to the Contractor because of such delay.

- i. If the Port Authority has paid any sum or has incurred any obligation or expense which the Contractor has agreed to pay or reimburse the Port Authority, or if the Port Authority is required or elects to pay any sum or sums or incurs any obligations or expense by reason of the failure, neglect or refusal of the Contractor to perform or fulfill any one or more of the conditions, covenants, or agreements contained in this Contract, or as a result of an act of omission of the Port Authority the sum or sums so paid or expense so incurred, including all interests, costs and damages, promptly upon the receipt of the Port Authority's statement therefore. The Port Authority may, however, in its discretion, elect to deduct said sum or sums from any payment payable by it to the Contractor.
- j. If the Port Authority pays any installment to the Contractor without reducing said installment as provided in this Contract, it may reduce any succeeding installment by the proper amount, or it may bill the Contractor for the amount by which the installment paid should have been reduced and the Contractor shall pay to the Port Authority any such amount promptly upon receipt of the Port Authority's statement therefore.
- k. The Port Authority shall also have the rights set forth above in the event the Contractor shall become insolvent or bankrupt or if his affairs are placed in the hands of a receiver, trustee or assignee for the benefit of creditors.

15. Sales or Compensating Use Taxes

Purchases of services and tangible personal property by the Port Authority in the States of New York and New Jersey are generally exempt from state and local sales and compensating use taxes, and from most federal excises (Taxes). Therefore, the Port Authority's purchase of the Contractor's services under this Contract is exempt from Taxes. Accordingly, the Contractor must not include Taxes in the price charged to the Port Authority for the Contractor's services under this Contract. The Contractor certifies that there are no such taxes included in the prices for this Contract. The Contractor shall retain a copy of this Contract to substantiate the exempt sale.

The compensation set forth in this Agreement is the complete compensation to the Contractor, and the Port Authority will not separately reimburse the Contractor for any taxes unless specifically set forth in this Agreement.

16. No Estoppel or Waiver

The Port Authority shall not be precluded or estopped by any payment, final or otherwise, issued or made under this Contract, from showing at any time the true amount and character of the services performed, or from showing that any such payment is incorrect or was improperly issued or made; and the Port Authority shall not be precluded or estopped, notwithstanding any such payment, from recovering from the Contractor any damages which it may sustain by reason of any failure on its part to comply strictly with this Contract, and any moneys which may be paid to it or for its account in excess of those to which it is lawfully entitled.

No cancellation, rescission or annulment hereof, in whole or as to any part of the services to be provided hereunder, or because of any breach hereof, shall be deemed a waiver of any money damages to which the Port Authority may be entitled because of such breach. Moreover, no waiver by the Authority of any breach of this Contract shall be deemed to be a waiver of any other or any subsequent breach.

17. Records and Reports

The Contractor shall set up, keep and maintain (and shall cause its subcontractors to set up, keep and maintain) in accordance with generally accepted accounting practice during the term of this Agreement and any extensions thereof and for three years after the expiration, termination or revocation thereof, records, payroll records and books of account (including, but not limited to, records of original entry and daily forms, payroll runs, cancelled checks, time records, union agreements, contracts with health, pension and other third party benefit providers) recording all transactions of the Contractor(and its subcontractors), at, through or in any way connected with or related to the operations of the Contractor (and its subcontractors) hereunder, including but not limited to all matters relating to the charges payable to the Contractor hereunder, all wages and supplemental benefits paid or provided to or for its employees (and its subcontractors' employees) and such additional information as the Port Authority may from time to time and at any time require, and also including, if appropriate, recording the actual number of hours of service provided under the Contract, and keeping separate records thereof which records and books of account shall be kept at all times within the Port District. The Contractor shall permit (and cause its subcontractors to permit) in ordinary business hours during the term of this Agreement including any extensions thereof and for three years thereafter the examination and audit by the officers, employees and representatives of the Port Authority of such records and books of account and also any records and books of account of any company which is owned or controlled by the Contractor, or which owns or controls the Contractor if said company performs services similar to those performed by the Contractor anywhere in the Port District. However, if within the aforesaid three year period the Port Authority has notified the Contractor in writing of a pending claim by the Port Authority under or in connection with this Contract to which any of the aforesaid records and documents of the Contractor or of its subcontractors relate either directly or indirectly, then the period of such right of access shall be extended to the expiration of six years from the date of final payment with respect to the records and documents involved.

Upon request of the Port Authority, the Contractor shall furnish or provide access to the federal Form I-9 (Employment Eligibility Verification) for each individual performing work under this Contract. This includes citizens and noncitizens.

The Contractor (and its subcontractors) shall, at its own expense, install, maintain and use such equipment and devices for recording the labor hours of the service as shall be appropriate to its business and necessary or desirable to keep accurate records of the same and as the general manager or the Facility Manager may from time to time require, and the Contractor (and its subcontractors) shall at all reasonable times allow inspection by the agents and employees of the Port Authority of all such equipment or devices.

- a. The Contractor hereby further agrees to furnish to the Port Authority from time to time such written reports in connection with its operations hereunder as the Port Authority may deem necessary or desirable. The format of all forms, schedules and reports furnished by the Contractor to the Port Authority shall be subject to the continuing approval of the Port Authority.
- b. No provision in this Contract giving the Port Authority a right of access to records and documents is intended to impair or affect any right of access to records and documents which they would have in the absence of such provision. Additional record keeping may be required under other sections of this Contract.

18. General Obligations

a. Except where expressly required or permitted herein to be oral, all notices, requests, consents and approvals required to be given to or by either party shall be in writing and all such notices, requests, consents and approvals shall be personally delivered to the other party during regular business hours or forwarded to such party by United States certified mail, return receipt requested, addressed to the other party at its address hereinbefore or hereafter provided. Until further notice the Contractor hereby designates the address shown on the bottom of the Contractors Signature Sheet as their address to which such notices, requests, consents, or approvals may be forwarded. All notices, requests, consents, or approvals of the Contractor shall be forwarded to the Manager at the Facility.

- b. The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of all present and future federal, state and municipal laws, rules, regulations, requirements, ordinances, orders and directions which pertain to its operations under this Contract and which affect the Contract or the performance thereof and those engaged therein as if the said Contract were being performed for a private corporation, except where stricter requirements are contained in the Contract in which case the Contract shall control. The Contractor shall procure for itself all licenses, certificates, permits or other authorization from all governmental authorities, if any, having jurisdiction over the Contractor's operations hereunder which may be necessary for the Contractor's operations. The Contractor's obligation to comply with governmental requirements is not to be construed as a submission by the Port Authority to the application to itself of such requirements.
- c. The Contractor shall pay all taxes, license, certification, permit and examination fees and excises which may be assessed on its property or operations hereunder or income therefrom, and shall make all applications, reports and returns required in connection therewith.
- d. The Contractor shall, in conducting its operations hereunder, take all necessary precautions to protect the general environment and to prevent environmental pollution, contamination, damage to property and personal injury. In the event the Contractor encounters material reasonably believed to be asbestos, polychlorinated biphenyl (PCB) or any other hazardous material, in conducting its operations hereunder, the Contractor shall immediately stop Work in the area affected and report the condition in writing to the Manager. Work in the affected area shall not thereafter be resumed by the Contractor except upon the issuance of a written order to that effect from the Manager.
- e. The Contractor shall promptly observe, comply with and execute the provisions of any and all present and future rules and regulations, requirements, standard orders and directions of the American Insurance Association, the Insurance Services Office, National Fire Protection Association, and any other body or organization exercising similar functions which may pertain or apply to the Contractor's operations hereunder.

The Contractor shall not do or permit to be done any act which:

- 1. will invalidate or be in conflict with any fire insurance policies covering the Facility or any part thereof or upon the contents of any building thereon; or
- 2. will increase the rate of any fire insurance, extended coverage or rental insurance on the Facility or any part thereof or upon the contents of any building thereon; or
- 3. in the opinion of the Port Authority will constitute a hazardous condition, so as to increase the risk normally attendant upon the operations contemplated by this Contract; or
- 4. may cause or produce in the premises, or upon the Facility any unusual, noxious or objectionable smoke, gases, vapors, odors; or
- 5. may interfere with the effectiveness or accessibility of the drainage and sewerage system, fire protection system, sprinkler system, alarm system, fire hydrants and hoses, if any, installed or located or to be installed or located in or on the Facility; or
- 6. shall constitute a nuisance in or on the Facility or which may result in the creation, commission or maintenance of a nuisance in or on the Facility.
- f. If by reason of the Contractor's failure to comply with the provisions of this Section and provided the Port Authority has given the Contractor five (5) days written notice of its failure and the Contractor shall not have cured said failure within said five (5) days, any fire insurance, extended coverage or rental insurance rate on the Facility or any part thereof or upon the contents of any building thereon shall at any time be higher than it otherwise would be, then the Contractor shall on demand pay the Port Authority that part of all fire insurance, extended coverage or rental insurance premiums paid or payable by the Port Authority which shall have been charged because of such violations by the Contractor.
- g. The Contractor shall conduct its operations hereunder so as not to endanger, unreasonably interfere with, or delay the operations or activities of any tenants or occupants on the premises or the Facility and,

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moreover, shall use the same degree of care in performance on the premises as would be required by law of the Port Authority and shall conduct operations hereunder in a courteous, efficient and safe manner.

 h. The Contractor shall provide such equipment and medical facilities as may be necessary to supply first aid service in case of accidents to its personnel who may be injured in the furnishing of service hereunder. The Contractor shall maintain standing arrangements for the removal and hospital treatment of any of its personnel who may be injured.

19. Assignments and Subcontracting

- a. The Contractor shall not sell, transfer, mortgage, pledge, subcontract or assign this Contract or any part thereof or any of the rights granted hereunder or any moneys due or to become due to it hereunder or enter into any contract requiring or permitting the doing of anything hereunder by an independent Contractor, without the prior written approval of the Port Authority, and any such sale, transfer, mortgage, pledge, subcontract, assignment or contract without such prior written approval shall be void as to the Port Authority.
- b. All subcontractors who provide permanent personnel to the Contractor for work under this Contract shall be given written notice to comply with all requirements of the Contract. The Contractor shall be responsible and liable for the performance and acts of each subcontractor.
- c. All persons to whom the Contractor sublets services shall be deemed to be its agents and no subletting or approval thereof shall be deemed to release this Contractor from its obligations under this Contract or to impose any obligations on the Port Authority to such subcontractor or to give the subcontractor any rights against the Port Authority.

20. Indemnification and Risks Assumed By The Contractor

To the extent permitted by law, the Contractor shall indemnify and hold harmless the Port Authority, its Commissioners, Directors, agents, servants, officers, representatives and employees from and against all claims and demands, just or unjust, of third persons (including Contractor's agents, servants, officers, representatives and employees) arising out of or in any way connected to or alleged to arise out of or alleged to be in any way connected with the Contract and all other services and activities of the Contractor under this Contract and for all expenses incurred by it and by them in the defense, settlement or satisfaction thereof, including without limitation thereto, claims and demands for death, for personal injury or for property damage, direct or consequential, whether they arise out of or are in any way connected to the Contractor's operations or to its performance of work under this Contract, or arise out of the acts or omissions of the Contractor, the Port Authority, its Commissioners, Directors, agents, servants, officers, representatives or employees, third persons (including Contractor's agents, servants, officers, representatives and employees), or from the acts of God or the public enemy, or otherwise, including claims and demands of any local jurisdiction against the Port Authority in connection with this Contract.

The Contractor assumes the following risks, whether such risks arise out of or are in any way connected to the Contractor's operations or to its performance of work under this Contract, or arise out of acts or omissions (negligent or not) of the Contractor, the Port Authority or third persons (including agents, servants, officers, representatives, Commissioners, Directors and employees of the Port Authority and the Contractor) or from any other cause, excepting only risks occasioned solely by affirmative willful acts of the Port Authority done subsequent to the opening of proposals on this Contract, and shall to the extent permitted by law indemnify the Port Authority for all loss or damage incurred in connection with such risks:

a. The risk of any and all loss or damage to Port Authority property, equipment (including but not limited to automotive and/or mobile equipment), materials and possessions, on or off the premises, the loss or damage of which shall arise out of the Contractor's operations hereunder. The Contractor shall if so directed by the Port Authority, repair, replace or rebuild to the satisfaction of the Port Authority, any and all parts of the premises or the Facility which may be damaged or destroyed by the acts or omissions of

the Contractor, its officers, agents, or employees and if the Contractor shall fail so to repair, replace, or rebuild with due diligence the Port Authority may, at its option, perform any of the foregoing work and the Contractor shall pay to the Port Authority the cost thereof.

- b. The risk of any and all loss or damage of the Contractor's property, equipment (including but not limited to automotive and/or mobile equipment) materials and possessions on the Facility.
- c. The risk of claims, whether made against the Contractor or the Port Authority, for any and all loss or damages occurring to any property, equipment (including but not limited to automotive and/or mobile equipment), materials and possessions of the Contractor's agents, employees, materialmen and others performing work hereunder.

d. The risk of claims for injuries, damage or loss of any kind whether just or unjust of third persons (including agents, servants, officers, representatives, Commissioners, Directors and employees of the Port Authority and the Contractor) arising or alleged to arise out of or in connection with the Contractor's operations or its performance of work hereunder, whether such claims are made against the Contractor or the Port Authority.

If so directed, the Contractor shall at its own expense defend any suit based upon any such claim or demand, even if such suit, claim or demand is groundless, false or fraudulent, and in handling such shall not, without obtaining express advance permission from the General Counsel of the Port Authority, raise any defense involving in any way the jurisdiction of the tribunal over the person of the Port Authority, the immunity of the Port Authority, its Commissioners, officers, agents or employees, the governmental nature of the Port Authority or the provision of any statutes respecting suits against the Port Authority.

Neither the requirements of the Port Authority under this Contract, nor of the Port Authority of the methods of performance hereunder nor the failure of the Port Authority to call attention to improper or inadequate methods or to require a change in the method of performance hereunder nor the failure of the Port Authority to direct the Contractor to take any particular precaution or other action or to refrain from doing any particular thing shall relieve the Contractor of its liability for injuries to persons or damage to property or environmental impairment arising out of its operations.

21. Approval of Methods

Neither the approval of the Port Authority of the methods of furnishing services hereunder nor the failure of the Port Authority to call attention to improper or inadequate methods or to require a change in the method of furnishing services hereunder, nor the failure of the Port Authority to direct the Contractor to take any particular precautions or to refrain from doing any particular thing shall relieve the Contractor of its liability for any injuries to persons or damage to property or environmental impairment arising out of its operations.

22. Safety and Cleanliness

- a. The Contractor shall, in the furnishing of services hereunder, exercise every precaution to prevent injury to person or damage to property or environmental impairment and avoid inconvenience to the occupants of or any visitors to the Facility. The Contractor shall, without limiting the generality hereof, place such personnel, erect such barricades and railings, give such warnings, display such lights, signals or signs, place such cones and exercise precautions as may be necessary, proper or desirable.
- b. The Contractor shall in case of unsafe floor conditions due to construction, wetness, spillage, sickness and all other types of hazardous conditions proceed to rope off the unsafe area and place appropriate warnings signs to prevent accidents from occurring. The Contractor shall clean said area to the satisfaction of the Manager.
- c. The Contractor shall at all times maintain in a clean and orderly condition and appearance any and all facilities provided by the Port Authority for the Contractor's operations, and all fixtures, sink closets,

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equipment, and other personal property of the Port Authority which are located in said facilities.

23. Accident Reports

The Contractor shall promptly report in writing to the Manager of the Facility and to the Deputy Chief, Litigation Management of the Port Authority all accidents whatsoever arising out of or in connection with its operations hereunder and which result in death or injury to persons or damage to property, setting forth such details thereof as the Port Authority may desire. In addition, if death or serious injury or serious damage is caused, such accidents shall be immediately reported by telephone to the aforesaid representatives of the Port Authority.

24. Trash Removal

The Contractor shall remove daily from the Facility by means provided by the Contractor all garbage, debris and other waste material (solid or liquid) arising out of or in connection with its operations hereunder, and any such garbage, debris and other waste material not immediately removed shall be temporarily stored in a clear and sanitary condition, approved by the Facility Manager and shall be kept covered except when filling or emptying them. The Contractor shall exercise care in removing such garbage, debris and other waste materials from the Facility. The manner of such storage and removal shall always be subject in all respects to the continual approval of the Port Authority. No equipment or facilities of the Port Authority shall be used in such removal unless with its prior consent in writing. No such garbage, debris or other waste materials shall be or be permitted to be thrown, discharged or disposed into or upon the waters at or bounding the Facility.

25. Lost and Found Property

The Contractor shall instruct its personnel that all items of personal property found by the Contractor's employees at the Site must be turned in to the Port Authority and a receipt will be issued therefor.

26. Property of the Contractor

- a. All property of the Contractor at the Site by virtue of this Contract shall be removed on or before the expiration or sooner termination or revocation of this Contract.
- b. If the Contractor shall fail to remove its property upon the expiration, termination or revocation of this Contract the Port Authority may, at its option, dispose of such property as waste or as agent for the Contractor and at the risk and expense of the Contractor, remove such property to a public warehouse, or may retain the same in its own possession, and in either event after the expiration of thirty (30) days may sell the same in accordance with any method deemed appropriate; the proceeds of any such sale shall be applied first, to the expenses of sale and second, to any sums owed by the Contractor to the Port Authority; any balance remaining shall be paid to the Contractor. Any excess of the total cost of removal, storage and sale and other costs incurred by the Port Authority as a result of such failure of performance by the Contractor over the proceeds of sale shall be paid by the Contractor to the Port Authority upon demand.

27. Modification of Contract

This Contract may not be changed except in writing signed by the Port Authority and the Contractor. The Contractor agrees that no representation or warranties shall be binding upon the Port Authority unless expressed in writing in this Contract.

28. Invalid Clauses

If any provision of this Contract shall be such as to destroy its mutuality or to render it invalid or illegal, then, if it shall not appear to have been so material that without it the Contract would not have been made by the parties, it shall not be deemed to form part thereof but the balance of the Contract shall remain in full force and effect.

29. Approval of Materials, Supplies and Equipment

Only Port Authority approved materials, supplies, and equipment are to be used by the Contractor in performing the Work hereunder. Inclusion of chemical containing materials or supplies on the Port Authority Approved Products List – Environmental Protection Supplies constitutes approval. The list may be revised from time to time and at any time by the Port Authority and it shall be incumbent upon the Contractor to obtain the most current list from the Manager of the Facility.

At anytime during the Solicitation, pre-performance or performance periods, the Contractor may propose the use of an alternate product or products to those on the Approved Products List – Environmental Protection Supplies, which product(s) shall be subject to review and approval by the Port Authority. Any alternate product so approved by the Port Authority may be used by the Contractor in performing the Services hereunder. Until such approval is given, only products on the Approved Products List – Environmental Protection Supplies may be used.

30. Intellectual Property

The right to use all patented materials, appliances, processes of manufacture or types of construction, trade and service marks, copyrights and trade secrets, collectively hereinafter referred to as "Intellectual Property Rights", in the performance of the work, shall be obtained by the Contractor without separate or additional compensation. Where the services under this Agreement require the Contractor to provide materials, equipment or software for the use of the Port Authority or its employees or agents, the Port Authority shall be provided with the Intellectual Property Rights required for such use without further compensation than is provided for under this Agreement.

The Contractor shall indemnify the Port Authority against and save it harmless from all loss and expense incurred as a result of any claims in the nature of Intellectual Property Rights infringement arising out of the Contractor's or Port Authority's use, in accordance with the above immediately preceding paragraph, of any Intellectual Property. The Contractor, if requested, shall conduct all negotiations with respect to and defend such claims. If the Contractor or the Port Authority, its employees or agents be enjoined either temporarily or permanently from the use of any subject matter as to which the Contractor is to indemnify the Port Authority against infringement, then the Port Authority may, without limiting any other rights it may have, require the Contractor to supply temporary or permanent replacement facilities approved by the Manager, and if the Contractor fails to do so the Contractor shall, at its expense, remove all such enjoined facilities and refund the cost thereof to the Port Authority with said injunction, to the satisfaction of the Port Authority.

In addition, the Contractor shall promptly and fully inform the Director in writing of any intellectual property rights disputes, whether existing or potential, of which it has knowledge, relating to any idea, design, method, material, equipment or any other matter related to the subject matter of this Agreement or coming to its attention in connection with this Agreement.

31. Contract Records and Documents – Passwords and Codes

When the performance of the contract services requires the Contractor to produce, compile or maintain records, data, drawings, or documents of any kind, regardless of the media utilized, then all such records, drawings, data and documents which are produced, prepared or compiled in connection with this contract, shall become the property of the Port Authority, and the Port Authority shall have the right to use or permit the use of them and any ideas or methods represented by them for any purpose and at any time without other compensation than that specifically provided herein.

When in the performance of the contract services the Contractor utilizes passwords or codes for any purpose, at any time during or after the performance of such services, upon written request by the Authority, the Contractor shall make available to the designated Authority representative all such passwords and codes.

32. Designated Secure Areas

Services under the Contract may be required in designated secure areas, as the same may be designated by the Manager from time to time ("Secure Areas"). The Port Authority shall require the observance of certain security procedures with respect to Secure Areas, which may include the escort to, at, and/or from said high security areas by security personnel designated by the Contractor or any subcontractor's personnel required to work therein. All personnel that require access to designated secure areas who are not under positive escort by an authorized individual will be required to undergo background screening and personal identity verification.

Forty-eight (48) hours prior to the proposed performance of any work in a Secure Area, the Contractor shall notify the Manager. The Contractor shall conform to the procedures as may be established by the Manager from time to time and at any time for access to Secure Areas and the escorting of personnel hereunder. Prior to the start of work, the Contractor shall request a description from the Manager of the Secure Areas which will be in effect on the commencement date. The description of Secure Areas may be changed from time to time and at any time by the Manager during the term of the Contract.

33. Notification of Security Requirements

The Authority has the responsibility of ensuring safe, reliable and secure transportation facilities, systems, and projects to maintain the well-being and economic competitiveness of the region. Therefore, the Authority reserves the right to deny access to certain documents, sensitive security construction sites and facilities (including rental spaces) to any person that declines to abide by Port Authority security procedures and protocols, any person with a criminal record with respect to certain crimes or who may otherwise poses a threat to the construction site or facility security. The Authority reserves the right to impose multiple layers of security requirements on the Contractor, its staff and subcontractors and their staffs depending upon the level of security required, or may make any amendments with respect to such requirements as determined by the Authority.

These security requirements may include but are not limited to the following:

• Execution of Port Authority Approved Non-Disclosure and Confidentiality Agreements

At the direction of the Port Authority, the Contractor shall be required to have its principals, staff and/or subcontractor(s) and their staff, execute Port Authority approved non-disclosure and confidentiality agreements.

• Contractor/ Subcontractor identity checks and background screening

The Port Authority's designated background screening provider may require inspection of not less than two forms of valid/current government issued identification (at least one having an official photograph) to verify staff's name and residence; screening federal, state, and/or local criminal justice agency information databases and files; screening of any terrorist identification files; access identification to include some form of biometric security methodology such as fingerprint, facial or iris scanning, or the like.

The Contractor may be required to have its staff, and any subcontractor's staff, material-men, visitors or others over whom the Contractor/subcontractor has control, authorize the Authority or its designee to perform background checks, and a personal identity verification check. Such authorization shall be in a form acceptable to the Authority. The Contractor and subcontractors may also be required to use an organization designated by the Authority to perform the background checks.

As of January 29, 2007, the Secure Worker Access Consortium (S.W.A.C.) is the only Port Authority approved provider to be used to conduct background screening and personal identity verification, except as otherwise required by federal law and/or regulation (such as Security Identification Display Area (SIDA), the federal regulatory requirements for personnel performing Work at aviation facilities and such as the Transportation Worker Identification Credential for personnel performing in secure areas at Maritime facilities). Information about S.W.A.C., instructions, corporate enrollment, online applications, and location of processing centers can be found at http://www.secureworker.com, or S.W.A.C. may be contacted directly at (877) 522-7922 for more information and the latest pricing. The cost for said background checks for staff that pass and are granted a credential shall be reimbursable to the Contractor

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(and its subcontractors) as an out-of-pocket expense as provided herein. Staff that are rejected for a credential for any reason are not reimbursable.

• Issuance of Photo Identification Credential

No person will be permitted on or about the Authority construction site or facility (including rental spaces) without a facility-specific photo identification credential approved by the Authority. If the authority requires facility-specific identification credential for the Contractor's and the subcontractor's staff, the Authority will supply such identification at no cost to the Contractor or its subcontractors. Such facility-specific identification credential shall remain the property of the Authority and shall be returned to the Authority at the completion or upon request prior to completion of the individual's assignment at the specific facility. It is the responsibility of the appropriate Contractor or subcontractor to immediately report to the Authority the loss of any staff member's individual facility-specific identification credential. The Contractor or subcontractor's staff shall display Identification badges in a conspicuous and clearly visible manner, when entering, working or leaving an Authority construction site or facility.

Employees may be required to produce not less than two forms of valid/current government issued identification having an official photograph and an original, unlaminated social security card for identify and SSN verification. Where applicable, for sensitive security construction sites or facilities, successful completion of the application, screening and identify verification for all employees of the Contractor and subcontractors shall be completed prior to being provided a S.W.A.C. ID Photo Identification credential.

• Access control, inspection, and monitoring by security guards

The Authority may provide for Authority construction site or facility (including rental spaces) access control, inspection and monitoring by Port Authority Police or Authority retained contractor security guards. However, this provision shall not relieve the Contractor of its responsibility to secure its equipment and work and that of its subconsultant/subcontractor's and service suppliers at the Authority construction site or facility (including rental spaces). In addition, the Contractor, subcontractor or service provider is not permitted to take photographs, digital images, electronic copying and/or electronic transmission or video recordings or make sketches on any other medium at the Authority construction sites or facilities (including rental spaces), except when necessary to perform the Work under this Contract, without prior written permission from the Authority. Upon request, any photograph, digital images, video recording or sketches made of the Authority construction site or facility shall be submitted to the Authority to determine compliance with this paragraph, which submission shall be conclusive and binding on the submitting entity.

• Compliance with the Port Authority Information Security Handbook

The Contract may require access to Port Authority information considered Protected Information ("PI") as defined in the Port Authority Information Security Handbook ("Handbook"), dated October, 2008, corrected as of November 14, 2013, and as may be further amended. The Handbook and its requirements are hereby incorporated into this agreement and will govern the possession, distribution and use of PI if at any point during the lifecycle of the project or solicitation it becomes necessary for the Contractor to have access to PI. Protecting sensitive information requires the application of uniform safeguarding measures to prevent unauthorized disclosure and to control any authorized disclosure of this information within the Port Authority or when released by the Port Authority to outside entities. The following is an outline of some of the procedures, obligations and directives contained in the Handbook:

- (1) require that the Contractor and subcontractors, when appropriate, sign Non-Disclosure and Confidentiality Agreements (NDAs), or an Acknowledgment of an existing NDA, provided by the Authority as a condition of being granted access to Confidential Information categorized and protected as per the Handbook;
- (2) require that individuals needing access to PI be required to undergo a background check, pursuant to the process and requirements noted in § 3.2 of the Information Security Handbook.

- (3) require Contractors and commercial enterprises to attend training to ensure security awareness regarding Port Authority information;
- (4) specific guidelines and requirements for the handling of PI to ensure that the storage and protection of PI;
- (5) restrictions on the transfer, shipping, and mailing of PI;
- (6) prohibitions on the publication, posting, modifying, copying, reproducing, republishing, uploading, transmitting, or distributing PI on websites or web pages. This may also include restricting persons, who either have not passed a pre-screening background check, or who have not been granted access to PI, from viewing such information;
- (7) require that PI be destroyed using certain methods, measures or technology pursuant to the requirements set forth in the Handbook;
- (8) require the Contractor to mandate that each of its subcontractors maintain the same levels of security required of the Contractor under any Port Authority awarded contract.
- (9) prohibit the publication, exchange or dissemination of PI developed from the project or contained in reports, except between Contractors and subcontractors, on a need to know basis, without prior approval of the Port Authority;
- (10) require that PI only be reproduced or copied pursuant to the requirements set forth in the Handbook.

• Audits for Compliance with Security Requirements

The Port Authority may conduct random or scheduled examinations of business practices under this section entitled "NOTIFICATION OF SECURITY REQUIREMENTS" and the Handbook in order to assess the extent of compliance with security requirements, Protected Information procedures, protocols and practices, which may include, but not be limited to, verification of background check status, confirmation of completion of specified training, and/or a site visit to view material storage locations and protocols.

34. Construction In Progress

The Contractor recognizes that construction may be in progress at the Facility and may continue throughout the term of this Contract. Notwithstanding, the Contractor shall at all times during the term hereof maintain the same standards of performance and cleanliness as prevails in non-affected areas as required by the standards hereunder.

35. Permit-Required Confined Space Work

Prior to commencement of any work, the Contractor shall request and obtain from the Port Authority a description of all spaces at the facility which are permit-required confined spaces requiring issuance of an OSHA permit.

Prior to the commencement of any work in a permit-required confined space at a Port Authority facility requiring issuance of an OSHA permit, the Contractor shall contact the Manager to obtain an Authority Contractor Permit-Required Confined Space Notification form. The notification form must be filled out and submitted prior to commencing permit-required confined space work. All confined space work shall be performed in accordance with all applicable OSHA requirements. The Contractor shall provide its employees with a copy of its own company permit and shall furnish the Port Authority with a copy of the permit upon completion of the work. The Contractor must supply all equipment required for working in a confined space.

36. Signs

Except with the prior written approval of the Port Authority, the Contractor shall not erect, maintain or display any signs or posters or any advertising on or about the Facility.

37. Vending Machines, Food Preparation

The Contractor shall not install, maintain or operate on the Facility, or on any other Port Authority property, any vending machines without the prior written approval of the Port Authority. No foods or beverages shall be prepared or consumed at the Facility by any of the Contractor's employees except in areas as may be specifically designated by the Port Authority for such purpose.

38. Protected Information/Non-Publication

a. As used herein, confidential information shall mean all information disclosed to the Contractor or the personnel provided by the Contractor hereunder which relates to the Authority's and/or PATH's past, present, and future research, development and business activities including, but not limited to, software and documentation licensed to the Authority or proprietary to the Authority and/or PATH and all associated software, source code procedures and documentation. Confidential information shall also mean any other tangible or intangible information or materials including but not limited to computer identification numbers, access codes, passwords, and reports obtained and/or used during the performance of the Contractor's Services under this Contract.

b. Protected Information shall mean and include collectively, as per *The Port Authority of New York & New Jersey Information Security Handbook (October 15, 2008, corrected as of November 14, 2013),* Confidential Information, Confidential Proprietary Information, Confidential Privileged Information and information that is labeled, marked or otherwise identified by or on behalf of the Authority so as to reasonably connote that such information is confidential, privileged, sensitive or proprietary in nature. Confidential Information shall also include all work product that contains or is derived from any of the foregoing, whether in whole or in part, regardless of whether prepared by the Authority or a third-party or when the Authority receives such information from others and agrees to treat such information as Confidential.

c. The Contractor shall hold all such Protected Information in trust and confidence for the Authority, and agrees that the Contractor and the personnel provided by the Contractor hereunder shall not, during or after the termination or expiration of this Contract, disclose to any person, firm or corporation, nor use for its own business or benefit, any information obtained by it under or in connection with the supplying of services contemplated by this Contract. The Contractor and the personnel provided by the Contractor hereunder shall not violate in any manner any patent, copyright, trade secret or other proprietary right of the Authority or third persons in connection with their services hereunder, either before or-after termination or expiration of this Contract. The Contractor and the personnel provided by the Contractor hereunder shall not willfully or otherwise perform any dishonest or fraudulent acts, breach any security procedures, or damage or destroy any hardware, software or documentation, proprietary or otherwise, in connection with their services hereunder. The Contractor shall promptly and fully inform the Director/General Manager in writing of any patent, copyright, trade secret or other intellectual property rights or disputes, whether existing or potential, of which the Contractor has knowledge, relating to any idea, design, method, material, equipment or other matter related to this Contract or coming to the Contractor's attention in connection with this Contract.

d. The Contractor shall not issue nor permit to be issued any press release, advertisement, or literature of any kind, which refers to the Port Authority or to the fact that goods have been, are being or will be provided to it and/or that services have been, are being or will be performed for it in connection with this Agreement, unless the vendor first obtains the written approval of the Port Authority. Such approval may be withheld if for any reason the Port Authority believes that the publication of such information would be harmful to the public interest or is in any way undesirable.

39. Time is of the Essence

Time is of the essence in the Contractor's performance of this Contract inasmuch as the Work to be performed will affect the operation of public facilities.

40. Holidays

The following holidays will be observed at the Site:

New Year's Day	Labor Day
Martin Luther King Jr. Day	Columbus Day
Presidents Day	Veterans Day
Memorial Day	Thanksgiving Day
Independence Day	Day After Thanksgiving
Christmas Day	

This list is subject to periodic revision and the Contractor shall be responsible for obtaining all updated lists from the office of the Manager. If any such holiday falls on a Sunday then the next day shall be considered the holiday and/or if any such holiday falls on a Saturday then the preceding day shall be considered the holiday.

41. Personnel Standards

In addition to any specific personnel requirements that may be required under the clause entitled "Personnel Requirements" in the Specifications, the Contractor (and any Subcontractor) shall furnish competent and adequately trained personnel to perform the Work hereunder. If, in the opinion of the Manager, any employee so assigned is performing his/her functions unsatisfactorily, he/she shall be replaced by the Contractor for Work under this Contract within twenty-four (24) hours following the Contractor's receipt of the Manager's request for such replacement.

All Contractor's employees performing Work hereunder shall have the ability to communicate in the English language to the extent necessary to comprehend directions given by either the Contractor's supervisory staff or by the Manager's staff. Any employee operating a motor vehicle must have a valid driver's license.

The Contractor shall verify that employees working under this Contract in the United States are legally present in the United States and authorized to work by means of the federally required I-9 program

42. General Uniform Requirements for Contractor's Personnel

In addition to any specific uniform requirements that may be required by the Specifications, uniforms must be worn at all times during which the Services are being performed hereunder. The Contractor agrees that his/her employees will present a neat, clean and orderly appearance at all times. Uniforms shall include the Contractor's identification badge with picture ID bearing the employee's name. All uniforms, colors, types and styles shall be subject to the prior approval of the Manager. The Contractor will also be responsible for ensuring that its employees are wearing shoes appropriate for the tasks performed. The Manager shall have the right to require removal of any employee who shall fail to wear the proper uniform and shoes, and the exercise of this right shall not limit the obligation of the Contractor to perform the Services or to furnish any required number of employees at a specific location at the Site as specified.

43. Labor, Equipment and Materials Supplied by the Contractor

The Contractor shall, at all times during the performance of this Contract, furnish all necessary labor, supervision, equipment and materials necessary for the prompt and efficient performance of the Work, whether such materials and equipment are actually employed in the furnishing of the Work or whether incidental thereto.

All materials used by the Contractor in furnishing Work hereunder shall be of such quality as to accomplish the purposes of this Contract and the Services to be furnished hereunder in such manner so as not to damage any part of the Site.

The Port Authority by its officers, employees and representatives shall have the right at all times to examine the supplies, materials and equipment used by the Contractor, to observe the operations of the Contractor, its agents, servants and employees and to do any act or thing which the Port Authority may be obligated or have the right to do under this Contract or otherwise.

All equipment, materials and supplies used in the performance of this Contract required hereunder shall be used in accordance with their manufacturer's instructions.

Materials and supplies to be provided by the Contractor hereunder shall comply with OSHA and all applicable regulations.

44. Contractor's Vehicles – Parking - Licenses

At the discretion of the Manager, the Port Authority may permit the Contractor during the effective period of this Contract to park vehicle(s) used by it in its operations hereunder in such location as may from time to time or at any time be designated by the Manager. The Contractor shall comply with such existing rules, regulations and procedures as are now in force and such reasonable future rules, regulations and procedures as may hereafter be adopted by the Port Authority for the safety and convenience of persons who park automotive vehicles in any parking area at the Site or for the safety and proper persons who park automotive vehicles in any parking area at the Site or for the safety and proper persons who park automotive vehicles in any parking area at the Site or for the safety and proper identification of such vehicles, and the Contractor shall also comply with any and all directions pertaining to such parking which may be given from time to time and at any time by the Manager. Any vehicle used by the Contractor hereunder shall be marked or placarded, identifying it as the Contractor's vehicle.

45. Manager's Authority

In the performance of the Work hereunder, the Contractor shall conform to all orders, directions and requirements of the Manager and shall perform the Work hereunder to the satisfaction of the Manager at such times and places, by such methods and in such manner and sequence as he/she may require, and the Contract shall at all stages be subject to his/her inspection. The Manager shall determine the amount, quality, acceptability and fitness of all parts of the Work and shall interpret the Specifications and any orders for Extra Work. The Contractor shall employ no equipment, materials, methods or staff or personnel to which the Manager objects. Upon request, the Manager shall confirm in writing any oral order, direction, requirement or determination.

The Manager shall have the authority to decide all questions in connection with the Services to be performed hereunder. The exercise by the Manager of the powers and authorities vested in him/her by this section shall be binding and final upon the Port Authority and the Contractor.

46. Price Preference

If this solicitation has not been set aside for the purposes of making an award based on bids solicited from Port Authority certified Minority Business, Women Business or Small Business Enterprises as indicated by the bidder pre-requisites in Part II hereof, for awards of contracts, not exceeding \$1,000,000, for:

- (a) Services, a price preference of 5% is available for New York or New Jersey Small Business Enterprises (SBE); or
- (b) Services (excluding Janitorial/Cleaning Services), a price preference of 10% is available for New York or New Jersey Minority or Women Business Enterprises (MBE/WBE),

certified by the Port Authority by the day before the bid opening.

If the Bidder is a Port Authority certified MBE, WBE or SBE, enter the applicable date(s) certification was obtained in the space provided on the Signature Sheet attached hereto.

47. MBE/WBE Good Faith Participation

The Contractor shall use every good-faith effort to provide for participation by Port Authority Certified Minority Business Enterprises (MBEs) and Port Authority Certified Women-owned Business Enterprises (WBEs) in all purchasing and subcontracting opportunities associated with this Contract, including purchase of equipment, supplies and labor services. If this Contract contains participation goals, the Contractor shall use good faith efforts to achieve the goals.

Good faith efforts to include and facilitate participation by MBE/WBEs shall include, but not be limited to the following:

- A. Dividing the services and materials to be procured into smaller portions, where feasible.
- B. Giving reasonable advance notice of specific contracting, subcontracting and purchasing opportunities to such MBE/WBEs as may be appropriate.
- C. Soliciting services and materials from a Port Authority certified MBE/WBE. To access the Port Authority's Directory of MBE/WBE Port Authority certified firms go to http://www.panynj.gov/business-opportunities/sd-mwsdbe-profile.html.
- D. Ensuring that provision is made to provide progress payments to MBE/WBEs as defined in the prompt payment provision below.
- E. Observance of reasonable commercial standards of fair dealing in the respective trade or business.

PART III CONTRACTOR'S INTEGRITY PROVISIONS

1. Certification of No Investigation (criminal or civil anti-trust), Indictment, Conviction, Debarment, Suspension, Disqualification and Disclosure of Other Information

By bidding on this Contract, each Bidder and each person signing on behalf of any Bidder certifies, and in the case of a joint bid each party thereto certifies as to its own organization, that the Bidder and each parent and/or affiliate of the Bidder has not

- a. been indicted or convicted in any jurisdiction;
- b. been suspended, debarred, found not responsible or otherwise disqualified from entering into any contract with any governmental agency or been denied a government contract for failure to meet standards related to the integrity of the Bidder;
- c. received a marginal or unsatisfactory rating on the performance of a contract for any governmental agency;
- d. had a contract terminated by any governmental agency for breach of contract or for any cause based in whole or in part on an indictment or conviction;
- e. ever used a name, trade name or abbreviated name, or an Employer Identification Number different from those inserted in the Bid;
- f. had any business or professional license suspended or revoked or, within the five years prior to bid opening, had any sanction imposed in excess of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) as a result of any judicial or administrative proceeding with respect to any license held or with respect to any violation of a federal, state or local environmental law, rule or regulation;
- g. had any sanction imposed as a result of a judicial or administrative proceeding related to fraud, extortion, bribery, bid rigging, embezzlement, misrepresentation or anti-trust regardless of the dollar amount of the sanctions or the date of their imposition; and
- h. been, and is not currently, the subject of a criminal investigation by any federal, state or local prosecuting or investigative agency and/or a civil anti-trust investigation by any federal, state or local prosecuting or investigative agency, including an inspector general of a governmental

agency or public authority.

2. Non-Collusive Bidding, and Code of Ethics Certification, Certification of No Solicitation Based On Commission, Percentage, Brokerage, Contingent or Other Fees

By bidding on this Contract, each Bidder and each person signing on behalf of any Bidder certifies, and in the case of a joint bid, each party thereto certifies as to its own organization, that

- a. the prices in its bid have been arrived at independently without collusion, consultation, communication or agreement for the purpose of restricting competition, as to any matter relating to such prices with any other bidder or with any competitor;
- b. the prices quoted in its bid have not been and will not be knowingly disclosed directly or indirectly by the Bidder prior to the official opening of such bid to any other bidder or to any competitor;
- c. no attempt has been made and none will be made by the Bidder to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit a bid for the purpose of restricting competition;
- d. this organization has not made any offers or agreements or taken any other action with respect to any Authority employee or former employee or immediate family member of either which would constitute a breach of ethical standards under the Code of Ethics dated March 11, 2014, or as may be revised, (a copy of which is available upon request) nor does this organization have any knowledge of any act on the part of an Authority employee or former Authority employee relating either directly or indirectly to this organization which constitutes a breach of the ethical standards set forth in said Code;
- e. no person or selling agency other than a bona fide employee or bona fide established commercial or selling agency maintained by the Bidder for the purpose of securing business, has been employed or retained by the Bidder to solicit or secure this Contract on the understanding that a commission, percentage, brokerage, contingent, or other fee would be paid to such person or selling agency; and
- f. the Bidder has not offered, promised or given, demanded or accepted, any undue advantage, directly or indirectly, to or from a public official or employee, political candidate, party or party official, or any private sector employee (including a person who directs or works for a private sector enterprise in any capacity), in order to obtain, retain, or direct business or to secure any other improper advantage in connection with this Contract.
- g. no person or organization has been retained, employed or designated on behalf of the Bidder to impact any Port Authority determination with respect to (i) the solicitation, evaluation or award of this Contract, or (ii) the preparation of specifications or request for submissions in connection with this Contract.

The foregoing certifications in this Part III, Sections 1 and 2, shall be deemed to have been made by the Bidder as follows:

- * if the Bidder is a corporation, such certification shall be deemed to have been made not only with respect to the Bidder itself, but also with respect to each parent, affiliate, director, and officer of the Bidder, as well as, to the best of the certifier's knowledge and belief, each stockholder of the Bidder with an ownership interest in excess of 10%;
- * if the Bidder is a partnership, such certification shall be deemed to have been made not only with respect to the Bidder itself, but also with respect to each partner.

Moreover, the foregoing certifications, if made by a corporate Bidder, shall be deemed to have been authorized by the Board of Directors of the Bidder, and such authorization shall be deemed to include the signing and submission of the bid and the inclusion therein of such certification as the act and deed of the corporation.

In any case where the Bidder cannot make the foregoing certifications, the Bidder shall so state and shall furnish

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with the signed bid a signed statement which sets forth in detail the reasons therefor. If the Bidder is uncertain as to whether it can make the foregoing certifications, it shall so indicate in a signed statement furnished with its bid, setting forth in such statement the reasons for its uncertainty. With respect to the foregoing certification in paragraph "2g", if the Bidder cannot make the certification, it shall provide, in writing, with the signed bid: (i) a list of the name(s), address(es), telephone number(s), and place(s) of principal employment of each such individual or organization; and (ii) a statement as to whether such individual or organization has a "financial interest" in this Contract, as described in the Procurement Disclosure Policy of the Authority (a copy of which is available upon request to the Chief Procurement Officer of the Procurement Department of the Authority). Such disclosure is to be updated as necessary. As a result of such disclosure, the Port Authority shall take appropriate action up to and including a finding of non-responsibility.

Failure to make the required disclosures shall lead to administrative actions up to and including a finding of non-responsiveness or non-responsibility.

Notwithstanding that the Bidder may be able to make the foregoing certifications at the time the bid is submitted, the Bidder shall immediately notify the Authority in writing during the period of irrevocability of bids and the term of the Contract, if Bidder is awarded the Contract, of any change of circumstances which might under this clause make it unable to make the foregoing certifications, might render any portion of the certifications previously made invalid, or require disclosure. The foregoing certifications or signed statement shall be deemed to have been made by the Bidder with full knowledge that they would become a part of the records of the Authority and that the Authority will rely on their truth and accuracy in awarding and continuing this Contract. In the event that the Authority should determine at any time prior or subsequent to the award of this Contract that the Bidder has falsely certified as to any material item in the foregoing certifications, has failed to immediately notify the Port Authority of any change in circumstances which might make it unable to make the foregoing certifications, might render any portion of the certifications previously made invalid, or require disclosure, or has willfully or fraudulently furnished a signed statement which is false in any material respect, or has not fully and accurately represented any circumstance with respect to any item in the foregoing certifications required to be disclosed, the Authority may determine that the Bidder is not a responsible Bidder with respect to its bid on the Contract or with respect to future bids on Authority contracts and may exercise such other remedies as are provided to it by the Contract with respect to these matters. In addition, Bidders are advised that knowingly providing a false certification or statement pursuant hereto may be the basis for prosecution for offering a false instrument for filing (see e.g. New York Penal Law, Section 175.30 et seq.). Bidders are also advised that the inability to make such certification will not in and of itself disqualify a Bidder, and that in each instance the Authority will evaluate the reasons therefor provided by the Bidder. Under certain circumstances the Bidder may be required as a condition of Contract award to enter into a Monitoring Agreement under which it will be required to take certain specified actions, including compensating an independent Monitor to be selected by the Port Authority, said Monitor to be charged with, among other things, auditing the actions of the Bidder to determine whether its business practices and relationships indicate a level of integrity sufficient to permit it to continue business with the Port Authority.

3. Bidder Eligibility for Award of Contracts - Determination by an Agency of the State of New York or New Jersey Concerning Eligibility to Receive Public Contracts

Bidders are advised that the Authority has adopted a policy to the effect that in awarding its contracts it will honor any determination by an agency of the State of New York or New Jersey that a Bidder is not eligible to bid on or be awarded public contracts because the Bidder has been determined to have engaged in illegal or dishonest conduct or to have violated prevailing rate of wage legislation.

The policy permits a Bidder whose ineligibility has been so determined by an agency of the State of New York or New Jersey to submit a bid on a Port Authority contract and then to establish that it is eligible to be awarded a contract on which it has bid because (i) the state agency determination relied upon does not apply to the Bidder, or (ii) the state agency determination relied upon was made without affording the Bidder the notice and hearing to which the Bidder was entitled by the requirements of due process of law, or (iii) the state agency determination was clearly erroneous or (iv) the state determination relied upon was not based on a finding of conduct demonstrating a lack of integrity or violation of a prevailing rate of wage law.

The full text of the resolution adopting the policy may be found in the Minutes of the Authority's Board of Commissioners meeting of September 9, 1993.

4. Contractor Responsibility, Suspension of Work and Termination

During the term of this Contract, the Contractor shall at all times during the Contract term remain responsible. The Contractor agrees, if requested by the Port Authority to present evidence of its continuing legal authority to do business in the States of New Jersey or New York, integrity, experience, ability, prior performance, and organizational and financial capacity.

The Port Authority, in its sole discretion, reserves the right to suspend any or all activities under this Contract, at any time, when it discovers information that calls into question the responsibility of the Contractor. In the event of such suspension, the Contractor will be given written notice outlining the particulars of such suspension. Upon issuance of such notice, the Contractor must comply with the terms of the suspension order. Contract activity may resume at such time as the Port Authority issues a written notice authorizing a resumption of performance under the Contract.

Upon written notice to the Contractor, and an opportunity to be heard with appropriate Port Authority officials or staff, the Contract may be terminated by Port Authority at the Contractor's expense where the Contractor is determined by the Port Authority to be non-responsible. In such event, the Port Authority or its designee may complete the contractual requirements in any manner he or she may deem advisable and pursue available legal or equitable remedies for breach, including recovery of costs from Contractor associated with such termination.

5. No Gifts, Gratuities, Offers of Employment, Etc.

At all times, the Contractor shall not offer, give or agree to give anything of value either to a Port Authority employee, agent, job shopper, consultant, construction manager or other person or firm representing the Port Authority, or to a member of the immediate family (i.e., a spouse, child, parent, brother or sister) of any of the foregoing, in connection with the performance by such employee, agent, job shopper, consultant, construction manager or other person or firm representing the Port Authority of duties involving transactions with the Contractor on behalf of the Port Authority, whether or not such duties are related to this Contract or any other Port Authority contract or matter. Any such conduct shall be deemed a material breach of this Contract.

As used herein "anything of value" shall include but not be limited to any (a) favors, such as meals, entertainment, transportation (other than that contemplated by the Contract or any other Port Authority contract), etc. which might tend to obligate the Port Authority employee to the Contractor, and (b) gift, gratuity, money, goods, equipment, services, lodging, discounts not available to the general public, offers or promises of employment, loans or the cancellation thereof, preferential treatment or business opportunity. Such term shall not include compensation contemplated by this Contract or any other Port Authority contract. Where used herein, the term "Port Authority" shall be deemed to include all subsidiaries of the Port Authority.

The Contractor shall insure that no gratuities of any kind or nature whatsoever shall be solicited or accepted by it and by its personnel for any reason whatsoever from the passengers, tenants, customers or other persons using the Facility and shall so instruct its personnel. The Contractor shall include the provisions of this clause in each subcontract entered into under this Contract.

6. Obligation to Report

In the event that the Contractor becomes aware of the occurrence of any conduct that is prohibited by the section entitled "No Gifts, Gratuities, Offers of Employment, Etc.", or if the Contractor knows or should reasonably know that a principal, employee, or agent of the Contractor or of its subcontractor(s) has committed a

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violation of federal, New York or New Jersey law addressing or governing: antitrust, public contracting, false claims, fraud, extortion, bribery, bid rigging, embezzlement, prevailing wage or minority, woman, small or disadvantaged business enterprises, it shall report such information to the Port Authority's Office of Inspector General within three (3) business days of obtaining such knowledge. (See "<u>http://www.panynj.gov/inspector-general</u>" for information about how to report information to the Office of Inspector General). Failing to report such conduct may be grounds for a finding of non-responsibility. The Contractor shall not take any Retaliatory Action against any of its employees for reporting such conduct.

In addition, during the term of this Contract, the Contractor shall not make an offer of employment or use confidential information in a manner proscribed by the Code of Ethics and Financial Disclosure dated March 11, 2014, or as may be revised (a copy of which is available upon request to the Office of the Secretary of the Port Authority).

The Contractor shall include the provisions of this clause in each subcontract entered into under this Contract.

7. Conflict of Interest

During the term of this Contract, the Contractor shall not participate in any way in the preparation, negotiation or award of any contract (other than a contract for its own services to the Authority) to which it is contemplated the Port Authority may become a party, or participate in any way in the review or resolution of a claim in connection with such a contract if the Contractor has a substantial financial interest in the contractor or potential contractor of the Port Authority or if the Contractor has an arrangement for future employment or for any other business relationship with said contractor or potential contractor, nor shall the Contractor at any time take any other action which might be viewed as or give the appearance of conflict of interest on its part. If the possibility of such an arrangement for future employment or for another business arrangement has been or is the subject of a previous or current discussion, or if the Contractor has reason to believe such an arrangement may be the subject of future discussion, or if the Contractor has any financial interest, substantial or not, in a contractor or potential contractor of the Authority, and the Contractor's participation in the preparation, negotiation or award of any contract with such a contractor or the review or resolution of a claim in connection with such a contract is contemplated or if the Contractor has reason to believe that any other situation exists which might be viewed as or give the appearance of a conflict of interest, the Contractor shall immediately inform the Chief Procurement Officer in writing of such situation giving the full details thereof. Unless the Contractor receives the specific written approval of the Chief Procurement Officer, the Contractor shall not take the contemplated action which might be viewed as or give the appearance of a conflict of interest. The Chief Procurement Officer may require the Contractor to submit a mitigation plan addressing and mitigating any disclosed or undisclosed conflict, which is subject to the approval of the Chief Procurement Officer and shall become a requirement, as though fully set forth in this Contract. In the event the Chief Procurement Officer shall determine that the performance by the Contractor of a portion of its Services under this Agreement is precluded by the provisions of this numbered paragraph, or a portion of the Contractor's said Services is determined by the Chief Procurement Officer to be no longer appropriate because of such preclusion, then the Chief Procurement Officer shall have full authority on behalf of both parties to order that such portion of the Contractor's Services not be performed by the Contractor, reserving the right, however, to have the Services performed by others and any lump sum compensation payable hereunder which is applicable to the deleted work shall be equitably adjusted by the parties. The Contractor's execution of this document shall constitute a representation by the Contractor that at the time of such execution the Contractor knows of no circumstances, present or anticipated, which come within the provisions of this paragraph or which might otherwise be viewed as or give the appearance of a conflict of interest on the Contractor's part. The Contractor acknowledges that the Authority may preclude it from involvement in certain disposition/privatization initiatives or transactions that result from the findings of its evaluations hereunder or from participation in any contract, which results, directly or indirectly, from the Services provided by the Contractor hereunder. The Port Authority's determination regarding any questions of conflict of interest shall be final.

8. Integrity Monitor

In the event that the Authority hires an Integrity Monitor in connection with the Work under this Contract, the Contractor and any subcontractors shall cooperate fully with the Monitor and the Authority, which includes, but is not limited to, providing complete access to all personnel and records in any way related to the Work performed pursuant to this Contract. Any failure to cooperate may result in the termination of this Contract. The Contractor shall include the provisions of this clause in each subcontract entered into under this Contract.

9. Right to Audit

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary, the Authority, including its Inspector General, Audit Department and Integrity Monitor, or its designee(s) each shall have the right to audit all of the records of the Contractor with respect to the Work and the Contract, including, without limitation, records pertaining to any compensation paid, payable, or to be paid under the Contract. The Contractor shall not be entitled to any reimbursement or other compensation for costs associated with such audit, investigation, or certification. The Contractor shall include the provisions of this clause in each subcontract entered into under this Contract.

The Contractor agrees to pay for the cost of any audit or investigation conducted by the Authority, in which any criminal activity, ethics violations, or professional misconduct by the Contractor or any of its employees, or subcontractors or any of its employees, are discovered. The Contractor shall further agree that should it fail or refuse to pay for any such audit or investigation, the Authority is authorized to deduct from any sum owing the Contractor an amount equal to the cost of such audit and the damages resulting therefrom. The determination of the value of any such costs and decision to withhold any such payments are at the sole discretion of the Authority (including its Inspector General).

10. Definitions

As used in this section, the following terms shall mean:

<u>Affiliate</u> - Two or more firms are affiliates if a parent owns more than fifty percent of the voting stock of each of the firms, or a common shareholder or group of shareholders owns more than fifty percent of the voting stock of each of the firms, or if the firms have a common proprietor or general partner.

<u>Agency or Governmental Agency</u> - Any federal, state, city or other local agency, including departments, offices, public authorities and corporations, boards of education and higher education, public development corporations, local development corporations, the Port Authority of New York and New Jersey and its wholly owned subsidiaries and others.

<u>Investigation</u> - Any inquiries made by any federal, state or local criminal prosecuting and/or law enforcement agency and any inquiries concerning civil anti-trust investigations made by any federal, state or local governmental agency. Except for inquiries concerning civil anti-trust investigations, the term does not include inquiries made by any civil government agency concerning compliance with any regulation, the nature of which does not carry criminal penalties, nor does it include any background investigations for employment, or Federal, State, and local inquiries into tax returns.

<u>Officer</u> - Any individual who serves as chief executive officer, chief financial officer, or chief operating officer of the Bidder by whatever titles known.

<u>Parent</u> - An individual, partnership, joint venture or corporation which owns more than 50% of the voting stock of the Bidder.

<u>Retaliatory Action</u>- Any adverse action taken by, or at the direction of, the Contractor, against any of its employees for reporting any information as set forth in the clause entitled "Obligation to Report," above.

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If the solicitation is a Request for Proposal:

<u>Bid</u> - shall mean Proposal; <u>Bidder</u> - shall mean Proposer; <u>Bidding</u> - shall mean submitting a Proposal.

In a Contract resulting from the taking of bids:

<u>Bid</u> - shall mean bid; <u>Bidder</u> - shall mean Bidder; except and until the Contract has been awarded, then it shall mean Contractor <u>Bidding</u> - shall mean executing this Contract.

In a Contract resulting from the taking of Proposals:

<u>Bid</u> - shall mean Proposal; <u>Bidder</u> - shall mean Proposer; <u>Bidding</u> - shall mean executing this Contract.