

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT  
DISASTER RECOVERY  
SUBRECIPIENT AGREEMENT

THIS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT DISASTER RECOVERY SUBRECIPIENT AGREEMENT ("Agreement") is made effective as of the 1st day of January, 2014 ("Effective Date") by and between the Housing Trust Fund Corporation ("Grantee" or "HTFC") and the Long Island Power Authority ("Subrecipient" or the "Authority"), a corporate municipal instrumentality of the State of New York. Subrecipient will be acting by and through its wholly owned subsidiary Long Island Lighting Company d/b/a LIPA ("LIPA"). The foregoing Grantee and Subrecipient shall sometimes be referred to herein individually as a "Party" and collectively as the "Parties."

WHEREAS, pursuant to title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 (42 U.S.C. § 5301 et seq.) ("HCD Act"), as amended, Grantee is authorized to administer and distribute Community Development Block Grant ("CDBG") funds in the State of New York ("State"); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 5121 et seq.), portions of the State received major disaster declarations as a result of Hurricane Sandy; and

WHEREAS, in the aftermath of Hurricane Sandy, the United States Congress, through Public Law passed the Disaster Relief Appropriations Act, 2013 (Public Law 113-2, approved January 29, 2013), as amended (the "Act"), appropriating \$16 billion, later reduced to \$15.18 billion, to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development ("HUD") for Community Development Block Grant Disaster Recovery ("CDBG-DR") funds for necessary expenses related to disaster relief, long-term recovery, restoration of infrastructure, and housing and economic revitalization in the most impacted and distressed areas resulting from a major disaster declared due to Hurricane Sandy and other eligible events (the "Storms"), subject to the Federal statutes and regulations governing CDBG grants, as modified by exceptions and waivers previously granted and which may hereafter be granted by HUD; and,

WHEREAS, pursuant to the CDBG-DR Grant Program and Federal Register Notice (78 Fed. Reg. 14,329), published March 5, 2013, entitled *Allocations, Common Applications, and Alternative Requirements for Grantees Receiving Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Disaster Recovery Funds in Response to Hurricane Sandy* (as amended), the State has received an allocation of CDBG-DR funds from HUD in the amount of \$1,713,960,000; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the CDBG-DR Grant Program and Federal Register Notice (78 Fed. Reg. 69,104), entitled *Second Allocation, Waivers and Alternative Requirements for Grantees Receiving Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Disaster Recovery*

*Funds in Response to Hurricane Sandy* (as amended), the State has received a second allocation of CDBG-DR funds from HUD in the amount of \$2,097,000,000; and

WHEREAS, HUD requires that the State spend 80% of all CDBG-DR funds so allocated within the counties of Nassau, Rockland, Suffolk, Westchester, Bronx, Kings, New York, Queens, and Richmond; and

WHEREAS, Governor Andrew M. Cuomo established the Governor's Office of Storm Recovery ("GOSR") within HTFC and tasked it with administering the State's CDBG-DR program; and

WHEREAS, Grantee has used a portion of this CDBG-DR allocation to create programs to assist public entities in addressing storm-related recovery needs through the Infrastructure and Local Government Program; and

WHEREAS, Grantee has created the Non-Federal Share Program within the Infrastructure and Local Government Program to assist public entities in paying the non-Federal share for Federal disaster recovery programs including programs administered by Federal Emergency Management Agency ("FEMA"); and

WHEREAS, Grantee wishes to engage Subrecipient to assist it with paying its non-Federal share for the FEMA Public Assistance program ("PA Program");

NOW THEREFORE, the Parties agree that these Funds will be administered in accordance with the following terms and conditions:

#### I. SUBRECIPIENT PROGRAM

Subrecipient will be responsible for performing or causing to be performed the work, services, and/or activities detailed in Exhibit A ("Work"), which may be amended from time to time by mutual agreement of the Parties, and is hereby incorporated by reference ("Subrecipient Program Description"). As a reimbursement-based program, tasks and deliverables contained in the Subrecipient Program Description must be conducted in a manner satisfactory to Grantee and in compliance with applicable federal and state requirements, laws, and regulations. Grantee will monitor the performance of Subrecipient against goals and performance standards as stated in the Subrecipient Program Description. Subrecipient must perform (and document to Grantee) the entire Subrecipient Program Description, even if the funds provided hereunder do not cover 100% of the costs of performance. Substandard performance as reasonably determined by Grantee, in its sole discretion, will constitute noncompliance with this Agreement. If Subrecipient does not take action to correct such substandard performance within a reasonable period of time (as determined by Grantee) after being notified by Grantee, Grantee may choose not to reimburse Subrecipient for noncompliant and/or unallowable work and/or take action to suspend or terminate this Agreement or other actions as permitted under applicable law. Nothing in this Agreement shall waive or otherwise limit the actions Grantee may take or the remedies Grantee may seek as a result of any

noncompliance by Subrecipient, including but not limited to suspending or debarring Subrecipient from future State benefits.

## II. TERM

The period of performance for all activities in the Subrecipient Program Description (with the exception of those activities required for the close out and final audit) shall commence as of January 1, 2014 and shall end on December 31, 2015. Any funds not properly used by the end of the term, unless approved otherwise in writing by Grantee, promptly shall be remitted, in full and without off-set or deduction, to Grantee.

## III. BUDGET

Grantee may require a detailed budget breakdown, and Subrecipient shall provide such supplementary budget information in a timely fashion in the form and content prescribed by Grantee.

## IV. GRANT FUNDS

It is expressly agreed and understood that, except as otherwise provided herein, the total amount to be paid by Grantee under this Agreement with respect to PA program projects shall not exceed \$143,420,276.60 ("Non-Federal Share"). The amount of the Non-Federal Share that Grantee has agreed to provide to Subrecipient under this Agreement is expressly conditioned upon Grantee's receipt of such funds from HUD pursuant to the Act. Grantee reserves the right to reduce the Non-Federal Share if funding from HUD is not provided at the currently anticipated levels and/or if the actual costs for the activities described in the Subrecipient Program Description are less than those set forth in the Budget and/or if costs contained in the project worksheets are determined to not be eligible for HUD CDBG-DR funding. Any change to the amount of Grant Funds must be approved in writing by both the Grantee and the Subrecipient before such changes are allowed and reimbursable.

In the event that Subrecipient is awarded, granted, or provided with additional funds from any other source, which may include, in part or whole, funds for activities included in the Subrecipient Program Description, Subrecipient shall immediately notify Grantee of such funds, the amount, the source, and the conditions for their use, provided that the Parties agree that this provision does not require notice of any funds received by Grantee from FEMA that are being matched with CDBG-DR funds ("FEMA Funds"). Subrecipient further agrees to provide any additional information Grantee requests related to such funds other than FEMA Funds.

V. DISBURSEMENT OF NON-FEDERAL SHARE

- a) Subrecipient is required to submit a request for the Non-Federal Share in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement, program guidelines, and the program policy and procedures which are established by Grantee. No payment by Grantee of an improper, unauthorized, or unallowable request shall constitute a waiver of Grantee's right, whether before, during, or after making any payment, to: (i) challenge the validity of such payment; (ii) enforce all rights and remedies set forth in this Agreement or provided under applicable law; (iii) require and receive a full repayment or refund of all payments made under this Agreement or (iv) take corrective or remedial administrative action including, without limitation, suspension or termination of Subrecipient's funding under this Agreement.
- b) Subrecipient shall certify in a sworn statement made by a senior official with each request for the Non-Federal Share that to the best of its knowledge based on the information available to Subrecipient at the time and after making due inquiry: (i) all statements and representations previously made regarding this Agreement are correct and complete; and (ii) the funds do not duplicate reimbursement of costs and services from any other source.
- c) The use of the Non-Federal Share is conditioned upon Subrecipient incurring allowable costs permitted under the terms of this Agreement or as otherwise pre-approved, in writing, by Grantee. Subrecipient shall not be reimbursed for any costs until all environmental conditions of 24 CFR Part 58 have been fully satisfied and Grantee has issued the environmental clearance required thereunder, unless the activity is exempt under section 58.34 or falls under a categorical exclusion listed in section 58.35(b), provided that pursuant to the Disaster Relief Appropriations Act, 2013, Public Law 113-2, 127 Stat. 37, for any projects that are matching funds for projects funded by the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, through FEMA, the FEMA environmental reviews or approval shall be adopted without further review.
- d) In the event cognizant State or Federal Government authorities disallow any of the costs incurred by Subrecipient, Subrecipient shall immediately remit any funds received by Subrecipient for the unallowable costs to Grantee. Subrecipient may request that Grantee challenge the State or Federal determination and pursue other legal recourse to secure these funds; however, Grantee maintains the sole discretion in deciding whether to pursue such funds, may request that Subrecipient pay any costs associated with such effort, and may require that Subrecipient return the questioned funds until a final outcome is reached.

## VI. CITIZEN PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS

Subrecipient is included in the State's existing Citizen Participation Plan.

## VII. NOTICES

All notices, requests, approvals and consents of any kind made pursuant to this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed to be effective as of the date it is sent by certified mail, return receipt requested. All notices and other written communications under this Agreement shall be addressed to the individuals in the capacities indicated below, unless otherwise modified by subsequent written notice. Communication and details concerning this contract shall be directed to the following contract representatives:

Grantee:           Housing Trust Fund Corporation  
                      25 Beaver Street  
                      New York, New York 10004  
                      Attn: James Rubin, Director of the Governor's Office of Storm Recovery

Subrecipient:           Long Island Power Authority  
                              333 Earle Ovington Boulevard  
                              Suite 403  
                              Uniondale, New York 11553  
                              Attn: Tom Falcone

## VIII. GENERAL CONDITIONS

### A. Compliance

Subrecipient agrees to comply with the requirements of Title 24 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 570 (HUD's regulations concerning Community Development Block Grants), including any regulations referenced therein, except:

- (1) Subrecipient does not assume Grantee's environmental responsibilities described in 24 CFR 570.604; and
- (2) Subrecipient does not assume Grantee's responsibility for initiating the review process under the provisions of 24 CFR Part 52.

Where waivers or alternative requirements are provided for in the applicable Federal Register Notices published by HUD ("HUD Notices"), including but not limited to those published on March 5, 2013 (78 Fed. Reg. 14,329), April 19, 2013 (78 Fed. Reg. 23,578), May 29, 2013 (78 Fed. Reg. 32,262), August 2, 2013 (78 Fed. Reg. 46,999), November 18, 2013 (78 Fed. Reg. 69,104), December 16, 2013 (78 Fed. Reg. 76,154), and March 27, 2014, such requirements, including any regulations referenced therein, shall apply.

Subrecipient also agrees to comply with all other Federal, State, and local laws, regulations, HUD Notices, policies, and guidelines, applicable to Subrecipient, whether existing or to be established, provided the same are applied to activities occurring after the date the policy or guideline was established, governing the Non-Federal Share provided under this Agreement, and provided further that Grantee provides Subrecipient prior notice of any such Federal, State, and local laws, regulations, HUD Notices, policies, and guidelines established in the future. In the event a conflict arises between the provisions of this Agreement and any of the foregoing, the Federal, State, and local laws, regulations, HUD Notices, policies, and guidelines shall control and this Agreement shall be interpreted in a manner so as to allow for the terms contained herein to remain valid and consistent with such Federal, State, and local laws, regulations, HUD Notices, policies and guidelines. Subrecipient further agrees to utilize the Non-Federal Share available under this Agreement to supplement rather than supplant funds otherwise available.

#### B. Independent Contractor

Nothing contained in this Agreement is intended to, or shall be construed in any manner, as creating or establishing the relationship of employer/employee between the Parties. Subrecipient shall at all times remain an "independent contractor" with respect to the efforts to be performed under this Agreement. Grantee shall be exempt from payment of all Unemployment Compensation, FICA, retirement, life and/or medical insurance, and Workers' Compensation Insurance, as Subrecipient is an independent contractor.

#### C. Hold Harmless

Subrecipient shall and hereby agrees to hold harmless, defend (with counsel acceptable to Grantee) and indemnify Grantee and each and all of its past, current, or future successors, affiliates, or assigns, and any of any of their employees, officers, directors, attorneys, consultants, agents, managers, and affiliates, from and against any and all damages, costs, attorneys' fees, claims, expenses, injuries, deaths, property damage, causes of action, violations of law, violations of this Agreement, litigation, and losses of any form or nature (other than consequential damages incurred by Grantee), whether incurred by Grantee or by other persons or entities asserting a claim against Grantee, arising from or related to this Agreement, the Work (as defined below) or the performance of or failure to perform the activities described in the Subrecipient Program Description. This agreement to hold harmless and indemnify shall expressly include, but is not limited to, the obligation of Subrecipient to indemnify and reimburse Grantee for any and all attorneys' fees and other litigation or dispute resolution costs incurred in or in connection with Grantee's enforcement of this Agreement or any portion thereof against Subrecipient or otherwise arising in connection with Subrecipient's breach, violation, or other non-compliance with this Agreement. This clause shall survive the termination of this Agreement for any reason.

#### D. Workers' Compensation

Subrecipient and LIPA and any other parties performing any Work shall each provide Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage, as detailed below, for their respective employees unless granted an exemption by the State.

#### E. Insurance & Bonding

1. Subrecipient and LIPA jointly or individually (as indicated below), shall, at their sole cost and expense, either (i) self-insure in a manner consistent with industry practice, if approved by Grantee (such approval not to be unreasonably withheld) or (ii) carry sufficient insurance coverage and bonding from insurers licensed to conduct business in New York State, to, in either event, protect Grantee and all program assets from loss, claims, personal injury, bodily injury, death, and property damage due to any cause, including but not limited to, theft, accident, fraud and/or physical damage and, at a minimum, satisfy the following requirements:
  - a. Liability Insurance. Providing both bodily injury (including death) and property damage broad form insurance in a limit not less than Twenty Million Dollars (\$20,000,000) per claim and in the aggregate arising from the Work and the use by Subrecipient of any automobile (including automobile liability, personal injury and property damage). Such insurance coverage shall additionally include coverage for pollution events or contamination related to the Work. Such insurance is to be written on an occurrence basis or alternatively an AEGIS claims made policy. If an AEGIS claims made policy is utilized, the retro-active date delineating the start of coverage for occurrences occurring thereafter must be prior to the date the Work was commenced or the date of this Agreement (whichever is earlier) and the policy or extended reporting period shall be effective for three (3) years following the completion of all Work. Grantee shall be named as an additional insured. Liability insurance described above is to be provided jointly by Subrecipient and LIPA.
  - b. Worker's Compensation. Covering worker's compensation, employers' liability and disability benefits as required by the State of New York. This insurance is to be provided individually by Subrecipient and LIPA and others as may be required hereunder.
  - c. Policy Coverages. The foregoing insurance may be provided by any combination of primary and excess liability policies. Coverage may be provided on a blanket basis so long as the aggregate limits covering the Work is not reduced below Twenty Million Dollars (\$20,000,000) due to unrelated claims on other projects (collectively, all of the foregoing, the "Subrecipient's Required Insurance."). Grantee shall be

named as an additional insured on such policies with the exception of worker's compensation, employer's liability and disability benefits coverage.

2. On or before the Effective Date, Subrecipient shall inform Grantee, in writing, as to whether it has elected to satisfy the foregoing requirement for Subrecipient's Required Insurance by using self-insurance, insurance, or a combination of self-insurance and insurance. Thereafter, on each subsequent annual anniversary of the Effective Date or at such other times as Grantee and Subrecipient may agree, Subrecipient may, with the advance written permission and approval of Grantee, which shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed, change its initial election. For avoidance of doubt the existing self-insured retention (SIRs) amounts for existing joint policies have been approved by Grantee. However, regardless of whether Subrecipient elects to self-insure or not, Subrecipient shall purchase and maintain at all times (i) a blanket fidelity bond or crime policy covering all employees in an amount equal to any cash advances received by Subrecipient from Grantee and (ii) for construction or facility improvement performed by Subrecipient, Subrecipient shall, at a minimum, comply with the bonding requirements at 24 CFR 85.36 or 84.48, as applicable.
3. In addition to the foregoing, the Subrecipient's Required Insurance:
  - a. Shall not contain any restrictions or limitations which are inconsistent with the Grantee's rights under the Agreement;
  - b. Shall contain a provision that coverage afforded under the policies will not be canceled, allowed to expire or the limits in any manner reduced, until at least thirty (30) days prior written notice, ten (10) days written notice in the case of nonpayment of premium, has been given to Grantee; and
  - c. Shall (i) be primary to any other insurance or self-insurance carried by the Grantee; (ii) contain no exclusion for cross-liability claims among insureds, including claims made by or against Grantee; and (iii) provide for a waiver of all rights of subrogation against the Grantee.
4. In addition to the foregoing, Subrecipient and/or LIPA will use its standard contract and purchase order terms and conditions for all procurements under this Agreement (at all tiers) that has a value of \$1,500,000 or more. These standard terms and conditions contain insurance provisions that have been reviewed and approved by Subrecipient, LIPA and Grantee and are more particularly set forth in Exhibit G attached hereto ("Standard Insurance Clauses"). The Subrecipient shall provide Grantee with prior notice for any proposed material modification to the Standard Insurance Clauses for any Work that has a value above \$1,500,000 for Grantee's review and approval, the approval of which shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed. If Grantee does not respond to a request for review within 30 days Grantee shall be deemed to have approved such



modification. A material modification to the Standard Insurance Clauses is a reduction in any of the stated insurance limits, use of an insurance carrier with a rating below industry standards or modification or removal of any required insurance where such insurance would be applicable to Work being performed under this Agreement. However, for Subrecipient's existing contracts with Asplundh Tree Expert Co.; Harder Services, Inc.; Lewis Tree Service, Inc.; and IPC Contracting Corp. (collectively, the "Pre-Existing Contractors"), Subrecipient and LIPA represent and warrant to Grantee that commercially reasonable types and amounts of insurance, on commercially reasonable terms and conditions, were and will be procured and maintained by the contractors and subcontractors (of any tier) involved. With respect to all procurements under this Agreement (at all tiers) that have a value of less than \$1,500,000, Subrecipient and LIPA will ensure that commercially reasonable types and amounts of insurance and bonding coverage is procured and maintained by the contractors and subcontractors (of any tier) involved in the procurement on commercially reasonable terms and conditions based on the work at issue.

5. Subrecipient shall provide to Grantee evidence, acceptable to Grantee, of the existence of all insurance and bonds required by this Agreement and, upon written request from Grantee, shall provide a full and complete certified copy of any required insurance policy or bond, including all endorsements thereto. Subject to mutually agreed upon confidentiality requirements, the Grantee may inspect and copy any or all policies of insurance or bonds required under this Agreement at any time. Any such confidentiality requirements or agreement shall include terms that provide state and federal oversight entities the ability to inspect and copy all policies of insurance or bonds required under this Agreement at any time.
6. If any Required Insurance is provided on a claims-made basis, the Subrecipient shall maintain continuous insurance coverage during the term of this Agreement and in addition to the coverage requirements above, such policy shall provide that: (i) the policy retroactive date coincides with or precedes the insured's initial Work or services under the Agreement (including subsequent policies purchased as renewals or replacements); (ii) the policy allows for reporting of circumstances or incidents that might give rise to future claims; (iii) the Subrecipient shall maintain similar insurance for at least three (3) years following completion of the Work, including the requirement of adding Grantee and its agents as an additional insureds; and (iv) if insurance is terminated for any reason, Subrecipient agrees to purchase an extended reporting provision of at least three (3) years to report claims arising from work performed in connection with this Agreement.
7. Grantee reserves the right, upon reasonable prior written notice, including after the Work has begun, to require Subrecipient to procure and maintain reasonable additional coverage or limits related to the Work and Subrecipient shall furnish such additional insurance or limits and the associated increase, if any, in premium paid by the Subrecipient shall be reimbursed by the Grantee at cost without mark-up.

8. All liability insurance policies (excluding worker's compensation, employer's liability and professional liability) required in this Agreement or in Exhibit G shall name the Grantee and its former, current and future subsidiaries and affiliates, and all of any of their respective successors and assigns, as additional insureds and Subrecipient shall maintain the required coverage, naming all of the foregoing as additional insureds, for a period of not less than three (3) years from the date the Grantee accepts the Work.
9. All insurance or bonds required under this Agreement or in Exhibit G shall be provided by insurance companies having and maintaining ratings of A-/VII or better in the Best's Key Rating Insurance Guide. In addition, all insurance carriers and bonding companies shall meet minimum size and financial stability/financial rating requirements as may be reasonably imposed by Grantee from time to time.
10. Failure to obtain and maintain any bonds or insurance required under the Agreement shall constitute a material breach of the Agreement and Subrecipient will be liable for any and all costs, liabilities, and damages, (including attorney's fees, court costs, and settlement expenses) resulting to Grantee from such breach of any requirements applicable to Subrecipient. In the event Subrecipient fails to provide the required insurance, Grantee may at its option, procure said insurance at Subrecipient's cost and expense.
11. The insurance requirements set forth above are to protect the Grantee from any and all claims by third parties, including employees of the Grantee, its agents, subcontractors (and its employees and agents) and invitees. Said insurance, however, is in no manner to relieve or release Subrecipient, from, or limit its liability as to, any and all obligations assumed under this Agreement.

#### F. Grantee Recognition

Unless otherwise directed by Grantee, Subrecipient shall ensure recognition of the role of HUD and Grantee in providing funding, services, and efforts through this Agreement. Unless otherwise directed by Grantee, all activities, facilities and items solely dedicated to the performance of the activities in the Subrecipient Program Description shall be prominently labeled as to role of HUD and of Grantee. In addition, Subrecipient will include a reference to the support provided herein in all publications made possible with funds made available under this Agreement. See Exhibit D for general guidance for recognition of HUD and Grantee. Note, notwithstanding the terms of this subsection or Exhibit D, HTFC and GOSR reserve the right to direct specific reasonable recognition requirements on a case-by-case basis, including but not limited, to the size and content, waiver, removal or addition of such recognition.

#### G. Amendments

This Agreement may be amended provided that such amendments make specific reference to this Agreement, comply with programmatic policies, procedures, and guidelines, are executed in writing and signed by a duly authorized representative of each Party, and approved by Grantee's governing body. Such amendments shall not invalidate this Agreement, nor relieve or release the Parties from their obligations under this Agreement. Grantee may, in its sole discretion, amend this Agreement to conform with Federal, state, or local governmental guidelines, policies, and available funding amounts, or for other reasons. If such amendments result in a change in the Non-Federal Share, the Subrecipient Program Description, or the rights or obligations of Subrecipient under this Agreement, such modifications will be incorporated in a written amendment signed by the Parties.

#### H. Suspension or Termination

In accordance with 24 CFR 85.43 or 84.62, as applicable, Grantee may suspend or terminate this Agreement if Subrecipient materially fails to comply with any terms of this Agreement, which include (but are not limited to) the following:

1. Failure to comply with any of the rules, regulations or provisions referred to herein, or such statutes, regulations, executive orders, guidelines, policies or directives as may become applicable at any time;
2. Failure, for any reason except those beyond Subrecipient's control, of Subrecipient to fulfill in a timely and proper manner its obligations under this Agreement;
3. Ineffective or improper use of funds provided under this Agreement; or
4. Submission by Subrecipient to Grantee of reports that are untimely, incorrect or incomplete in any material respect.

In accordance with 24 CFR 85.44 or 84.61, as applicable, this Agreement may also be terminated for convenience by Grantee or Subrecipient, in whole or in part, by setting forth the reasons for such termination, the effective date, and, in the case of partial termination, the portion to be terminated. However, if in the case of a partial termination Grantee determines that the remaining portion of the award will not accomplish the purpose for which the award was made, Grantee may terminate the award in its entirety.

## IX. ADMINISTRATIVE REQUIREMENTS

### A. Financial Management

#### 1. Accounting Standards

Subrecipient agrees to comply with 24 CFR 85.20-26 or 84.20-28, as applicable, and to adhere to the accounting principles and procedures required therein, utilize adequate internal controls, and maintain necessary source documentation for all costs incurred.

#### 2. Cost Principles

Subrecipient shall administer the program in conformance with OMB Circulars A-87, "Cost Principles for State, Local, and Indian Tribal Governments"; A-122, "Cost Principles for Non-profit Organizations"; or A-21, "Cost Principles for Educational Institutions", as applicable. These principles shall be applied for all costs incurred whether charged on a direct or indirect basis (if allowed). See also 24 CFR 85.22 "Allowable costs."

### B. Documentation and Record Keeping

#### 1. Records to Be Maintained

Subrecipient shall maintain all records required by applicable law to be maintained, including but not limited to the Federal regulations specified in (1) 24 CFR Part 85, Subpart C or 24 Part 84, Subpart C, as applicable; (2) 24 CFR 570.506; and (3) the applicable HUD Notices that are pertinent to the activities described in the Subrecipient Program Description, as well as any additional records required by Grantee. Such records shall include but not be limited to:

- a. Records providing a full description of each activity undertaken;
- b. Records demonstrating that each activity undertaken meets one of the National Objectives of the CDBG program, as modified by the HUD Notices;
- c. Records required to determine the eligibility of activities described in the Subrecipient Program Description;
- d. Records required to document the acquisition, improvement, use or disposition of real property acquired or improved with CDBG-DR funds;
- e. Records documenting compliance with the fair housing and equal opportunity components of the CDBG program;

f. Financial records as required by (1) 24 CFR 570.502; and (2) 24 CFR 85.20-26 or 84.20-28, as applicable;

g. Other records necessary to document compliance with Subpart K of 24 CFR Part 570.

## 2. Retention

Subrecipient shall retain all financial records, supporting documents, statistical records, and all other records pertinent to the Agreement for a period of five (5) years. The retention period begins on the date of the submission of Grantee's annual performance and evaluation report to HUD in which the activities assisted under the Agreement are reported on for the final time. Notwithstanding the above, if there is litigation, claims, audits, negotiations, or other actions that involve any of the records cited and that have started before the expiration of the five-year period, then all such records must be retained until completion of the actions and resolution of all issues, or the expiration of the five-year period, whichever occurs later.

## 3. Data

Subrecipient shall maintain client data for efforts provided as required by Grantee, pursuant to discussions among the Parties. Such data may include, but is not limited to, address, average income level based on publicly available census information, or other basis for determining eligibility, and description of service provided. Such information shall be made available to cognizant federal authorities, Grantee monitors, or their designees for review upon request.

## 4. Disclosure

Subrecipient understands that data collected under this Agreement is private and the use or disclosure of such information, when not directly connected with the administration of the Parties' responsibilities with respect to efforts provided under this Agreement are subject to the provisions of Article 6-A, "Personal Privacy Protection Law", of the New York State Public Officers Law, as well as all other applicable State and Federal privacy laws (e.g., the Federal Privacy Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552a).

## 5. Close-out

Subrecipient's obligation to Grantee shall not end until all close-out requirements are completed. Close-out activities and requirements are subject to (1) 24 CFR 85.50 or 84.71, as applicable; (2) 24 CFR 570.509; and (3) applicable HUD Notices. Activities during this close-out period shall include, but are not limited to: making final payments, disposing of assets (including the return of all unused materials, equipment, properly addressing Program Income (as that term is

defined in section VI(A)(17)(a) of the HUD Notice 78 Fed. Reg. 14,329, 14,341 (March 5, 2013, as may be amended by HUD)), balances, and accounts receivable to Grantee), and determining the custodianship of records. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the terms of this Agreement shall remain in effect during any period that Subrecipient has control over CDBG-DR funds, including Program Income.

#### 6. Audits & Inspections

All Subrecipient records with respect to any matters covered by this Agreement shall be made available to Grantee, HUD, and the Comptroller General of the United States, or any of their authorized representatives, at any time during normal business hours, as often as deemed necessary, to audit, examine, and make excerpts or transcripts of all relevant data. Any deficiencies noted in audit reports must be fully cleared by Subrecipient within 30 days after receipt by Subrecipient. Failure of Subrecipient to comply with the above audit requirements will constitute a violation of this Agreement and may result in the withholding of future payments and/or termination. Subrecipient hereby agrees to have an annual agency audit conducted in accordance with current Grantee policy concerning Subrecipient audits and OMB Circular A-133.

### C. Reporting and Payment Procedures

#### 1. Program Income and Other Assets

Subrecipient shall report monthly all Program Income, as defined in section VI(A)(17)(a) of the HUD Notice 78 Fed. Reg. 14,329, 14,341 (March 5, 2013, as may be amended by HUD), generated by activities carried out with CDBG-DR funds made available under this Agreement. All Program Income shall be returned to Grantee, absent written authorization from Grantee to the contrary, in accordance with any procedures established by HUD and Grantee. Any interest earned on cash advances from the U.S. Treasury and from funds held in a revolving fund account is not Program Income and shall be remitted promptly to Grantee.

All Program assets, other than Program Income (property, equipment, etc.) shall revert to Grantee upon termination of this Agreement in accordance with applicable Federal, laws, regulations, HUD Notices, policies, and guidelines, including 24 CFR 85.32 which provides that Subrecipient may retain possession of Program assets for so long as they are being used for the purpose for which they were initially acquired.

The Parties agree that revenue generated from operation of LIPA's electric transmission and distribution system is not Program Income, as defined in section VI(A)(17)(a) of the HUD Notice 78 Fed. Reg. 14,329, 14,341 (March 5, 2013, as may be amended by HUD).

## 2. Indirect Costs

Indirect costs, as defined in OMB Circular A-87, will not be compensated under this Agreement.

## 3. Progress Reports

In addition to deliverables and metrics specifically referenced in Exhibit A, Subrecipient shall submit regular Progress Reports to Grantee in the form, content, and frequency as required by Grantee, pursuant to discussions among the Parties. At a minimum, Progress Reports shall be submitted no less frequently than as required by (1) 24 CFR Part 85, Subpart C or 24 CFR Part 84, Subpart C, as applicable; (2) 24 CFR 570.507; and (3) the applicable HUD Notices.

## 4. Payment Procedures

In accordance with the terms in Section IV above, Grantee will pay to Subrecipient funds available under this Agreement based upon information submitted by Subrecipient, consistent with the Subrecipient Program Description, the Budget, Grantee policy concerning payments, and applicable federal and state law and regulation. In addition, Grantee reserves the right to liquidate funds available under this Agreement for any costs incurred by Grantee on behalf of Subrecipient.

## 5. GOSR Reporting Obligations

The following chart summarizes some of the Subrecipient reporting obligations to GOSR. This chart is not intended to catalogue all of Subrecipient's reporting obligations under this Agreement. Note, some of the below reports require the submission of information related to contractors and subsequent subcontractors, which Subrecipient is responsible for collecting and providing to GOSR as required by the cited provision.

| <b>Report</b>         | <b>Provision Citation</b> | <b>Frequency</b> |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|------------------|
| Program Income Report | IX.C.1.                   | Monthly          |
| Progress Report       | IX.C.3.                   | Quarterly        |
| M/WBE Report          | XI.B.2.b.                 | Quarterly        |
| EEO Report            | XI.B.3.c.                 | Quarterly        |
| Section 3 Report      | XI.C.3.d.                 | Quarterly        |

#### D. Sub-granting

##### 1. Approvals

Subrecipient shall not enter into any subgrants with any agency, entity or individual to assist in effectuating the activities of this Agreement without the written consent of Grantee prior to the execution of such subgrants.

##### 2. Monitoring

In accordance with Federal, State, and local laws, regulations, HUD Notices, program guidelines, and the policies and procedures to be issued by Grantee and provided to Subrecipient, Subrecipient will monitor any and all sub-subrecipient efforts on a regular basis to assure compliance. Results of monitoring efforts shall be summarized in written reports and supported with documented evidence of follow-up actions taken to correct areas of noncompliance. Information detailing credible evidence of waste, fraud or abuse, shall be immediately reported to Grantee, followed by a written report within ten (10) calendar days.

##### 3. Content

Subrecipient shall cause all of the provisions of this Agreement in its entirety to be included in and made a part of any sub-subrecipient agreement to be executed to effectuate this Agreement.

##### 4. Selection Process

Subrecipient shall undertake to ensure that all sub-subrecipients utilized to effectuate this Agreement shall be awarded on a fair and reasonable basis in accordance with applicable Federal, State, and local laws, regulations, and HUD Notices, including the HUD Reform Act codified at 42 U.S.C. § 3537a (referred to as Section 103). Executed copies of all sub-subrecipient agreements to be executed to effectuate this Agreement shall be forwarded to Grantee along with documentation concerning the selection process.

#### E. Procurement/Contracting

##### 1. General

Grantee acknowledges that Subrecipient and/or LIPA has agreements with Pre-Existing Contractors covering costs incurred prior to the execution of this Agreement ("pre-Agreement costs"). Grantee has advised Subrecipient that Grantee has previously vetted those Contractors pursuant to Grantee's procedures. To the extent not previously provided, Subrecipient will provide full and complete copies of the Pre-Existing Contractors' applicable contracts, including all insurance requirements, terms and conditions, and the procurement record to



Grantee within fifteen (15) calendar days after the execution of this Agreement. Thereafter Grantee shall review the Pre-Existing Contractor's contracts and the procurement record to determine eligibility for funding the under the PA Program. Subrecipient agrees that Grantee has the right to determine whether to include any or all of the pre-Agreement costs. Neither Subrecipient, LIPA, nor the Pre-Existing Contractors may enter into contracts after the date of the final signature to this Agreement for work to be performed under this Agreement with an expected value of more than \$150,000, without the written consent of Grantee, which shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed, prior to the execution of such agreement. Grantee shall review the request for consent for such agreements within 30 days of its receipt of such request. If the Grantee does not respond to the request for consent within 30 days of its receipt of such request, Grantee shall be deemed to have consented to the agreement, prior to the execution of such agreement. Such consent(s), however, shall not be construed as a waiver of any other rights set forth herein.

Unless specified otherwise within this Agreement, Subrecipient or LIPA shall procure all materials, property, equipment, or services in accordance with the requirements of 24 CFR 85.36 or 84.40-48, as applicable, including but not limited to the need to appropriately assess the lease versus purchase alternatives. Only when Grantee's procurement policies are more stringent than those found at 24 CFR 85.36 or 84.40-48, as applicable, will Subrecipient or LIPA be required to comply with current Grantee policy concerning the acquisition of materials, property, equipment, or services.

## 2. Supplemental Conditions

Subrecipient shall include Grantee's Supplemental Conditions, attached hereto as Exhibit E, in any contract to be executed to effectuate this Agreement. Subrecipient shall also require all contractors to flowdown the Grantee's Supplemental Conditions to all subcontractors as well as the requirement to flowdown such terms to all lower-tiered subcontractors. These Supplemental Conditions include required terms for project contracts, HUD General Provisions, Participation by Minority Group Members and Women Requirements and Procedures for Contracts with Housing Trust Fund Corporation, Standard Clauses for Contracts with HTFC and required diversity forms.

## 3. Records

Subrecipient shall maintain all records required by the Federal regulations specified in (1) 24 CFR Part 85, Subpart C or 24 CFR Part 84, Subpart C, as applicable; (2) 24 CFR 570.506; and (3) the applicable HUD Notices. Only when Grantee's procurement record retention standards are more stringent than Federal regulation shall Subrecipient maintain inventory records of all non-expendable personal property as defined by such policy as may be procured with funds provided herein.

#### 4. Travel

Travel costs are not allowed unless authorized by Grantee. In the event that Grantee authorizes travel, Subrecipient shall comply with HUD's Travel Regulations (Travel Handbook 2300.2). Subrecipient shall obtain prior written approval from Grantee for any travel to out of service area assignments.

#### F. Use and Reversion of Assets

The use and disposition of real property and equipment under this Agreement shall be in compliance with the requirements of 24 CFR Part 85 or Part 84, as applicable, and 24 CFR Part 570, Subpart J, which include but are not limited to the following:

1. Subrecipient shall transfer to Grantee any CDBG-DR funds on hand and any accounts receivable attributable to the use of funds under this Agreement at the time of expiration, cancellation, or termination.
2. Real property under Subrecipient's control that was acquired or improved, in whole or in part, with funds under this Agreement in excess of \$25,000 shall be used to meet one of the CDBG National Objectives pursuant to 24 CFR 570.208 until five (5) years after expiration of this Agreement or such longer period of time as the Parties mutually agree. If Subrecipient fails to use CDBG-assisted real property in a manner that meets a CDBG National Objective for the prescribed period of time, Subrecipient shall pay Grantee an amount equal to the current fair market value of the property less any portion of the value attributable to expenditures of non-CDBG funds for acquisition of, or improvement to, the property. Such payment shall constitute Program Income to Grantee. Subrecipient may retain real property acquired or improved under this Agreement after the expiration of the five-year period or such longer period of time as the Grantee deems appropriate. The Parties have agreed that utility poles, transmission lines and related equipment, whether fixed or not, shall not qualify as real property under this provision.
3. In all cases in which equipment acquired, in whole or in part, with funds under this Agreement is sold, the proceeds shall be Program Income (prorated to reflect the extent to that funds received under this Agreement were used to acquire the equipment). Equipment not needed by Subrecipient for activities under this Agreement shall be (a) transferred to Grantee; or (b) retained after compensating Grantee an amount equal to the current fair market value of the equipment less the percentage of non-CDBG-DR funds used to acquire the equipment.

#### G. Use of Non-Federal Share to Make Loans

Non-Federal Share under this Agreement cannot be used to make loans.

X. RELOCATION, REAL PROPERTY ACQUISITION AND ONE-FOR-ONE HOUSING REPLACEMENT

To the extent applicable to its performance under this Agreement, and as modified by the HUD Notices, Subrecipient agrees to comply with (a) the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970, as amended (URA), and implementing regulations at 49 CFR Part 24 and 24 CFR 570.606(b); (b) the requirements of 24 CFR 570.606(c) governing the Residential Anti-displacement and Relocation Assistance Plan under section 104(d) of the HCD Act; and (c) the requirements in 24 CFR 570.606(d) governing optional relocation policies. Subrecipient shall provide relocation assistance to displaced persons as defined by 24 CFR 570.606(b)(2) that are displaced as a direct result of acquisition, rehabilitation, demolition or conversion for a CDBG-DR assisted project. Subrecipient also agrees to comply with applicable Grantee ordinances, resolutions, and policies concerning the displacement of persons from their residences.

XI. PERSONNEL AND PARTICIPANT CONDITIONS

A. Civil Rights

1. Compliance

Subrecipient agrees to comply with the New York State Human Rights Law and with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968 as amended, Section 104(b) and Section 109 of Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 as amended, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, Executive Order 11063, and Executive Order 11246 as amended by Executive Orders 11375, 11478, 12107, and 12086.

2. Nondiscrimination

Subrecipient agrees to comply with the non-discrimination in employment and contracting opportunities laws, regulations, and executive orders referenced in 24 CFR 570.607, as revised by Executive Order 13279. The applicable non-discrimination provisions in Section 109 of the HCD Act are still applicable.

3. Land Covenants

This Agreement is subject to the requirements of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (P. L. 88-352) and 24 CFR 570.601 and 570.602. With regard to the sale, lease, or other transfer of land acquired, cleared or improved with assistance provided under this Agreement, Subrecipient shall cause or require a covenant running with the land to be inserted in the deed or lease for such transfer, prohibiting discrimination as herein defined, in the sale, lease or rental, or in the

use or occupancy of such land, or in any improvements erected or to be erected thereon, providing that Grantee and the United States are beneficiaries of, and entitled to enforce, such covenants. To the extent any such sale, lease or other transfer of land shall occur, Subrecipient, in undertaking its obligation to carry out the Program assisted hereunder, agrees to take such measures as are necessary to enforce such covenant, and will not itself so discriminate.

#### 4. Section 504

Subrecipient agrees to comply with all Federal regulations issued pursuant to Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 U.S.C. 794), which prohibits discrimination against individuals with disabilities or handicaps in any Federally assisted program. Grantee shall provide Subrecipient with certain guidelines for compliance with that portion of the regulations in force during the term of this Agreement.

### B. Affirmative Action

#### 1. Approved Plan

Subrecipient agrees that it shall be committed to carry out, pursuant to Grantee's specifications, an Affirmative Action Program in keeping with the principles as provided in Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965. Grantee shall provide certain Affirmative Action guidelines to Subrecipient to assist in the formulation of such program. Subrecipient shall submit a plan for an Affirmative Action Program for approval prior to the award of funds.

#### 2. Minority- and Women-Owned Businesses (M/WBE)

##### a. Federal Requirements

Subrecipient shall comply with the small and minority firms, women's business enterprise, and labor surplus area requirements as set forth at 24 CFR 85.36 or 84.44, as applicable.

Subrecipient will use its best efforts to afford small businesses, minority business enterprises, and women's business enterprises the maximum practicable opportunity to participate in the performance of this Agreement. As used in this Agreement, the terms "small business" means a business that meets the criteria set forth in section 3(a) of the Small Business Act, as amended (15 U.S.C. 632), and "minority and women's business enterprise" means a business at least fifty-one (51) percent owned and controlled by minority group members or women. For the purpose of this definition, "minority group members" are Afro-Americans, Spanish-speaking, Spanish surnamed or Spanish-heritage Americans, Asian-Americans, and American Indians. Subrecipient may rely on written representations by businesses

regarding their status as minority and female business enterprises in lieu of an independent investigation.

b. HTFC Requirements

Pursuant to New York State Executive Law Article 15-A (“Article 15-A”), HTFC recognizes its obligation under the law to promote opportunities for maximum feasible participation of certified minority- and/or women-owned business enterprises (“M/WBEs”) in the performance of certain HTFC-funded subrecipient agreements, and all HTFC-funded contracts and subcontracts. HTFC values affording M/WBEs the opportunity to participate in the performance of these subrecipient agreements, contracts, and subcontracts to be awarded under this project. Accordingly, Subrecipient certifies that it has made and will continue to make good-faith efforts to promote and assist the participation of certified M/WBEs through the use of non-governmental sub-subrecipients, contractors, and their subcontractors at all tiers on this project, in an amount equal to ten percent (10%) minority-owned business enterprises (“MBE”) and ten percent (10%) women-owned minority business enterprises (“WBE”) of the total dollar value of this project. These participation goals are applicable to this Agreement as set forth in Exhibit E, Appendix III, and will be monitored by HTFC.

Subrecipient, its sub-subrecipients, contractors, and their subcontractors at all tiers shall comply with the aforementioned M/WBE requirements as set forth in the Participation by Minority Group Members and Women Requirements and Procedures for Contracts with Housing Trust Fund Corporation, attached hereto at Exhibit E, Appendix III. In accordance with those requirements, Subrecipient shall require all covered sub-subrecipients, contractors and their subcontractors at all tiers to submit the required M/WBE documentation, including utilization plans and quarterly reports, to Subrecipient. Subrecipient shall provide quarterly reporting of M/WBE data in a form acceptable to HTFC, which may require Subrecipient to consolidate all reports received from lower tiered subrecipients, contractors and subcontractors into a single report or several reports as reasonably requested by Grantee with copies of sub-subrecipient, contractor and subcontractor M/WBE documentation as supporting documentation. Notwithstanding the provision of such reports and supporting documentation, Subrecipient, and Subrecipient’s sub-subrecipients, contractors and their subcontractors at all tiers, shall maintain copies of all reports and supporting documents as set forth in this Agreement.

### 3. Equal Employment Opportunity (“EEO”) and Non-Discrimination

#### a. Equal Employment Opportunity and Affirmative Action (EEO/AA) Statement

Subrecipient will, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of Subrecipient, state that it is an Equal Opportunity or Affirmative Action employer.

#### b. Non-Discrimination

Subrecipient shall comply with the provisions of the Human Rights Law, and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions. Subrecipient shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed (religion), color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, military status, age, disability, predisposing genetic characteristic, marital status or domestic violence victim status, and shall also follow the requirements of the Human Rights Law with regard to non-discrimination on the basis of prior criminal conviction and prior arrest.

### 4. Access to Records

Subrecipient shall furnish and cause each of its own sub-subrecipients, contractors, and subcontractors to furnish all information and reports required hereunder and will permit reasonable access to its books, records, and accounts by Grantee, HUD or its agent, the Comptroller General of the United States, or other authorized Federal officials for purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with the applicable rules, regulations, and provisions stated herein.

### 5. Contract Provisions

Subrecipient will include the provisions of Paragraphs XI.A., Civil Rights, and B., Affirmative Action, in every subsequent sub-subrecipient agreement, contract, subcontract, or purchase order, specifically or by reference, so that such provisions will be binding upon each of its own sub-subrecipients, contractors, and subcontractors.

## C. Employment Restrictions

### 1. Prohibited Activity

Subrecipient is prohibited from using funds provided herein or personnel employed in the administration of the program for: political activities; inherently religious activities; lobbying; political patronage; and nepotism activities.

## 2. Labor Standards

Subrecipient agrees to comply with the requirements of the Secretary of Labor in accordance with the Davis-Bacon Act, as amended, the provisions of Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (40 U.S.C. 327 et seq.), and all other applicable Federal, state, and local laws and regulations pertaining to labor standards insofar as those acts apply to the performance of this Agreement. Subrecipient agrees to comply with the Copeland Anti-Kick Back Act (18 U.S.C. 874 et seq.) and its implementing regulations of the U.S. Department of Labor at 29 CFR Part 5. Subrecipient shall maintain documentation that demonstrates compliance with hour and wage requirements of this part. Such documentation shall be made available to Grantee for review upon request. Subrecipient agrees that, except with respect to the rehabilitation or construction of residential property containing less than eight (8) units, all contractors engaged under contracts in excess of \$2,000.00 for construction, renovation, or repair work financed in whole or in part with assistance provided under this Agreement, shall comply with Federal requirements adopted by Grantee pertaining to such contracts and with the applicable requirements of the regulations of the Department of Labor, under 29 CFR Parts 1, 3, 5 and 7 governing the payment of wages and ratio of apprentices and trainees to journey workers; provided that, if wage rates higher than those required under the regulations are imposed by state or local law, nothing hereunder is intended to relieve Subrecipient of its obligation, if any, to require payment of the higher wage. Subrecipient shall cause or require to be inserted in full, in all such contracts subject to such regulations, provisions meeting the requirements of this paragraph.

## 3. "Section 3" Clause

### a. Compliance

Compliance with the provisions of Section 3 of the HUD Act of 1968, as amended, and as implemented by the regulations set forth in 24 CFR 135, and all applicable rules and orders issued hereunder prior to the execution of this Agreement, shall be a condition of the Federal financial assistance provided under this Agreement and binding upon Grantee, Subrecipient, and any of the Subrecipient's sub-subrecipients, contractors, and subcontractors. Failure to fulfill these requirements shall subject Grantee, Subrecipient, and any of Subrecipient's sub-subrecipients, contractors, and subcontractors, as well as their successors and assigns, to those sanctions specified by the agreement through which Federal assistance is provided. Subrecipient certifies and agrees that no contractual or other disability exists that would prevent compliance with these requirements.

Subrecipient further agrees to comply with these "Section 3" requirements and to include the following language in all subsequent sub-subrecipient agreements, contracts, and subcontracts executed under this Agreement:

“The work to be performed under this Agreement is a project assisted under a program providing direct Federal financial assistance from HUD and is subject to the requirements of Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, as amended (12 U.S.C. 1701). Section 3 requires that to the greatest extent feasible opportunities for training and employment be given to low- and very low-income residents of the project area, and that contracts for work in connection with the project be awarded to business concerns that provide economic opportunities for low- and very low-income persons residing in the metropolitan area in which the project is located.”

Subrecipient further agrees to ensure that opportunities for training and employment arising in connection with a housing rehabilitation (including reduction and abatement of lead-based paint hazards), housing construction, or other public construction project are given to low- and very low-income persons residing within the metropolitan area in which the CDBG-DR funded project is located; where feasible, priority should be given to low- and very low-income persons within the service area of the project or the neighborhood in which the project is located, and to low- and very low-income participants in other HUD programs; and award contracts for work undertaken in connection with a housing rehabilitation (including reduction and abatement of lead-based paint hazards), housing construction, or other public construction project to business concerns that provide economic opportunities for low- and very low-income persons residing within the metropolitan area in which the CDBG-DR funded project is located; where feasible, priority should be given to business concerns that provide economic opportunities to low- and very low-income residents within the service area or the neighborhood in which the project is located, and to low- and very low-income participants in other HUD programs.

Subrecipient certifies and agrees that no contractual or other legal incapacity exists that would prevent compliance with these requirements.

b. Notifications

Subrecipient agrees to send to each labor organization or representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding, if any, a notice advising said labor organization or worker's representative of its commitments under this Section 3 clause and shall post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment or training.

c. Contracts

Subrecipient will include this Section 3 clause in any subsequent sub-subrecipient agreements, contracts, and subcontracts to be executed to



effectuate this Agreement, and will take appropriate action, pursuant to any such agreement, upon a finding that a sub-subrecipient, contractor, or subcontractor is in violation of regulations issued by HUD. Subrecipient will not subgrant or contract with any entity where it has notice or knowledge that the entity has been found in violation of regulations under 24 CFR Part 135, and will not let any sub-subrecipient agreement or contract unless the entity has first provided it with a preliminary statement of ability to comply with the requirements of these regulations.

d. Reporting

Irrespective of any applicable Federal reporting requirements, Subrecipient shall submit quarterly reports along with any supporting documentation, in a form acceptable to Grantee, of its Section 3 compliance efforts to Grantee, which may require Subrecipient to consolidate all reports received from lower tiered subrecipients, contractors and subcontractors into a single report or several reports as reasonably requested by Grantee. Notwithstanding the provision of such reports and supporting documentation, Subrecipient shall maintain copies of all reports and supporting documents as set forth in this Agreement. A summary of this and certain other reporting obligations is provided at paragraph IX.C.5.

D. Conduct

1. Hatch Act

Subrecipient agrees that no funds provided, nor personnel employed under this Agreement, shall be in any way or to any extent engaged in the conduct of political activities in violation of Chapter 15 of Title V of the U.S.C.

2. Conflict of Interest

Subrecipient agrees to abide by the provisions of 24 CFR 85.36 or 84.42-43, as applicable, and 24 CFR 570.611, which include (but are not limited to) the following:

a. It is presumed that Subrecipient is subject to state and local ethics laws and regulations related to the conduct of its officers, employees, or agents engaged in the award and administration of this Agreement.

b. In the event Subrecipient is not, Subrecipient shall maintain written standards of conduct governing the performance of its employees engaged in the award and administration of this Agreement. No employee, officer, or agent shall participate in the selection, award, or administration of a contract supported by Federal funds if a real or apparent conflict of interest would be involved. Such a conflict would arise when the employee, officer, or agent,

any member of his or her immediate family, his or her partner, or an organization which employs or is about to employ any of the parties indicated herein, has a financial or other interest in the firm selected for an award. The officers, employees, and agents of the recipient shall neither solicit nor accept gratuities, favors, or anything of monetary value from contractors, or parties to subagreements. However, recipients may set standards for situations in which the financial interest is not substantial or the gift is an unsolicited item of nominal value. The standards of conduct shall provide for disciplinary actions to be applied for violations of such standards by officers, employees, or agents of the recipient.

c. No covered persons who exercise or have exercised any functions or responsibilities with respect to the activities set forth in Exhibit A, or who are in a position to participate in a decision-making process or gain inside information with regard to such activities, may obtain a financial interest in any contract, or have a financial interest in any contract, subcontract, or agreement with respect to the CDBG-DR assisted activity, or with respect to the proceeds from the CDBG-DR assisted activity, either for themselves or those with whom they have business or immediate family ties, during their tenure or for a period of one (1) year thereafter. For purposes of this paragraph, a "covered person" includes any person who is an employee, agent, consultant, officer, or elected or appointed official of Grantee, Subrecipient, or any designated public agency.

### 3. Lobbying

Subrecipient hereby certifies that:

a. To the best of its knowledge and belief, no Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of it, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Agreement.

b. If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Agreement, Subrecipient shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.

c. The certification contained in this Article XI.D.3 ("Lobbying") is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by section 1352, title 31, U.S.C. Any person who fails to file a required certification, or

amendment thereto, with HUD shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

d. It has and will comply with Section 139-j and 139-k of the State Finance Law.

e. It will require that the language of paragraphs (a) through (d) of this certification be included in any award documents for subawards at all tiers (including subcontracts, subgrants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements to be executed to effectuate this Agreement) requiring that all subrecipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

#### 4. Copyright

If this Agreement results in any copyrightable material or inventions, Grantee and/or HUD reserves the right to royalty-free, non-exclusive, and irrevocable license to reproduce, publish, or otherwise use and to authorize others to use, the work or materials for governmental purposes. This clause shall survive indefinitely the termination of this Agreement for any reason.

#### 5. Religious Activities

Subrecipient agrees that funds provided under this Agreement will not be utilized for inherently religious activities prohibited by 24 CFR 570.200(j), such as worship, religious instruction, or proselytization.

## XII. ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS

### A. Environmental Laws

Subrecipient agrees to comply with the following requirements (and their state and/or local counterparts or analogues, if any) insofar as they apply to the performance of this Agreement or the Grantee Program, as any of the following may hereafter be amended, superseded, replaced, or modified, provided that pursuant to the Disaster Relief Appropriations Act, 2013, Public Law 113-2, 127 Stat. 37, for any projects that are matching funds for projects funded by the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, through FEMA, the FEMA environmental reviews or approval shall be adopted without further review:

- Executive Order 11988, Floodplain Management, May 24, 1977 (42 FR 26951, 3 CFR, 1977 Comp., p. 117, as interpreted at 24 C.F.R. Part 55), and Executive Order 11990, Protection of Wetlands, May 24, 1977 (42 FR 26961; 3 CFR, 1977 Comp., p. 121);
- Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972, as amended (16 U.S.C. § 1451 *et seq.*);

- Safe Drinking Water Act of 1974 (42 U.S.C. 201, 300(f) *et seq.*, and 21 U.S.C. § 349, as amended), and EPA regulations for Sole Source Aquifers (40 C.F.R. Part 149);
- Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. § 1531 *et seq.*);
- Wild and Scenic Rivers Act of 1968, as amended (16 U.S.C. § 1271 *et seq.*);
- Clean Air Act, as amended (42 U.S.C. § 7401 *et seq.*);
- EPA regulations for Determining Conformity of Federal Actions to State or Federal Implementation Plans (40 C.F.R. Parts 6, 51, and 93);
- Farmland Protection Policy Act of 1981 (7 U.S.C. § 4201 *et seq.*), and USDA regulations at 7 C.F.R. Part 658;
- HUD criteria and standards at 24 C.F.R. Part 51;
- Executive Order 12898, Federal Actions to Address Environmental Justice in Minority Populations and Low-Income Populations, Feb. 11, 1994 (59 FR 7629, 3 CFR, 1994 Comp. p. 859);
- Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973, as amended (42 U.S.C. § 4001-4128);
- National Flood Insurance Reform Act of 1994 (42 U.S.C. § 5154a);
- Coastal Barrier Resources Act, as amended by the Coastal Barrier Improvement Act of 1990 (16 U.S.C. § 3501);
- Runway Clear Zone regulations (24 C.F.R. Part 51);
- Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended (33 U.S.C. § 1251, *et seq.*), 1318 relating to inspection, monitoring, entry, reports, and information, as well as other requirements specified in said Section 114 and Section 308, and all regulations and guidelines issued thereunder;
- Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) regulations at 40 CFR Part 50, as amended;
- HUD regulations at 24 C.F.R. Part 51, Subpart B, and New York State and local laws, regulations, and ordinances related to noise abatement and control, as applicable;

- HUD regulations at 24 C.F.R. Part 51 Subpart C regarding siting of projects near hazardous operations handling conventional fuels or chemicals of an explosive or flammable nature;
- HUD and EPA regulations related to asbestos-containing material and lead-based paint, including but not limited to Part 56 of Title 12 of the Official Compilation of Codes, Rules and Regulations of the State of New York Department of Labor (12 NYCRR Part 56), the National Emission Standard for Asbestos (40 C.F.R. § 61.145), the National Emission Standard for Asbestos (40 C.F.R. § 61.150), and 24 C.F.R. Part 35 Subparts B, H, and J; and
- All other Environmental Laws applicable to Subrecipient that may exist now or in the future. For the purposes of this section, "Environmental Laws" shall mean any federal, state, provincial or local law (including but not limited to statutes, rules, regulations, ordinances, directives, guidance documents or judicial or administrative interpretation thereof, or any judicial or administrative order, ruling or other such written requirement). Environmental Laws include, without limitation, any action which causes a review or reassessment of the Grantee Program.

#### B. Flood Disaster Protection

In accordance with the requirements of the Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973 (42 U.S.C. 4001), Subrecipient shall assure that for activities located in an area identified by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) as having special flood hazards, flood insurance under the National Flood Insurance Program is obtained and maintained as a condition of financial assistance for acquisition or construction purposes (including rehabilitation).

#### C. Lead-Based Paint

Subrecipient agrees that any construction or rehabilitation of structures containing residential units with assistance provided under this Agreement shall be subject to HUD Lead-Based Paint Regulations at 24 CFR 570.608, and 24 CFR Part 35, Subpart B. Such regulations pertain to all CDBG-assisted housing and require that all owners, prospective owners, and tenants of properties constructed prior to 1978 be properly notified that such properties may include lead-based paint. Such notification shall point out the hazards of lead-based paint and explain the symptoms, treatment and precautions that should be taken when dealing with lead-based paint poisoning and the advisability and availability of blood lead level screening for children under seven. The notice should also point out that if lead-based paint is found on the property, abatement measures may be undertaken. The regulations further require that, depending on the amount of Federal funds applied to a property, paint testing, risk assessment, treatment and/or abatement may be conducted.

#### D. Historic Preservation

Subrecipient agrees to comply with the Historic Preservation requirements set forth in the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended (16 U.S.C. 470) and the procedures set forth in 36 CFR Part 800 and 801, Advisory Council on Historic Preservation Procedures for Protection of Historic Properties, insofar as they apply to the performance of this agreement, as well as any other applicable laws or regulations relating to historic properties.

In general, this requires concurrence from the State Historic Preservation Officer for all rehabilitation and demolition of historic properties that are fifty years old or older or that are included on a Federal, state, or local historic property list.

#### E. Implementation of Mitigation Measures

Subrecipient agrees to comply with and timely implement any and all mitigation measures and other requirements set forth in any environmental reviews, environmental assessments or environmental impact statements performed or to be performed in connection with, or records of decision or any similar documents, issued or to be issued in connection with, the CDBG-DR Program as may be applicable to this Agreement unless covered by FEMA environmental reviews or approvals as described in paragraph XI.A. pursuant to the Disaster Relief Appropriations Act, 2013, Public Law 113-2, 127 Stat. 37. It is Subrecipient's responsibility to ensure that it has complete copies of all such documents.

### XIII. ASSIGNMENT

Subrecipient shall not assign or transfer any interest in this Agreement without the prior written consent of Grantee.

### XIV. SEVERABILITY

If any provision of this Agreement is held invalid, the remainder of the Agreement shall not be affected thereby and all other parts of this Agreement shall nevertheless be in full force and effect.

### XV. SECTION HEADINGS AND SUBHEADINGS

The section headings and subheadings contained in this Agreement are included for convenience only and shall not limit or otherwise affect the terms of this Agreement.

#### XVI. WAIVER

Grantee's failure to act with respect to a breach by Subrecipient does not waive its right to act with respect to subsequent or similar breaches. The failure of Grantee to exercise or enforce any right or provision shall not constitute a waiver of such right or provision.

#### XVII. CHOICE OF LAW

This Agreement shall be governed by and construed under the laws of the State of New York, without giving effect to its conflict of law principles. Nothing in the Agreement shall preclude either Party from seeking injunctive relief to protect its rights under this Agreement.

The Parties consent to and agree that any and all disputes arising out of or relating in any way to the Agreement shall be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the state courts or Federal District Courts of New York. The Parties consent to the jurisdiction of such courts, agree to accept service of process by mail, and waive any jurisdictional or venue defenses otherwise available.

#### XVIII. COMPLIANCE WITH LAW

It is the intention and understanding of the Parties hereto that each and every provision of law required to be inserted in this Agreement should be and is inserted herein. Furthermore, it is hereby stipulated that every such provision is deemed to be inserted and if, through mistake or otherwise, any such provision is not inserted herein or is not inserted in correct form, then this Agreement shall forthwith, upon the application of either Party, be amended by such insertion so as to comply strictly with the law and without prejudice to the rights of either Party.

#### XIX. SUBROGATION

Subrecipient acknowledges that funds provided through this Agreement are Federal funds administered by HUD under the CDBG-DR Program and that all funds provided by this Agreement are subject to audit, disallowance, and repayment. Any disagreement with adverse findings may be challenged and subject to Federal regulation; however, Subrecipient shall promptly return any and all funds to Grantee that are found to be ineligible, unallowable, unreasonable, a duplication of benefits, or non-compensable, no matter the cause. This clause shall survive indefinitely the termination of this Agreement for any reason.

XX. LIPA STANDARD TERMS

The provisions set forth in Appendix F relate to requirements imposed upon or applicable to Subrecipient by New York State law and policies. These provisions are hereby deemed incorporated in this Agreement.


XXI. ENTIRE AGREEMENT

This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the Parties for the use of funds received under this Agreement and it supersedes all prior or contemporaneous communications and proposals, whether electronic, oral, or written between the Parties with respect to this Agreement.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Agreement has been executed by a duly authorized representative of the Parties.

**Housing Trust Fund Corporation**

By: 

Name: James Kuoni

Title: State Director of Storm Recovery

Date: 9/29/14

**Long Island Power Authority**

By: 

Name: Thomas Falcone

Title: Chief Financial Officer

This contract has been approved by Grantee's Counsel as to form and its Treasurer as to fiscal sufficiency.

APPROVED BY:

Office of the State Comptroller

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Office of the New York State  
Attorney General

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name

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Title

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Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

STATE OF NEW YORK )  
 ) SS:  
COUNTY OF )

On this 29 day of September, 2019, before me personally came \_\_\_\_\_, to me known and known to me to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and he/she acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same as his/her free act and deed.

DESMONDE L CARTER  
NOTARY PUBLIC, State of New York

DESMONDE L CARTER  
NOTARY PUBLIC, State of New York  
[REDACTED]  
Qualified in Kings County

Notary Public

## **EXHIBIT A**

### **Subrecipient Program Description**

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The Governor's Office of Storm Recovery ("GOSR"), established within Grantee by Governor Andrew M. Cuomo, is tasked with administering the State's CDBG-DR program.

#### **Funding**

GOSR understands that the Long Island Power Authority ("Authority") has a Public Assistance ("PA") projects application in review with FEMA, referred to here as "PA program projects" and a potential storm mitigation protective measures project in review by GOSR.

GOSR—working with Authority, DHSES, FEMA, and other interested parties—commits to provide up to \$143,420,277 in CDBG-DR funds for the following Authority projects:

1. approximately \$65 million for the non-Federal share of the Authority PA program projects related to Hurricane Sandy restoration previously performed and deemed eligible by FEMA for the PA program;
2. approximately \$42 million for the non-Federal share of the Authority PA program projects previously performed and deemed eligible by FEMA for the PA program, in connection with Hurricane Irene and other declared events; and
3. approximately \$36 million for a portion of the Authority's 2014 and through December 31, 2015 storm mitigation protective measures;

Under no circumstances shall GOSR be obligated to reimburse the Authority for any amount, in the total aggregate under this Agreement, in excess of up to \$143,420,277.

Payment for Work not yet performed, requires that the Work and payment (i) have been properly procured and documented in advance, (ii) have been determined to be an eligible expense, and (iii) meet other PA and CDBG-DR requirements. Work previously performed shall be deemed, pursuant to the Letter of Undertaking, executed between FEMA, the State of New York and the Authority on February 21, 2014, to (i) have been properly procured and documented, (ii) have been determined to be an eligible expense, and (iii) have met other PA and CDBG-DR requirements. Payment of the local match is timed to be released when the Federal share managed by DHSES is released.

## **Special Conditions**

In addition to the terms and conditions of this Agreement, Authority agrees to the following conditions on the non-Federal share:

1. Authority confirms that the use of these funds has additional HUD CDBG-DR requirements as specified in this Agreement.
2. Authority agrees that CDBG-DR reimbursement will be based solely on work performed and completed for Authority. Payments will not be made for obligated work or for activities that have been undertaken and cannot be documented or are deemed ineligible or unallowable expenses by HUD.
3. Authority will provide to GOSR, if requested, any bid documents, contracts, or receipts for work to be performed, including environmental permits and reviews, so that GOSR and/or its designated contractor can process requests for approval of contractors or reimbursement and maintain program files to comply with HUD CDBG-DR requirements.
4. Authority will allow GOSR to review and recommend changes to procurement documents and contracts, consistent with Authority's standard contract terms attached hereto as Exhibit F, that relate to projects that are obligated and funded by FEMA but have not yet been bid, so that the use of program funds remains CDBG-DR compliant.
5. Authority will agree to work with GOSR to determine how to transfer necessary documentation and files for work performed and to be undertaken so that GOSR and/or its designated contractor can determine CDBG-DR eligibility.
6. Authority will allow GOSR staff to inspect facilities or view work performed under this Agreement and conduct any audits of the work performed for which DHSES seeks reimbursement subject to the provisions of the section IX.B.6 ("Audits and Inspections") of this Agreement.
7. Authority will abide by all applicable CDBR-DR regulations not mentioned above, including assisting GOSR compliance with covered projects and critical infrastructure asset rules, as set forth in the Action Plan.
8. Authority will agree to work with GOSR to provide the necessary demographic data regarding consumers in their service area including, but not limited to, address, average income levels based on publicly available census information as necessary to meet the GOSR's requirements regarding obligations to ensure HUD funds benefit Low-Moderate Income individuals. Authority shall maintain that data for a period consistent with the requirements of this Agreement.

**EXHIBIT B**  
**Budget**

| <b>Project</b>                                   | <b>Timeline</b>                        | <b>CDBG Match</b>           |
|--|--|-----------------------------|
| <b>Superstorm Sandy Restoration</b>              | <b>Funds expended in 2012 and 2013</b> | <b>Approx. \$65,000,000</b> |
| <b>Hurricane Irene and Other Declared Events</b> | <b>Funds expended in 2011</b>          | <b>Approx. \$42,000,000</b> |
| <b>Storm Mitigation Protective Measures</b>      | <b>Funds expended by 12/31/2015</b>    | <b>Approx. \$36,000,000</b> |
| <b>Total Not to Exceed</b>                       |  | <b>\$143,420,277</b>        |

**EXHIBIT C**  
**Designation of Depository**



New York State  
Housing Trust Fund Corporation

**ACH/DIRECT DEPOSIT AUTHORIZATION**

NOTE: Please type or clearly print all requested information

**PART 1: Payee Identification**

|  |  |                      |                          |
|--|--|----------------------|--------------------------|
| Payee Name<br><i>Long Island Power Authority</i> | Payee Type<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Property Manager/Agent                          |                      |                          |
| Payee Email Address<br>[REDACTED]                | Payee Phone Number (with area code)<br>[REDACTED] Type<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Work <input type="checkbox"/> Home |                      |                          |
| Street Address<br><i>333 EARLE DRINGTON BLVD</i> | City<br><i>UNIONDALE</i>   | State<br><i>N.Y.</i> | Zip Code<br><i>11553</i> |

**WARNING:** Federal law prohibits HTFC from processing international ACH transactions (IAT). If any payment to you from HTFC will result in an IAT under the National Automated Clearing House Association's operating rules or if you are unsure if the rules apply to you, **DO NOT COMPLETE THIS FORM.**

Please initial in the box to the right to indicate you have read the above warning.  
If you fail to initial here, direct deposit will not be approved.



**PART 2: Financial Institution Information**

|   |                              |
|---|------------------------------|
| Name of Financial Institution<br>[REDACTED] | Account Number<br>[REDACTED] |
| Name on Account<br>[REDACTED]               | Account Type<br>[REDACTED]   |
| Nine Digit Routing Number<br>[REDACTED]     |                              |

**PART 3: Authorization**

I authorize HTFC to deposit payments by electronic funds transfer (ACH) into the above referenced account. I acknowledge that if I fail to provide complete and accurate information on this authorization form, processing of this form and payments may be delayed.

This authorization will remain in effect until written notice to terminate is received.

|                                    |   |                        |
|------------------------------------|---|------------------------|
| Authorized Signatory<br>[REDACTED] | Title<br><i>Chief Financial Officer</i> | Date<br><i>9/26/14</i> |
|------------------------------------|---|------------------------|

*THOMAS FALLONE*

*CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER*

## **EXHIBIT D**

### **HUD and Grantee Recognition**

Please find below guidelines for recognition of HUD, Housing Trust Fund Corporation (“HTFC”), and the Governor’s Office of Storm Recovery (“GOSR”) in any work done as a result of this subrecipient agreement. Note, any public information and all of the items below must be approved by HTFC in advance of publication or posting. Note: The following serve as general guidelines, HTFC and GOSR reserve the right to direct specific reasonable recognition requirements on a case-by-case basis, including but not limited to the size and content, waiver, removal or addition of such recognition.

#### *Written documents:*

All written documents solely related to the activities in the Subrecipient Program Description must include the following language, unless otherwise specified in writing by HTFC or GOSR:

1. “This [program/project] is made possible by a grant from the Housing Trust Fund Corporation, which is funded through Community Development Block Grants from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.”
2. Such written documents should also include the HTFC and GOSR logo and the name of the Governor.

#### *Internet information and e-mail information:*

1. Internet information must include all of the items required for written documentation and a link to HTFC’s and GOSR’s website.

#### *Offices open to the public providing services funded by HTFC:*

1. All offices solely dedicated to the activities in the Subrecipient Program Description must include a sign including all of the items required for written documentation.

#### *Construction Signs:*

1. All construction signs for activities solely related to the Subrecipient Program Description must include a sign including all of the items required for written documentation.
2. All construction signs for activities solely related to the Subrecipient Program Description must also include the name of the project, an expected end date for the project, the name of the Subrecipient, and a phone number for the public to call to obtain information about the project. This must be a phone number maintained by the Subrecipient or one of its contractors and/or subcontractors.



*Completed Projects:*

1. Where feasible, and when Subrecipient, HTFC and GOSR mutually agree, completed projects will include permanent recognition of HTFC and GOSR. Subrecipient shall propose to HTFC and GOSR the form and content of the permanent recognition.

**Exhibit E**

**Supplementary Conditions for Contracts**



## GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF STORM RECOVERY

Andrew M. Cuomo  
Governor

James Rubin  
Executive Director



### EXHIBIT E

## SUPPLEMENTARY CONDITIONS FOR CONTRACTS

### Pursuant to Community Development Block Grant Disaster Recovery Subrecipient Agreement

#### Instructions for Subrecipient

- (1) Pursuant to the Subrecipient Agreement, these Supplementary Conditions shall be incorporated into all contracts, subcontracts and lower-tiered subcontracts issued under the Subrecipient Agreement. Accordingly, Subrecipient shall:
  - a. Incorporate these Supplementary Conditions into all contracts under this Subrecipient Agreement.
  - b. Require all contractors to incorporate these Supplementary Conditions in all subcontracts.
  - c. Require all contractors to require their subcontractors incorporate these Supplementary Conditions in all lower-tiered subcontracts.
- (2) Subrecipient shall include this package of Supplementary Conditions as part of the bid packages for all contracts, with the following information added to the Introductory Statement:
  - a. Fill in Project, Project Location, Subrecipient name and address, and Contract Number on the first page of the Introductory Statement.
  - b. Fill in Subrecipient name in the signature block on the second page of the Introductory Statement.
  - c. Attach Insurance Requirements for the Project as Attachment A to the Introductory Statement.
- (3) With respect to the Davis-Bacon Act, Subrecipient shall include appropriate wage determinations in all bid packages, as applicable.
- (4) As part of the bidding process, Subrecipient shall collect the following from all bidders (PROC forms included in Part 6):
  - a. Introductory Statement, with bidder's name and address filled in where Contractor's name and address is required, executed by bidder. Per Instruction No. 5, Subrecipient

need not execute until a bidder is selected, whereby Subrecipient shall execute with other contract documents.

- b. Form PROC-1 (EEO Staffing Plan),
- c. Form PROC-2 (M/WBE Utilization Plan), and
- d. Form PROC-3 (Request for Waiver Form) – if a waiver is sought.

Subrecipient shall appropriately consider in its award decision the information provided in the above referenced forms as indicia of the bidders' ability to comply with related terms of the prospective contract.

- (5) Upon execution of a contract, Subrecipient shall execute and date the Introductory Statement, and Contractor shall execute the following forms (included in Part 6):
  - a. Form PROC-4 (M/WBE and EEO Policy Statement); and
  - b. Form PROC-8 (EEOC Statement).
- (6) Following execution of a contract, Contractor shall complete and submit the forms included in Part 6 pursuant to the instructions set forth on the forms. Of note:
  - a. The following form is required to be completed weekly and retained:
    - i. Form WH-374 (Federal Payroll Form) – As of September 11, 2014, this form is available at <http://www.dol.gov/whd/forms/wh347.pdf>.
  - b. The following forms have quarterly submission requirements, as set forth in their instructions (except as indicated below):
    - i. Form PROC-5 (Workforce Employment Utilization);
    - ii. Form PROC-6 (MWBE Quarterly Report);
    - iii. Form ADM-123 (Cumulative Payment Statement);
    - iv. Form ADM-146 (Affirmation of Income Payments to MBE/WBE); and
    - v. Form HUD 60002 (Section 3 Summary Report) – which shall be completed quarterly notwithstanding the annual reporting requirement set forth in its instructions.
  - c. The following form has monthly submission requirements, as set forth in its instructions:
    - i. Form ADM-136 (Monthly Employment Utilization Form).
  - d. The following form has annual submission requirements, as set forth in its instructions:
    - i. Form HUD 2516 (Contract and Subcontract Activity).
  - e. There is no Form PROC-7.

- (7) Subrecipient shall instruct all contractors to follow these instructions for all subcontracts and lower-tiered subcontracts.
- (8) As required in Parts 3 and 5 herein, certain federal and state requirements are required to be flowed down to contractors and subcontractors at all tiers.
- a. References in these to “New York State,” “the State,” and/or “the Agency” shall be construed as follows:
    - i. For contracts – references to “New York State,” “the State,” and/or “the Agency” shall refer to the Subrecipient that is procuring goods and/or services under the subject contract, references to “New York State,” “the State,” and/or “the Agency” shall be construed to encompass the governmental Subrecipient, as well as cognizant federal or state entities.
    - ii. For subcontracts (at all tiers) – references to “New York State,” “the State,” and/or “the Agency” shall refer to the contractor or higher-tiered subcontractor that is procuring goods and/or services under the subject contract.
  - b. References to “Subrecipient” and “contractor” shall be construed as follows:
    - i. For contracts – references to “Subrecipient” shall be deemed to refer to the contractor, and references to “contractor” shall be deemed to refer to the applicable subcontractor.
    - ii. For subcontracts (at all tiers) – references to “Subrecipient” shall be deemed to refer to the applicable subcontractor, and references to “Contractor” shall be deemed to refer to the applicable lower-tiered subcontractor.
- (9) Minor, non-substantive edits may be made by the Subrecipient to conform these Supplementary Conditions to the agreement between the Subrecipient and its contractors, and/or contractors and subcontractors. Notwithstanding the foregoing, no changes (of any kind) may be made to Parts 3 and/or 6 of these Supplementary Conditions.

**Governor's Office of Storm Recovery  
Supplementary Conditions for Contracts**

**INTRODUCTORY STATEMENT**

"Project" or "Program": [Insert]

Project Location: [Insert]

"Subrecipient": [Insert Name and Address]

"Contractor": [Insert Name and Address]

Contract Number: [Insert]

"Insurance Requirements": See Attachment A to Introductory Statement

Housing Trust Fund Corporation ("HTFC" or "Grantee"), acting through the Governor's Office of Storm Recovery ("GOSR") has entered into a Subrecipient Agreement with the Subrecipient for a grant of Community Development Block Grant Disaster Recovery ("CDBG-DR") funds for purposes of the design and construction of the Project (the "Subrecipient Agreement"). This grant represents a portion of CDBG-DR funds received or to be received under the Federal CDBG-DR program administered by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development ("HUD") to fund necessary expenses related to disaster relief, long-term recovery, restoration of infrastructure, and housing and economic revitalization in the most impacted and distressed areas resulting from a major disaster declared due to Hurricane Sandy and other eligible events (subject to the Federal statutes and regulations governing CDBG grants, as modified by exceptions and waivers previously or hereafter granted by HUD).

Subrecipient is a municipal government or other government agency which will use its own form contracts and other project agreements for the Project. However, as a condition to receiving CDBG-DR funds for the Project, Subrecipient is required to include these Supplementary Conditions in each contract which it enters into for the applicable project and to require all contractors to include these Supplementary Conditions in every subsequent subcontract and lower-tiered subcontracts so that such provisions are binding upon each contractor, subcontractor and lower-tiered subcontractor. Among other things, as set forth more specifically below, these Supplementary Conditions (a) include GOSR requirements which may not otherwise be included in the contract; (b) define the order of precedence for the interpretation and enforcement of the various parts and provisions of the contract (including these Supplementary Conditions); and (c) add certain other provisions which GOSR deems necessary or desirable for the orderly administration and enforcement of the contract. For purposes of subcontracts, references in these Supplementary Conditions to "Subrecipient" shall be deemed to refer to Contractor, and references to "Contractor" shall be deemed to refer to the applicable subcontractor. For purposes of lower-tiered subcontracts, references in these Supplementary Conditions to "Subrecipient" shall be deemed to refer to the applicable subcontractor, and references to "Contractor" shall be deemed to refer to the applicable lower-tiered subcontractor.

Accordingly, Contractor has signed below to evidence its agreement to (a) incorporate into the contract these Supplementary Conditions (which shall be deemed "Contract Documents" under the contract), (b) include these Supplementary Conditions in all subcontracts under the contract, and (c) require that all subcontractors reproduce these Supplementary Conditions in all lower-tiered subcontracts under the contract. By signing below, contractor agrees to comply with the terms and conditions of these

Supplementary Conditions and to complete and submit the forms contained herein as required under these Supplementary Conditions and the instructions on the forms. Contractor hereby certifies, affirms, stipulates, represents and warrants to all provisions contained herein requiring such certification, affirmation, stipulation, representation or warranty, as applicable.

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

CONTRACTOR  
[INSERT CONTRACTOR NAME]

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name:  
Title:

Attachment A to Introductory Statement

INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

[insert or attach Insurance Requirements]



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## **PART 1**

### **ORDER OF PRECEDENCE OF DOCUMENTS**

## **PART 1**

### **ORDER OF PRECEDENCE OF DOCUMENTS**

In the event of a conflict between the terms of these Supplementary Conditions and the terms of the remainder of the contract (including any other attachments thereto and amendments thereof), the terms of these Supplementary Conditions shall control.

In the event of a conflict among the requirements found in these Supplementary Conditions, which conflict would make it impossible to comply with all of the requirements set forth herein, the provisions shall be applied with the following priority:

- (1) The Instructions for Subrecipient; then
- (2) The HUD General Provisions (Part 3); then
- (3) The HTFC M/WBE Requirements (Part 4); then
- (4) The HTFC Standard Clauses (Part 5); then
- (5) The Required Contract Terms (Part 2); then
- (6) The contract between the Subrecipient and contractor, or contractor and subcontractors.

and the remaining requirements shall be interpreted in a manner so as to allow for the terms contained therein to remain valid and consistent with such superseding provisions. If any provision of these Supplementary Conditions relates to a matter embraced by another provision(s) of these Supplementary Conditions but is not in conflict therewith, all such provisions shall apply. Any question as to which requirements control in a particular instance which cannot be resolved by Contractor and Subrecipient shall be submitted in writing (indicating the issue and the applicable provisions) by Subrecipient to GOSR, which shall decide the applicable question.

## **PART 2**

### **COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT DISASTER RECOVERY SUBRECIPIENT AGREEMENT**

#### **REQUIRED TERMS FOR CONTRACTS**

## **PART 2**

### **COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT DISASTER RECOVERY SUBRECIPIENT AGREEMENT**

#### **REQUIRED TERMS FOR CONTRACTS**

##### **A. Insurance & Bonding**

Contractor shall carry, and shall cause its subcontractors and sub-subcontractors to carry, the insurance coverage set forth in the Insurance Requirements attached as Attachment A to the Introductory Statement to these Supplementary Conditions.

##### **B. Civil Rights**

###### **1. Compliance**

Contractor agrees to comply with the New York State Human Rights Law and with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968 as amended, Section 104(b) and Section 109 of Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 as amended, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, Executive Order 11063, and Executive Order 11246 as amended by Executive Orders 11375, 11478, 12107, and 12086.

###### **2. Nondiscrimination**

Contractor agrees to comply with the non-discrimination in employment and contracting opportunities laws, regulations, and executive orders referenced in 24 CFR 570.607, as revised by Executive Order 13279. The applicable non-discrimination provisions in Section 109 of the HCD Act are still applicable.

###### **3. Land Covenants**

The Subrecipient Agreement is subject to the requirements of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (P.L. 88-352) and 24 CFR 570.601 and 570.602. In regard to the sale, lease, or other transfer of land acquired, cleared or improved with assistance provided under the Subrecipient Agreement, Contractor shall cause or require a covenant running with the land to be inserted in the deed or lease for such transfer, prohibiting discrimination as herein defined, in the sale, lease or rental, or in the use or occupancy of such land, or in any improvements erected or to be erected thereon, providing that Grantee and the United States are beneficiaries of, and entitled to enforce, such covenants. To the extent any such sale, lease or other transfer of land shall occur, Contractor, in undertaking its obligation to carry out the Program assisted hereunder, agrees to take such measures as are necessary to enforce such covenant, and will not itself so discriminate.

###### **4. Section 504**

Contractor agrees to comply with all Federal regulations issued pursuant to Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 U.S.C. 794), which prohibits discrimination against individuals with disabilities or handicaps in any Federally assisted program. Subrecipient shall provide Contractor with certain guidelines for compliance with that portion of the regulations in force during the term of the contract.

**C. Affirmative Action**

**1. Approved Plan**

Contractor agrees that it shall be committed to carry out, pursuant to Subrecipient's specifications, an Affirmative Action Program in keeping with the principles as provided in Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965. Subrecipient shall provide certain Affirmative Action guidelines to Contractor to assist in the formulation of such program. Contractor shall submit a plan for an Affirmative Action Program for approval prior to the award of funds.

**2. Minority- and Women-Owned Businesses (M/WBE)**

**a. Federal Requirements**

Contractor shall comply with the small and minority firms, women's business enterprise, and labor surplus area requirements as set forth at 24 CFR 85.36 or 84.44, as applicable.

Contractor will use its best efforts to afford small businesses, minority business enterprises, and women's business enterprises the maximum practicable opportunity to participate in the performance of the contract. As used in these Required Contract Terms, the terms "small business" means a business that meets the criteria set forth in section 3(a) of the Small Business Act, as amended (15 U.S.C. 632), and "minority and women's business enterprise" means a business at least fifty-one (51) percent owned and controlled by minority group members or women. For the purpose of this definition, "minority group members" are Afro-Americans, Spanish-speaking, Spanish surnamed, or Spanish-heritage Americans, Asian-Americans, and American Indians. Subrecipient may rely on written representations by businesses regarding their status as minority and female business enterprises in lieu of an independent investigation.

**b. HTFC Requirements**

Pursuant to New York State Executive Law Article 15-A ("Article 15-A"), HTFC recognizes its obligation under the law to promote opportunities for maximum feasible participation of certified minority-and/or women-owned business enterprises ("M/WBEs") in the performance of certain HTFC-funded subrecipient agreements, and all HTFC-funded contracts and subcontracts. HTFC values affording M/WBEs the opportunity to participate in the performance of these subrecipient agreements, contracts and subcontracts to be awarded under this project. Accordingly, Contractor certifies that it has made and will continue to make good-faith efforts to promote and assist the participation of certified M/WBEs through the use of non-governmental sub-subrecipients, contractors and their subcontractors at all tiers on this project, in an amount equal to ten percent (10%) minority-owned business enterprises ("MBE") and ten percent (10%) women-owned business enterprises ("WBE") of the total dollar value of this project. These participation goals are applicable to the contract as set forth in Part 4 of these Supplementary Conditions and will be monitored by HTFC.

Contractor and its subcontractors at all tiers shall comply with the aforementioned M/WBE requirements as set forth in the Participation by Minority Group Members and Women Requirements and Procedures for Contracts with Housing Trust Fund Corporation, attached hereto as Part 4 of these Supplementary Conditions. In accordance

with those requirements, Contractor shall submit and shall require all covered subcontractors at all tiers to submit the required M/WBE documentation, including utilization plans and quarterly reports, to Subrecipient.

Contractor shall provide quarterly reporting of M/WBE data in a form acceptable to Subrecipient, which may require Contractor to consolidate all reports received from subcontractors and lower-tiered subcontractors into a single report or several reports as reasonably requested by Subrecipient with copies of subcontractor and lower-tiered subcontractor M/WBE documentation as supporting documentation. Notwithstanding the provision of such reports and supporting documentation, Contractor and its subcontractors at all tiers shall maintain copies of all reports and supporting documents as set forth in these Required Terms.

### **3. Equal Employment Opportunity (“EEO”) and Non-Discrimination**

#### **a. Equal Employment Opportunity and Affirmative Action (EEO/AA) Statement**

Contractor will, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of Contractor, state that it is an Equal Opportunity or Affirmative Action employer.

#### **b. Non-Discrimination**

Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the Human Rights Law, and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions. Contractor shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed (religion), color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, military status, age, disability, predisposing genetic characteristic, marital status, or domestic violence victim status, and shall also follow the requirements of the Human Rights Law with regard to non-discrimination on the basis of prior criminal conviction and prior arrest.

#### **c. HTFC Requirements**

Pursuant to New York State Executive Law Article 15-A (“Article 15-A”), HTFC recognizes its obligation under the law to promote opportunities for the employment of minority group members and women in the performance of HTFC-funded contracts.

Contractors and its subcontractors at all tiers shall comply with the equal employment opportunity (“EEO”) requirements found in the Participation by Minority Group Members and Women Requirements and Procedures for Contracts with Housing Trust Fund Corporation, attached hereto as Part 4 of these Supplementary Conditions. In accordance with those requirements, Contractor shall submit and shall require all covered subcontractors at all tiers to submit the required documentation, including an EEO policy statement, staffing plan, and quarterly reports to Subrecipient. Contractor shall provide quarterly reporting of EEO data in a form acceptable to Subrecipient, which may require Contractor to consolidate all reports received from subcontractors and lower-tiered subcontractors into a single report or several reports as reasonably requested by Subrecipient, with copies of subcontractor and lower-tiered subcontractor EEO documentation as supporting documentation. Notwithstanding the provision of such reports and supporting documentation, Contractor and its subcontractors at all tiers shall maintain copies of all reports and supporting documents as set forth in these Required

Terms.

**4. Retention**

Contractor shall retain all records pertinent to these Required Terms for a period of five (5) years. The retention period begins on the date of the submission of Grantee's annual performance and evaluation report to HUD in which the activities assisted under the Subrecipient Agreement are reported on for the final time. Notwithstanding the above, if there is litigation, claims, audits, negotiations, or other actions that involve any of the records cited and that have started before the expiration of the five-year period, then all such records must be retained until completion of the actions and resolution of all issues, or the expiration of the five-year period, whichever occurs later.

**5. Access to Records**

Contractor shall furnish and cause each of its subcontractors to furnish all information and reports required hereunder and will permit access to its books, records and accounts by Subrecipient, Grantee, HUD or its agent, the Comptroller General of the United States, or other authorized Federal officials for purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with the rules, regulations, and provisions stated herein.

**D. Employment Restrictions**

**1. Labor Standards**

Contractor agrees to comply with the requirements of the Secretary of Labor in accordance with the Davis-Bacon Act, as amended, the provisions of Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (40 U.S.C. 327 et seq.), and all other applicable Federal, state, and local laws and regulations pertaining to labor standards insofar as those acts apply to the performance of the contract. Contractor agrees to comply with the Copeland Anti-Kick Back Act (18 U.S.C. 874 et seq.) and its implementing regulations of the U.S. Department of Labor at 29 CFR Part 5. Contractor shall maintain documentation that demonstrates compliance with hour and wage requirements of this part. Such documentation shall be made available to Subrecipient and Grantee for review upon request. If Contractor is engaged under a contract in excess of \$2,000.00 for construction, renovation, or repair work financed in whole or in part with assistance provided under the Subrecipient Agreement, Contractor agrees, except with respect to the rehabilitation or construction of residential property containing less than eight (8) units, to comply and to cause all subcontractors engaged under such contracts to comply with Federal requirements adopted by Grantee pertaining to such contracts and with the applicable requirements of the regulations of the Department of Labor, under 29 CFR Parts 1, 3, 5 and 7 governing the payment of wages and ratio of apprentices and trainees to journey workers; provided that, if wage rates higher than those required under the regulations are imposed by state or local law, nothing hereunder is intended to relieve Contractor of its obligation, if any, to require payment of the higher wage. Contractor shall cause or require to be inserted in full, in all such contracts subject to such regulations, provisions meeting the requirements of this paragraph.

**2. "Section 3" Clause**

**a. Compliance**

Compliance with the provisions of Section 3 of the HUD Act of 1968, as amended, and



as implemented by the regulations set forth in 24 CFR 135, and all applicable rules and orders issued hereunder prior to the execution of the contract, shall be a condition of the Federal financial assistance provided under the Subrecipient Agreement and binding upon Grantee, Subrecipient, Contractor, and any of Contractor's subcontractors and lower-tiered subcontractors. Failure to fulfill these requirements shall subject Grantee, Subrecipient, Contractor, and any of Contractor's subcontractors and lower-tiered subcontractors, as well as their successors and assigns, to those sanctions specified by the agreement through which Federal assistance is provided. Contractor certifies and agrees that no contractual or other disability exists that would prevent compliance with these requirements.

Contractor further agrees to comply with these "Section 3" requirements and to include the following language in all subsequent contracts and subcontracts executed under the contract:

"The work to be performed under this Agreement is a project assisted under a program providing direct Federal financial assistance from HUD and is subject to the requirements of Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, as amended (12 U.S.C. 1701). Section 3 requires that to the greatest extent feasible opportunities for training and employment be given to low- and very low-income residents of the project area, and that contracts for work in connection with the project be awarded to business concerns that provide economic opportunities for low- and very low-income persons residing in the metropolitan area in which the project is located."

Contractor further agrees to ensure that opportunities for training and employment arising in connection with a housing rehabilitation (including reduction and abatement of lead-based paint hazards), housing construction, or other public construction project are given to low- and very low-income persons residing within the metropolitan area in which the CDBG-DR funded project is located; where feasible, priority should be given to low- and very low-income persons within the service area of the project or the neighborhood in which the project is located, and to low- and very low-income participants in other HUD programs; and award contracts for work undertaken in connection with a housing rehabilitation (including reduction and abatement of lead-based paint hazards), housing construction, or other public construction project to business concerns that provide economic opportunities for low- and very low-income persons residing within the metropolitan area in which the CDBG-DR funded project is located; where feasible, priority should be given to business concerns that provide economic opportunities to low- and very low-income residents within the service area or the neighborhood in which the project is located, and to low- and very low-income participants in other HUD programs.

Contractor certifies and agrees that no contractual or other legal incapacity exists that would prevent compliance with these requirements.

b. Notifications

Contractor agrees to send to each labor organization or representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding, if any, a notice advising said labor organization or worker's representative of its commitments under this Section 3 clause and shall post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment or training.

c. Contracts

Contractor will take appropriate action, pursuant to any such agreement, upon a finding that a subcontractor or lower-tiered subcontractor is in violation of regulations issued by HUD. Contractor will not subcontract with any entity where it has notice or knowledge that the entity has been found in violation of regulations under 24 CFR Part 135, and will not let any subcontract unless the entity has first provided it with a preliminary statement of ability to comply with the requirements of these regulations.

d. Reporting

Irrespective of any applicable Federal reporting requirements, Contractor shall submit quarterly reports along with any supporting documentation, in a form acceptable to Subrecipient, of its Section 3 compliance efforts to Subrecipient. Contractor may be required to consolidate all reports received from subcontractors and lower-tiered subcontractors into a single report or several reports as reasonably requested by Subrecipient. Notwithstanding the provision of such reports and supporting documentation, Contractor shall maintain copies of all reports and supporting documents as set forth in these Required Terms.

## **PART 3**

### **HUD GENERAL PROVISIONS**

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The following terms and conditions apply to any contract for which any portion of the funding is derived from a grant made by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development ("HUD").

1. PROVISIONS REQUIRED BY 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 herein, 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 or correction.

2. STATUTORY AND REGULATORY COMPLIANCE

Contractor shall comply with all laws and regulations applicable to the Community Development Block Grant-Disaster Recovery funds appropriated by the Disaster Relief Appropriations Act, 2013 (Pub. L. 113-2), including but not limited to the applicable Office of Management and Budget Circulars, which may impact the administration of funds and/or set forth certain cost principles, including the allowability of certain expenses.

3. BREACH OF CONTRACT TERMS

The State reserves its right to all administrative, contractual, or legal remedies, including but not limited to suspension or termination of this contract, in instances where the Contractor or any of its subcontractors violate or breach any contract term. If the Contractor or any of its subcontractors violate or breach any contract term, they shall be subject to such sanctions and penalties as may be appropriate. The duties and obligations imposed by the contract documents and the rights and remedies available thereunder shall be in addition to and not a limitation of any duties, obligations, rights and remedies otherwise imposed or available by law.

4. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

The Contractor shall complete and submit all reports, in such form and according to such schedule, as may be required by the State. The Contractor shall cooperate with all State efforts to comply with HUD requirements and regulations pertaining to reporting, including but not limited to 24 C.F.R. §§ 85.40-41 (or 84.50-52, if applicable) and 570.507.

5. ACCESS TO RECORDS

The State, the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, the Comptroller General of the United States, or any of their duly authorized representatives, shall have, at any time and from time to time during normal business hours, access to any work product, books, documents, papers, and records of the Contractor which are related to this contract, for the purpose of inspection, audits, examinations, and making excerpts, copies and transcriptions.

6. MAINTENANCE/RETENTION OF RECORDS

All records connected with this contract will be maintained in a central location and will be maintained for a period of at least four (4) years following the date of final payment and close-out of all pending matters related to this contract.

7. SMALL AND MINORITY FIRMS, WOMEN'S BUSINESS ENTERPRISES, AND LABOR SURPLUS AREA FIRMS

The Contractor will take necessary affirmative steps to assure that minority firms, women's business enterprises, and labor surplus area firms are used in subcontracting when possible. Steps include:

- (i) Placing qualified small and minority businesses and women's business enterprises on solicitation lists;
- (ii) Assuring that small and minority businesses, and women's business enterprises are solicited whenever they are potential sources;
- (iii) Dividing total requirements, when economically feasible, into smaller tasks or quantities to permit maximum participation by small and minority business, and women's business enterprises;
- (iv) Establishing delivery schedules, where the requirement permits, which encourage participation by small and minority business, and women's business enterprises; and
- (v) Using the services and assistance of the Small Business Administration, and the Minority Business Development Agency of the Department of Commerce.

8. RIGHTS TO INVENTIONS MADE UNDER A CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT

Contracts or agreements for the performance of experimental, developmental, or research work shall provide for the rights of the Federal Government and the recipient in any resulting invention in accordance with 37 CFR part 401, "Rights to Inventions Made by Nonprofit Organizations and Small Business Firms Under Government Grants, Contracts and Cooperative Agreements," and any implementing regulations issued by HUD

9. ENERGY EFFICIENCY

The Contractor shall comply with mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency which are contained in the New York State energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (Public Law 94-163).

10. TITLE VI OF THE CIVIL RIGHTS ACT OF 1964

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. No person shall, on the grounds of race, color, or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity receiving federal financial assistance.

11. SECTION 109 OF THE HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 1974

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of Section 109 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974. No person in the United States shall on the grounds of race, color, national origin, or sex be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity funded in whole or in part with funds made available under this title. Section 109 further provides that discrimination on the basis of age under the Age Discrimination Act of 1975 or with respect to an otherwise qualified handicapped individual as provided in Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, is prohibited.

12. SECTION 504 OF THE REHABILITATION ACT OF 1973

The Contractor shall comply with section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 U.S.C. § 794), as amended, and any applicable regulations.

The Contractor agrees that no qualified individual with handicaps shall, solely on the basis of handicap, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or otherwise be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity that receives Federal financial assistance from HUD.

13. AGE DISCRIMINATION ACT OF 1975

The Contractor shall comply with the Age Discrimination Act of 1975 (42 U.S.C. § 6101 *et seq.*), as amended, and any applicable regulations. No person in the United States shall, on the basis of age, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under, any program or activity receiving Federal financial assistance.

14. DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, AND INELIGIBILITY

The Contractor represents and warrants that it and its subcontractors are not debarred or suspended or otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation in Federal assistance programs subject to 2 C.F.R. part 2424.

15. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

The Contractor shall notify the State as soon as possible if this contract or any aspect related to the anticipated work under this contract raises an actual or potential conflict of interest (as defined at 2 C.F.R. Part 215 and 24 C.F.R. § 85.36 (or 84.42, if applicable)). The Contractor shall explain the actual or potential conflict in writing in sufficient detail so that the State is able to assess such actual or potential conflict. The Contractor shall provide the State any additional information necessary for the State to fully assess and address such actual or potential conflict of interest. The Contractor shall accept any reasonable conflict mitigation strategy employed by the State, including but not limited to the use of an independent subcontractor(s) to perform the portion of work that gives rise to the actual or potential conflict.

16. SUBCONTRACTING

When subcontracting, the Contractor shall solicit for and contract with such subcontractors in a manner providing for fair competition. Some of the situations considered to be restrictive of competition include but are not limited to:

- (i) Placing unreasonable requirements on firms in order for them to qualify to do business,
- (ii) Requiring unnecessary experience and excessive bonding,
- (iii) Noncompetitive pricing practices between firms or between affiliated companies,
- (iv) Noncompetitive awards to consultants that are on retainer contracts,
- (v) Organizational conflicts of interest,
- (vi) Specifying only a *brand name* product instead of allowing an *equal* product to be offered and describing the performance of other relevant requirements of the procurement, and
- (vii) Any arbitrary action in the procurement process.

The Contractor represents to the State that all work shall be performed by personnel experienced in the appropriate and applicable profession and areas of expertise, taking into account the nature of the work to be performed under this contract.

The Contractor will include these HUD General Provisions in every subcontract issued by it so that such provisions will be binding upon each of its subcontractors as well as the requirement to flowdown such terms to all lower-tiered subcontractors.

17. ASSIGNABILITY

The Contractor shall not assign any interest in this contract, and shall not transfer any interest in the same (whether by assignment or novation) without prior written approval of the State.

18. INDEMNIFICATION

The Contractor shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the State and its agents and employees from and against any and all claims, actions, suits, charges, and judgments arising from or related to the negligence or willful misconduct of the Contractor in the performance of the services called for in this contract.

19. COPELAND "ANTI-KICKBACK" ACT  
(Applicable to all construction or repair contracts)

Salaries of personnel performing work under this contract shall be paid unconditionally and not less often than once a month without payroll deduction or rebate on any account except only such payroll deductions as are mandatory by law or permitted by the applicable regulations issued by the Secretary of Labor pursuant to the Copeland "Anti-Kickback Act" of June 13, 1934 (48 Stat. 948; 62 Stat. 740; 63 Stat. 108; Title 18 U.S.C. § 874; and Title 40 U.S.C. § 276c). The Contractor shall comply with all applicable "Anti-Kickback" regulations and shall insert appropriate provisions in all subcontracts covering work under this contract to ensure compliance by subcontractors with such regulations, and shall be responsible for the submission of affidavits required of subcontractors thereunder except as the Secretary of Labor may specifically provide for variations of or exemptions from the requirements thereof.

20. CONTRACT WORK HOURS AND SAFETY STANDARDS ACT  
(Applicable to construction contracts exceeding \$2,000 and contracts exceeding \$2,500 that involve the employment of mechanics or laborers)
- The Contractor shall comply with Sections 103 and 107 of the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (40 U.S.C. §§ 327-330) as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. part 5).
- All laborers and mechanics employed by contractors or subcontractors shall receive overtime compensation in accordance with and subject to the provisions of the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act, and the contractors and subcontractors shall comply with all regulations issued pursuant to that act and with other applicable Federal laws and regulations pertaining to labor standards.
21. DAVIS-BACON ACT  
(Applicable to construction contracts exceeding \$2,000 when required by Federal program legislation)
- The Contractor shall comply with the Davis Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. §§ 276a to 276a-7) as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. part 5).
- All laborers and mechanics employed by contractors or subcontractors, including employees of other governments, on construction work assisted under this contract, and subject to the provisions of the federal acts and regulations listed in this paragraph, shall be paid wages at rates not less than those prevailing on similar construction in the locality as determined by the Secretary of Labor in accordance with the Davis-Bacon Act.
22. TERMINATION FOR CAUSE (Applicable to contracts exceeding \$10,000)
- If, through any cause, the Contractor shall fail to fulfill in a timely and proper manner his obligations under this contract, or if the Contractor shall violate any of the covenants, agreements, or stipulations of this contract, the State shall thereupon have the right to terminate this contract by giving written notice to the Contractor of such termination and specifying the effective date thereof, at least five (5) days before the effective date of such termination. In such event, all finished or unfinished documents, data, studies, surveys, drawings, maps, models, photographs, and reports prepared by the Contractor under this contract shall, at the option of the State, become the State's property and the Contractor shall be entitled to receive just and equitable compensation for any work satisfactorily completed hereunder. Notwithstanding the above, the Contractor shall not be relieved of liability to the State for damages sustained by the State by virtue of any breach of the contract by the Contractor, and the State may withhold any payments to the Contractor for the purpose of set-off until such time as the exact amount of damages due the State from the Contractor is determined.
23. TERMINATION FOR CONVENIENCE (Applicable to contracts exceeding \$10,000)
- The State may terminate this contract at any time by giving at least ten (10) days' notice in writing to the Contractor. If the contract is terminated by the State as provided herein, the Contractor will be paid for the time provided and expenses incurred up to the termination date.
24. SECTION 503 OF THE REHABILITATION ACT OF 1973  
(Applicable to contracts exceeding \$10,000)



The Contractor shall comply with section 503 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 U.S.C. § 793), as amended, and any applicable regulations.

#### Equal Opportunity for Workers With Disabilities

1. The Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of physical or mental disability in regard to any position for which the employee or applicant for employment is qualified. The Contractor agrees to take affirmative action to employ, advance in employment and otherwise treat qualified individuals with disabilities without discrimination based on their physical or mental disability in all employment practices, including the following:
  - i. Recruitment, advertising, and job application procedures;
  - ii. Hiring, upgrading, promotion, award of tenure, demotion, transfer, layoff, termination, right of return from layoff and rehiring;
  - iii. Rates of pay or any other form of compensation and changes in compensation;
  - iv. Job assignments, job classifications, organizational structures, position descriptions, lines of progression, and seniority lists;
  - v. Leaves of absence, sick leave, or any other leave;
  - vi. Fringe benefits available by virtue of employment, whether or not administered by the contractor;
  - vii. Selection and financial support for training, including apprenticeship, professional meetings, conferences, and other related activities, and selection for leaves of absence to pursue training;
  - viii. Activities sponsored by the contractor including social or recreational programs; and
  - ix. Any other term, condition, or privilege of employment.
2. The Contractor agrees to comply with the rules, regulations, and relevant orders of the Secretary of Labor issued pursuant to the act.
3. In the event of the Contractor's noncompliance with the requirements of this clause, actions for noncompliance may be taken in accordance with the rules, regulations, and relevant orders of the Secretary of Labor issued pursuant to the act.
4. The Contractor agrees to post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, notices in a form to be prescribed by the Deputy Assistant Secretary for Federal Contract Compliance Programs, provided by or through the contracting officer. Such notices shall state the rights of applicants and employees as well as the Contractor's obligation under the law to take affirmative action to employ and advance in employment qualified employees and applicants with disabilities. The Contractor must ensure that applicants and employees with disabilities are informed of the contents of the notice (e.g., the

Contractor may have the notice read to a visually disabled individual, or may lower the posted notice so that it might be read by a person in a wheelchair).

5. The Contractor will notify each labor organization or representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract understanding, that the Contractor is bound by the terms of section 503 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, and is committed to take affirmative action to employ and advance in employment individuals with physical or mental disabilities.
6. The Contractor will include the provisions of this clause in every subcontract or purchase order in excess of \$10,000, unless exempted by the rules, regulations, or orders of the Secretary issued pursuant to section 503 of the act, as amended, so that such provisions will be binding upon each subcontractor or vendor. The Contractor will take such action with respect to any subcontract or purchase order as the Deputy Assistant Secretary for Federal Contract Compliance Programs may direct to enforce such provisions, including action for noncompliance.

25. EXECUTIVE ORDER 11246

(Applicable to construction contracts and subcontracts exceeding \$10,000)

The Contractor shall comply with Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, entitled "Equal Employment Opportunity," as amended by Executive Order 11375 of October 13, 1967, and as supplemented in Department of Labor regulations (41 CFR chapter 60).

During the performance of this contract, the Contractor agrees as follows:

- A. The Contractor shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin. The Contractor shall take affirmative action to ensure that applicants for employment are employed, and that employees are treated during employment, without regard to their race, color, religion, sex, or national origin. Such action shall include, but not be limited to, the following: employment, upgrading, demotion, or transfer; recruitment or recruitment advertising; layoff or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship.
- B. The Contractor shall post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, notices to be provided by Contracting Officer setting forth the provisions of this non-discrimination clause. The Contractor shall state that all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, or national origin.
- C. The Contractor will, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the contractor, state that all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex or national origin.
- D. The Contractor will send to each labor union or representative of workers with which he has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding, a notice, to be provided by the agency contracting officer, advising the labor union or workers representative of the contractor's commitments under Section 202 of Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and shall post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment.
- E. The Contractor will comply with all provisions of Executive Order 11246 of September 24,

1965, and of the rules, regulations and relevant orders of the Secretary of Labor.

- F. The Contractor will furnish all information and reports required by Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and by the rules, regulations and orders of the Secretary of Labor, or pursuant thereto, and will permit access to books, records and accounts by the contracting agency and the Secretary of Labor for purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with such rules, regulations and orders.
- G. In the event of the Contractor's non-compliance with the non-discrimination clause of this contract or with any of such rules, regulations or orders, this contract may be cancelled, terminated or suspended in whole or in part and the contractor may be declared ineligible for further government contracts in accordance with procedures authorized in Executive Order 11246 and such other sanctions as may be imposed and remedies invoked as provided in Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, or by rule, regulation or order of the Secretary of Labor, or as otherwise provided by law.
- H. Contractor shall incorporate the provisions of A through G above in every subcontract or purchase order unless exempted by rules, regulations or orders of the Secretary of Labor so that such provisions shall be binding on such subcontractor. The Contractor will take such action with respect to any subcontract or purchase order as the contracting agency may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for non-compliance, provided, however, that in the event the contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of such direction by the contracting agency, the Contractor may request the United States to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the United States.

26. CERTIFICATION OF NONSEGREGATED FACILITIES  
(Applicable to construction contracts exceeding \$10,000)

The Contractor certifies that it does not maintain or provide for its establishments, and that it does not permit employees to perform their services at any location, under its control, where segregated facilities are maintained. It certifies further that it will not maintain or provide for employees any segregated facilities at any of its establishments, and it will not permit employees to perform their services at any location under its control where segregated facilities are maintained. The Contractor agrees that a breach of this certification is a violation of the equal opportunity clause of this contract.

As used in this certification, the term "segregated facilities" means any waiting rooms, work areas, rest rooms and wash rooms, restaurants and other eating areas, time clocks, locker rooms, and other storage or dressing areas, parking lots, drinking fountains, recreation or entertainment areas, transportation and housing facilities provided for employees which are segregated by explicit directive or are, in fact, segregated on the basis of race, color, religion, or national origin because of habit, local custom, or any other reason.

The Contractor further agrees that (except where it has obtained for specific time periods) it will obtain identical certification from proposed subcontractors prior to the award of subcontracts exceeding \$10,000 which are not exempt from the provisions of the equal opportunity clause; that it will retain such certifications in its files; and that it will forward the preceding notice to such proposed subcontractors (except where proposed subcontractors have submitted identical certifications for specific time periods).

27. CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH CLEAN AIR AND WATER ACTS  
(Applicable to contracts exceeding \$100,000)

The Contractor and all subcontractors shall comply with the requirements of the Clean Air Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. § 1857 *et seq.*, the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended, 33 U.S.C. § 1251 *et seq.*, and the regulations of the Environmental Protection Agency with respect thereto, at 40 C.F.R. Part 15 and 32, as amended, Section 508 of the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. § 1368) and Executive Order 11738.

In addition to the foregoing requirements, all nonexempt contractors and subcontractors shall furnish to the owner, the following:

- A. A stipulation by the Contractor or subcontractors, that any facility to be utilized in the performance of any nonexempt contract or subcontract, is not listed on the Excluded Party Listing System pursuant to 40 C.F.R. 32 or on the List of Violating Facilities issued by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) pursuant to 40 C.F.R. Part 15, as amended.
- B. Agreement by the Contractor to comply with all the requirements of Section 114 of the Clean Air Act, as amended, (42 U.S.C. § 1857 c-8) and Section 308 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended, (33 U.S.C. § 1318) relating to inspection, monitoring, entry, reports and information, as well as all other requirements specified in said Section 114 and Section 308, and all regulations and guidelines issued thereunder.
- C. A stipulation that as a condition for the award of the contract, prompt notice will be given of any notification received from the Director, Office of Federal Activities, EPA, indicating that a facility utilized, or to be utilized for the contract, is under consideration to be listed on the Excluded Party Listing System or the EPA List of Violating Facilities.
- D. Agreement by the Contractor that he will include, or cause to be included, the criteria and requirements in paragraph (A) through (D) of this section in every nonexempt subcontract and requiring that the Contractor will take such action as the government may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions.

28. LOBBYING (Applicable to contracts exceeding \$100,000)

The Contractor certifies, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

- (1) No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of an agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.
- (2) If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the Contractor shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.

- (3) The Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subawards at all tiers (including subcontracts, subgrants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all subrecipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by section 1352, title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

29. BONDING REQUIREMENTS

(Applicable to construction and facility improvement contracts exceeding \$100,000)

The Contractor shall comply with New York state bonding requirements, unless they have not been approved by HUD, in which case the Contractor shall comply with the following minimum bonding requirements:

- (1) *A bid guarantee from each bidder equivalent to five percent of the bid price.* The “bid guarantee” shall consist of a firm commitment such as a bid bond, certified check, or other negotiable instrument accompanying a bid as assurance that the bidder will, upon acceptance of his bid, execute such contractual documents as may be required within the time specified.
- (2) *A performance bond on the part of the Contractor for 100 percent of the contract price.* A “performance bond” is one executed in connection with a contract to secure fulfillment of all the Contractor’s obligations under such contract.
- (3) *A payment bond on the part of the Contractor for 100 percent of the contract price.* A “payment bond” is one executed in connection with a contract to assure payment as required by law of all persons supplying labor and material in the execution of the work provided for in the contract.

30. SECTION 3 OF THE HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 1968

(As required by applicable thresholds)

- A. The work to be performed under this contract is subject to the requirements of section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, as amended, 12 U.S.C. § 1701u (section 3). The purpose of section 3 is to ensure that employment and other economic opportunities generated by HUD assistance or HUD-assisted projects covered by section 3, shall, to the greatest extent feasible, be directed to low- and very low-income persons, particularly persons who are recipients of HUD assistance for housing.
- B. The parties to this contract agree to comply with HUD’s regulations in 24 C.F.R. part 135, which implement section 3. As evidenced by their execution of this contract, the parties to this contract certify that they are under no contractual or other impediment that would prevent them from complying with the part 135 regulations.
- C. The Contractor agrees to send to each labor organization or representative of workers with which the Contractor has a collective bargaining agreement or other understanding, if any, a notice advising the labor organization or workers’ representative of the Contractor’s

commitments under this section 3 clause, and will post copies of the notice in conspicuous places at the work site where both employees and applicants for training and employment positions can see the notice. The notice shall describe the section 3 preference, shall set forth minimum number and job titles subject to hire, availability of apprenticeship and training positions, the qualifications for each; and the name and location of the person(s) taking applications for each of the positions; and the anticipated date the work shall begin.

- D. The Contractor agrees to include this section 3 clause in every subcontract subject to compliance with regulations in 24 C.F.R. part 135, and agrees to take appropriate action, as provided in an applicable provision of the subcontract or in this section 3 clause, upon a finding that the subcontractor is in violation of the regulations in 24 C.F.R. part 135. The Contractor will not subcontract with any subcontractor where the Contractor has notice or knowledge that the subcontractor has been found in violation of the regulations in 24 C.F.R. part 135.
- E. The Contractor will certify that any vacant employment positions, including training positions, that are filled (1) after the Contractor is selected but before the contract is executed, and (2) with persons other than those to whom the regulations of 24 C.F.R. part 135 require employment opportunities to be directed, were not filled to circumvent the Contractor's obligations under 24 C.F.R. part 135.
- F. Noncompliance with HUD's regulations in 24 C.F.R. part 135 may result in sanctions, termination of this contract for default, and debarment or suspension from future HUD assisted contracts.
- G. With respect to work performed in connection with section 3 covered Indian housing assistance, section 7(b) of the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act (25 U.S.C. § 450e) also applies to the work to be performed under this contract. Section 7(b) requires that to the greatest extent feasible (i) preference and opportunities for training and employment shall be given to Indians, and (ii) preference in the award of contracts and subcontracts shall be given to Indian organizations and Indian-owned Economic Enterprises. Parties to this contract that are subject to the provisions of section 3 and section 7(b) agree to comply with section 3 to the maximum extent feasible, but not in derogation of compliance with section 7(b).

## **PART 4**

### **PARTICIPATION BY MINORITY GROUP MEMBERS AND WOMEN**

#### **REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES FOR CONTRACTS WITH HOUSING TRUST FUND CORPORATION**

## **PART 4**

### **PARTICIPATION BY MINORITY GROUP MEMBERS AND WOMEN**

#### **REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES FOR CONTRACTS WITH HOUSING TRUST FUND CORPORATION**

##### **I. General Provisions**

- A. The Corporation is required to implement the provisions of New York State ("State") Executive Law Article 15-A and 5 NYCRR Parts 142-144 ("MWBE Regulations") for all State contracts as defined therein, with a value (1) in excess of \$25,000 for labor, services, equipment, materials, or any combination of the foregoing or (2) in excess of \$100,000 for real property renovations and construction.
- B. Contractor agrees, in addition to any other nondiscrimination provision of the Contract and at no additional cost to the Housing Trust Fund Corporation ("Corporation"), to fully comply and cooperate with the Corporation in the implementation of New York State Executive Law Article 15-A. These requirements include equal employment opportunities for minority group members and women ("EEO") and contracting opportunities for certified minority and women-owned business enterprises ("MWBEs"). Contractor's demonstration of "good faith efforts" pursuant to 5 NYCRR §142.8 shall be a part of these requirements. These provisions shall be deemed supplementary to, and not in lieu of, the nondiscrimination provisions required by New York State Executive Law Article 15 (the "Human Rights Law") or other applicable federal, State or local laws.
- C. Failure to comply with all of the requirements herein may result in a finding of non-responsiveness, non-responsibility and/or a breach of contract, leading to the withholding of funds or such other actions, liquidated damages pursuant to section VII of this Part or enforcement proceedings as allowed by the contract.

##### **II. Contract Goals**

- A. For purposes of this procurement, the Corporation hereby establishes an overall goal of 20% for Minority and Women-Owned Business Enterprises ("MWBE") participation, 10% for Minority-Owned Business Enterprises ("MBE") participation and 10% for Women-Owned Business Enterprises ("WBE") participation (based on the current availability of qualified MBEs and WBEs).
- B. For purposes of providing meaningful participation by MWBEs on this Contract and achieving the Contract Goals established in section III-A, Contractor should reference the directory of New York State Certified MBWEs found at the following internet address:  
<http://www.empire.state.ny.us/MWBE/directorySearch.html>.

Additionally, Contractor is encouraged to contact the Division of Minority and Woman Business Development ((518) 292-5250; (212) 803-2414; or (716) 846-8200) to discuss additional methods of maximizing participation by MWBEs on this Contract.

- C. Where MWBE goals have been established herein, pursuant to 5 NYCRR §142.8, Contractor must document "good faith efforts" to provide meaningful participation by MWBEs as subcontractors or suppliers in the performance of this Contract. In accordance with section 316-a of Article 15-A and



5 NYCRR §142.13, the Contractor acknowledges that if Contractor is found to have willfully and intentionally failed to comply with the MWBE participation goals set forth in the Contract, such a finding constitutes a breach of Contract and the Contractor shall be liable to the Corporation for liquidated or other appropriate damages, as set forth herein.

### **III. Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO)**

- A. Contractor agrees to be bound by the provisions of Article 15-A and the MWBE Regulations promulgated by the Division of Minority and Women's Business Development of the Department of Economic Development (the "Division"). If any of these terms or provisions conflict with applicable law or regulations, such laws and regulations shall supersede these requirements.
- B. Contractor shall comply with the following provisions of Article 15-A:
  - 1. Contractor and Subcontractors shall undertake or continue existing EEO programs to ensure that minority group members and women are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status. For these purposes, EEO shall apply in the areas of recruitment, employment, job assignment, promotion, upgrading, demotion, transfer, layoff, or termination and rates of pay or other forms of compensation.
  - 2. The Contractor shall submit an EEO policy statement (Form PROC-8) to the Corporation within seventy two (72) hours after the date of the notice by Corporation to award the Contract to the Contractor.
  - 3. If Contractor or Subcontractor does not have an existing EEO policy statement, the Corporation may provide the Contractor or Subcontractor a model statement (see Form PROC-4 – Minority and Women-Owned Business Enterprises Equal Employment Opportunity Policy Statement).
  - 4. The Contractor's EEO policy statement shall include the following language:
    - a. The Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status, will undertake or continue existing EEO programs to ensure that minority group members and women are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination, and shall make and document its conscientious and active efforts to employ and utilize minority group members and women in its work force.
    - b. The Contractor shall state in all solicitations or advertisements for employees that, in the performance of the Contract, all qualified applicants will be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status.
    - c. The Contractor shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, to furnish a written statement that such employment agency, labor union, or representative will not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, color, national origin, sex age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative will affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of the Contractor's obligations herein.

- d. The Contractor will include the provisions of sections (a) through (c) of this subsection and paragraph "E" of this section, which provides for relevant provisions of the Human Rights Law, in every subcontract in such a manner that the requirements of the subdivisions will be binding upon each subcontractor as to work in connection with this Contract.

**C. Form PROC-1- Staffing Plan**

To ensure compliance with this section, the Contractor shall submit a staffing plan to document the composition of the proposed workforce to be utilized in the performance of this Contract by the specified categories listed, including ethnic background, gender, and Federal occupational categories. Contractors shall complete the Staffing plan form and submit it as part of their bid or proposal or within a reasonable time, but no later than the time of award of the Contract.

**D. Form PROC-5 - Workforce Employment Utilization Report ("Workforce Report")**

1. Once a Contract has been awarded and during the term of Contract, Contractor is responsible for updating and providing notice to the Corporation of any changes to the previously submitted Staffing Plan. This information is to be submitted on a quarterly basis during the term of the Contract to report the actual workforce utilized in the performance of the Contract by the specified categories listed including ethnic background, gender, and Federal occupational categories. The Workforce Report must be submitted to report this information.

Reports should be submitted by email to: [MWBE\\_EEOCreports@stormrecovery.ny.gov](mailto:MWBE_EEOCreports@stormrecovery.ny.gov).

2. Separate forms shall be completed by Contractor and any subcontractor performing work on the Contract.
  3. In limited instances, Contractor may not be able to separate out the workforce utilized in the performance of the Contract from Contractor's and/or subcontractor's total workforce. When a separation can be made, Contractor shall submit the Workforce Report and indicate that the information provided related to the actual workforce utilized on the subject Contract. When the workforce to be utilized on the Contract cannot be separated out from Contractor's and/or subcontractor's total workforce, Contractor shall submit the Workforce Report and indicate that the information provided is Contractor's total workforce during the subject time frame, not limited to work specifically under the Contract.
- E. Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the Human Rights Law, all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions. Contractor and subcontractors shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed (religion), color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, military status, age, disability, predisposing genetic characteristic, marital status or domestic violence victim status, and shall also follow the requirements of the Human Rights Law with regard to non-discrimination on the basis of prior criminal conviction and prior arrest.

**IV. MWBE Utilization Plan**

- A. The Contractor represents and warrants that Contractor has submitted an MWBE Utilization Plan (Form PROC-2) either prior to, or at the time of, the execution of this Contract.
- B. Contractor agrees to use such MWBE Utilization Plan for the performance of MWBEs on this Contract pursuant to the prescribed MWBE goals set forth in section II-A of this Part.

- C. Contractor further agrees that a failure to submit and/or use such MWBE Utilization Plan shall constitute a material breach of the terms of this Contract. Upon the occurrence of such a material breach, the Corporation shall be entitled to any remedy provided herein, including but not limited to, a finding of Contractor non-responsiveness.

## **V. Waivers**

- A. For Waiver Requests Contractor should use Form PROC-3 – Waiver Request.
- B. If the Contractor, after making good faith efforts, is unable to comply with MWBE goals, the Contractor may submit a Request for Waiver documenting good faith efforts by the Contractor to meet such goals. If the documentation included with the waiver request is complete, the Corporation shall evaluate the request and issue a written notice of acceptance or denial within twenty (20) days of receipt.
- C. If the Corporation, upon review of the Utilization Plan and updated Compliance Reports determines that Contractor is failing or refusing to comply with the Contract goals and no waiver has been issued in regards to such non-compliance, the Corporation may issue a notice of deficiency to the Contractor. The Contractor must respond to the notice of deficiency within seven (7) business days of receipt. Such response may include a request for partial or total waiver of MWBE Contract Goals.

## **VI. Quarterly MWBE Contractor Compliance Report**

Contractor is required to submit a Quarterly MWBE Contractor Compliance Report (Form PROC-6) to the Corporation by the 10th day following each end of quarter (i.e., March 31st, June 30th, September 30th, and December 31st) over the term of the Contract documenting the progress made towards achievement of the MWBE goals of the Contract. Reports should be submitted by email to: MWBE\_EEOCreports@stormrecovery.ny.gov.

## **VII. Liquidated Damages - MWBE Participation**

- A. Where the Corporation determines that Contractor is not in compliance with the requirements of this Contract and Contractor refuses to comply with such requirements, or if Contractor is found to have willfully and intentionally failed to comply with the MWBE participation goals, Contractor shall be obligated to pay to the Corporation liquidated damages.
- B. Such liquidated damages shall be calculated as an amount equaling the difference between:
  - 1. All sums identified for payment to MWBEs had the Contractor achieved the contractual MWBE goals; and
  - 2. All sums actually paid to MWBEs for work performed or materials supplied under the Contract.
- C. In the event a determination has been made which requires the payment of liquidated damages and such identified sums have not been withheld by the Agency, Contractor shall pay such liquidated damages to the Corporation within sixty (60) days after they are assessed by the Corporation unless prior to the expiration of such sixtieth (60th) day, the Contractor has filed a complaint with the Director of the Division of Minority and Woman Business Development pursuant to subdivision 8 of section 313 of the Executive Law in which event the liquidated damages shall be payable if Director renders a decision in favor of the Corporation.

## **PART 5**

### **STANDARD CLAUSES FOR CONTRACTS WITH THE HOUSING TRUST FUND CORPORATION**

## **PART 5**

### **STANDARD CLAUSES FOR CONTRACTS WITH THE HOUSING TRUST FUND CORPORATION**

Housing Trust Fund Corporation  
38-40 State Street, Albany, New York 12207

New York State Finance Agency, State of New York Mortgage Agency  
New York State Affordable Housing Corporation, State of New York Municipal Bond  
Bank Agency, and Tobacco Settlement Financing Corporation  
641 Lexington Avenue, New York, New York 10022, (212) 688-4000

April, 2013

#### **STANDARD CLAUSES FOR AGENCY CONTRACTS**

The parties to the attached contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter, "Contract") agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the Contract (the word "Contractor" herein refers to any party other than the State of New York ("State"), whether a contractor, licenser, licensee, lessor, lessee or any other party):

**1. ACCOUNTING RECORDS.** The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertinent to performance of work done for the Agency or Agencies under this Contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records") consistent with generally accepted bookkeeping practices. The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The Agency or Agencies involved in this Contract and any person or entity authorized to conduct an examination shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the State of New York or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the State, for the term specified above for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. The Agency or Agencies shall take reasonable steps to protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute") provided that: (i) the Contractor shall timely inform the Agencies' Senior Vice President and Counsel, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; and (ii) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (iii) designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the Agency's or Agencies' right to discovery in any pending or future litigation.

**2. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST.** The Contractor shall not accept any engagement in conflict with the Agency's or Agencies' interest in the subject matter of this Contract.

The Servicer shall not offer to any employee, member or director of the Agency or Agencies' any gift, whether in the form of money, service, loan, travel, entertainment, hospitality, thing or promise, or in any other form, under circumstances in which it could reasonably be inferred that the gift was intended to influence said employee, member or director, or could reasonably be expected to influence said employee, member or director, in the performance of the official duty of said employee, member or director or was intended as a reward for any official action on the part of said employee, member or director.

**3. SUBCONSULTANTS.** The Contractor shall not employ, contract with, or use the services of any consultant for the work of this Contract (except such third parties which may be used by the Contractor in

the normal course of business, such as couriers, imaging services, etc.) without obtaining the prior written approval of the Agency or Agencies.

**4. NON-ASSIGNABILITY.** This Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or disposed of without the previous consent in writing of the Agency or Agencies and any attempts to assign the Contract without the Agency or Agencies' written consent are null and void. However, this Contract shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the Agency or Agencies and its successors and assigns.

**5. INDEMNITY.** The Contractor shall indemnify and hold the Agency or Agencies and their employees, officers, Members and Directors (collectively, the "Indemnities") harmless from and against all claims, demands, liability, loss, cost, damage or expense, including attorney's fees, which may be incurred by the Indemnities because of negligence or malfeasance on the part of the Contractor arising out of this Contract.

**6. NON-DISCRIMINATION.** To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. If this a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 thereof, Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason or race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. Contractor is subject to fines of \$50 per person per day for any violation of Section 239 as well as possible termination of this Contract and forfeiture of all moneys due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

If directed to do so by the State Commissioner of Human Rights ("Commissioner"), the Contractor will send to each labor union to which the Contractor is bound a notice provided by the Commissioner advising of this provision. The Servicer will keep posted in conspicuous places notices of the Commissioner regarding laws against discrimination. The Contractor will state in all advertisements for employees that all qualified applicants will be afforded equal opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status.

If the Contractor has fifteen or more employees, it is an unlawful employment practice for the Contractor to fail or refuse to hire or to discharge any individual, or otherwise to discriminate against any individual with respect to the individual's compensation, terms, conditions, or privileges of employment, or to limit, segregate, or classify employees or applicants for employment in any way which would deprive or tend to deprive any individual of employment opportunities or otherwise adversely affect an individual's status as an employee, because of such individual's race, color, religion, sex, or national origin, or because an individual opposed any practice made unlawful by Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, or because he or she made a charge, testified, assisted, or participated in any manner in an investigation, proceeding, or hearing under that Title; and that it shall be an unlawful employment practice to print or publish or cause to be printed or published any notice or advertisement relating to employment indicating any preference, limitation, specification, or discrimination on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin.

If the Contractor has fifteen or more employees, the Contractor: (1) will make and keep such records relevant to the determinations of whether unlawful employment practices have been or are being

committed; (2) will preserve such records for such periods as the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission ("EEOC") shall prescribe by regulation; (3) will make such reports therefrom as the EEOC shall prescribe by regulation or order; (4) must post and keep posted in conspicuous places upon its premises where notices to employees and applicants for employment are customarily posted a notice prepared or approved by the EEOC setting forth excerpts from, or summaries of, pertinent provisions of Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, and information pertinent to the filing of a complaint.

To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will comply with all non-discriminatory employment practices, will furnish all information deemed necessary by the Commissioner, and will permit the Commissioner access to its records to ascertain compliance. The Contractor will bind all subcontractors hired to perform services in connection with this Contract to the requirements of this section, take such action for enforcement as the Commissioner may direct, and notify the Commissioner if such action results in litigation. This Contract may be terminated by the Agency or Agencies upon the Commissioner's finding of non-compliance with this section, and the Contractor may be declared ineligible for future contracts with an agency of the State or a public authority until the Contractor satisfies the Commissioner of compliance.

**7. EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR MINORITIES AND WOMEN.** In accordance with Section 312 of the Executive Law and 5 NYCRR 143, if this Contract is: (i) a written agreement or purchase order instrument, providing for a total expenditure in excess of \$25,000.00, whereby the Agency or Agencies, is committed to expend or does expend funds in return for labor, services, supplies, equipment, materials or any combination of the foregoing, to be performed for, or rendered or furnished to the Agency or Agencies, then the following shall apply and by signing this agreement the Contractor certifies and affirms that it is Contractor's equal employment opportunity policy that:

(a) the Contractor will not discriminate against employees or applicants for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status, shall make and document its conscientious and active efforts to employ and utilize minority group members and women in its work force on Agency or Agencies' contracts and will undertake or continue existing programs of affirmative action to ensure that minority group members and women are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination. Affirmative action shall mean recruitment, employment, job assignment, promotion, upgradings, demotion, transfer, layoff, or termination and rates of pay or other forms of compensation;

(b) at the request of the Agency or Agencies, the Contractor shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, to furnish a written statement that such employment agency, labor union or representative will not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative will affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of the Contractor's obligations herein; and

(c) the Contractor shall state, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees, that, in the performance of this Contract, all qualified applicants will be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status.

Contractor will include the provisions of 'a', 'b', and 'c' above, in every subcontract. Section 312 does not apply to: (i) work, goods or services unrelated to this Contract; or (ii) employment outside New York State. The Agency or Agencies shall consider compliance by a Contractor or subcontractor with the

requirements of any federal law concerning equal employment opportunity which effectuates the purpose of this section. The Agency or Agencies shall determine whether the imposition of the requirements of the provisions hereof duplicate or conflict with any such federal law and if such duplication or conflict exists, the Agency or Agencies shall waive the applicability of Section 312 to the extent of such duplication or conflict. Contractor will comply with all duly promulgated and lawful rules and regulations of the Department of Economic Development's Division of Minority and Women's Business Development pertaining hereto.

(d) If the procurement of the goods or services provided herein is subject to minority and women-owned participation requirements pursuant to Article 15-A of the Executive Law, the Contractor shall be liable to the Agency or Agencies for liquidated or other appropriate damages and shall provide for other appropriate remedies on account of such breach in the event it is found that the Contractor willfully and intentionally failed to comply with the minority and women-owned participation requirements set-forth in Article 15-A of the Executive Law.

**8. PROPRIETARY INFORMATION.** All memoranda, analyses, spreadsheets and other pertinent documents or writings, including reports and financial statements developed or prepared by, or for, the Contractor in connection with the performance of this Contract are "Proprietary Information" and shall be, and remain, the property of the Agency or Agencies. All original documents constituting Proprietary Information shall be delivered to the Agency or Agencies by the Contractor, or any subcontractor, or any other person possessing them, upon the termination of this Contract or upon the earlier request of the Agency or Agencies, except that the Contractor may retain copies for its files. Proprietary Information may not be utilized, disclosed or otherwise made available to other persons by the Contractor without the prior written approval of the Agencies' Senior Vice President and Counsel. The provisions of this section shall be in addition to, and not in derogation of, any duty imposed upon the Contractor by any law, regulation or rule governing professional conduct respecting confidentiality.

**9. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION AND PRIVACY NOTIFICATION.** (a) FEDERAL EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER and/or FEDERAL SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER. All invoices submitted for payment for the sale of goods or services or the lease of real or personal property to the Agency or Agencies must include the payee's identification number, i.e., the seller's or lessor's identification number. The number is either the payee's Federal employer identification number or Federal social security number, or both such numbers when the payee has both such numbers. Failure to include this number or numbers may delay payment. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payee, on its invoice, must give the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.

(b) PRIVACY NOTIFICATION. (1) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the Agency or Agencies is mandatory. The principal purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their tax liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (2) The personal information is requested by Agency or Agencies to purchase the goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this Contract or lease. The information is maintained by Disbursement Manager at the Agency or Agencies, 641 Lexington Avenue, New York, New York 10022, under the name "Vendor Federal Social Security and Federal Employee Identification Numbers."



**10. CONTRACTUAL RELATIONSHIP.** It is expressly understood that the relationship between the Agency or Agencies and the Contractor is an independent contractual relationship and neither the Contractor, its employees, nor its subcontractors shall be considered employees of the Agency or Agencies for any purpose. In addition, the Contractor shall execute the Certificate of Interest attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated herein.

Please refer to the following link on the Agency's web site to view each of the Agency's Prompt Payment Policies at <http://www.nyshcr.org/Agencies/HTFC/Publications/PromptPaymentsReport2012.pdf> or <http://www.nyshcr.org/AboutUs/Procurement/Contractinformation.htm>.

**11. ENTIRE AGREEMENT.** This Contract constitutes the entire agreement between the Contractor and the Agency or Agencies with respect to the subject matter hereof, superseding all negotiations, prior discussions and preliminary agreements. In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Part, the terms of this Part shall control.

**12. MODIFICATION.** Waiver, discharge, amendment, supplement, extension or other modification of this Contract shall be subject to prior approval by the Agency or Agencies and may be effected only by an instrument in writing signed by the parties to this Contract.

**13. SECTION HEADINGS.** The caption of sections in this Contract are inserted solely for convenience of reference and are not intended to define, limit, or describe the scope of this Contract or any provision hereof or to otherwise affect this Contract in any way. The section headings shall not be considered in any way in construing this Contract.

**14. COUNTERPARTS.** This Contract may be executed in any number of counterparts. Each such counterpart shall be deemed to be a duplicate original. All such counterparts shall constitute but one and the same instrument.

**15. GOVERNING LAW.** This Contract has been executed and delivered in, and shall be construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of, the State of New York. In the event of conflict between New York State law and federal laws and regulations, the latter shall prevail.

**16. NOTICES.** All notices and other communications given hereunder shall not be effective for any purpose whatsoever unless in writing and delivered by hand or mailed by United States first class registered or certified mail, return receipt requested. Notice shall be deemed to have been given, if delivered by hand, when actually received by the party being notified, or, if mailed, when addressed (a) if to the Contractor, to the attention of the Contractor's authorized signatory of this Contract at the address specified for the Contractor on page one of this Contract, or at such other address as to which the Contractor shall have notified the Agency or Agencies, and (b) if to the Agency or Agencies, to the attention of the Senior Vice President and Counsel, at the address for the Agency or Agencies on page one this Contract, or at such other address of which the Agency or Agencies shall have notified the Contractor.

**17. SEVERABILITY.** All rights, powers and remedies provided herein may be exercised only to the extent that they do not violate any applicable law, and are intended to be limited to the extent necessary so that they will not render this Contract invalid, unenforceable or not entitled to be recorded, registered, or filed under applicable law. If any provision or term of this Contract or any portion of a provision shall be held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable, only such provision or part thereof shall be affected by such holding and this Contract shall be construed as if such invalid, illegal or unenforceable provision or part thereof had not been contained herein.

**18. WORKERS' COMPENSATION.** This Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

**19. NO ARBITRATION.** Disputes involving this Contract, including the breach or alleged breach thereof, may not be submitted to binding arbitration (except where statutorily authorized), but must, instead, be heard in a court of competent jurisdiction of the State of New York.

**20. SERVICE OF PROCESS.** In addition to the methods of service allowed by the State Civil Practice Law & Rules ("CPLR"), the Contractor hereby consents to service of process upon it by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested. Service of process hereunder shall be complete upon the Contractor's actual receipt of process or upon the Agency's or Agencies' receipt of the return thereof by the United States Postal Service as refused or undeliverable. The Contractor must promptly notify the Agency or Agencies, in writing, of each and every change of address to which service of process can be made. Service of process by the Agency or Agencies to the last known address shall be sufficient. The Contractor will have thirty (30) calendar days after service hereunder is complete in which to respond.

**21. NON-COLLUSIVE BIDDING CERTIFICATION.** If this Contract was awarded based upon the submission of a bid or proposal, the Contractor affirms, under penalty of perjury, that the prices in its bid or proposal were arrived at independently, without collusion, consultation, communication, or agreement, for the purpose of restricting competition, or as to any matter relating to such prices with any other Contractor or with any competitor. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid or proposal, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered a non-collusive bidding certification to the Agency or Agencies on the Contractor's behalf.

**22. LOBBYING REFORM LAW DISCLOSURE.** If the procurement of the goods or services provided herein were applicable to Lobbying Reform Law Disclosure as pursuant to State Finance Law §§139-j and 139-k, the Agency or Agencies reserves the right to terminate this Contract in the event it is found that the certification filed by the Offerer/Bidder in accordance with New York State Finance Law §139-k was intentionally false or intentionally incomplete. Upon such finding, the Agency or Agencies may exercise their termination right by providing written notification to the Contractor.

**23. MACBRIDE FAIR EMPLOYMENT PRINCIPLES.** In accordance with the MacBride Fair Employment Principles (Chapter 807 of the Laws of 1992), the Contractor hereby stipulates that the Contractor either (a) has no business operations in Northern Ireland, or (b) shall take lawful steps in good faith to conduct any business operations in Northern Ireland in accordance with the MacBride Fair Employment Principles (as described in Section 165 of the New York State Finance Law), and shall permit independent monitoring of compliance with such principles.

**24. OMNIBUS PROCUREMENT ACT OF 1992.** It is the policy of New York State to maximize opportunities for the participation of New York State business enterprises, including minority and women-owned business enterprises as bidders, subcontractors and suppliers on its procurement contracts.

Information on the availability of New York State subcontractors and suppliers is available from:

NYS Department of Economic Development  
Division for Small Business  
Albany, New York 12245  
Telephone: 518-292-5100      Fax: 518-292-5884  
Email: [opa@esd.ny.gov](mailto:opa@esd.ny.gov)

A directory of certified minority and women-owned business enterprises is available from:

NYS Department of Economic Development  
Division of Minority and Women's Business Development  
633 Third Avenue  
New York, New York 10017  
Telephone: 212-803-2424  
Email: [mwbecertification@esd.ny.gov](mailto:mwbecertification@esd.ny.gov) <http://esd.ny.gov/MWBE/directorySearch.html>

The Omnibus Procurement Act of 1992 requires that by signing this bid proposal or Contract, as applicable, Contractors certify that whenever the total bid amount is greater than \$1 million:

(a) The Contractor has made reasonable efforts to encourage the participation of New York State Business Enterprises as suppliers and subcontractors, including certified minority and women-owned business enterprises, on this project, and has retained the documentation of these efforts to be provided upon request to the State;

(b) The Contractor has complied with the Federal Equal Opportunity Act of 1972 (P.L. 92-261), as amended;

(c) The Contractor agrees to make reasonable efforts to provide notification to New York State residents of employment opportunities on this project through listing any such positions with the Job Service Division of the New York State Department of Labor, or providing such notification in such manner as is consistent with existing collective bargaining contracts or agreements. The Contractor agrees to document these efforts and to provide said documentation to the State upon request; and

(d) The Contractor acknowledges notice that the State may seek to obtain offset credits from foreign countries as a result of this Contract and agrees to cooperate with the State in these efforts.

**25. GENERAL RESPONSIBILITY LANGUAGE.** The Contractor shall at all times during Contract term remain responsible. The Contractor agrees, if requested by the Agencies, to present evidence of its continuing legal authority to do business in New York State, integrity, experience, ability, prior performance, and organizational and financial capacity.

For purposes of this Agreement, Contractor responsibility generally means that the Contractor has the integrity to justify the award of public dollars and the capacity to perform the requirements of this Contract fully. In connection herewith, to the extent that the Agencies may make certain determinations with respect to Contractor responsibility, wherein the Agencies determine whether it has reasonable assurances that a Contractor is responsible, is an important part of the procurement process, promoting fairness in contracting, mitigating contract issues, and protecting the Contractor and the Agencies against failed contracts. In making such a responsibility determination, the Agencies shall evaluate the Contractor's responsibility with respect to four factors: (a) financial and organizational capacity; (ii) legal authority to do business in New York State; (c) integrity; and (iv) previous performance.

**26. SUSPENSION OF WORK (for Non-Responsibility).** The Agencies reserve the right to suspend any or all activities under this Contract, at any time, when the Agency 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 Agencies issue a written notice authorizing a resumption of performance under the Contract.

**27. TERMINATION (for Non-Responsibility).** Upon written notice to the Contractor, and a reasonable opportunity to be heard with appropriate Agency staff, the Contract may be terminated by the Agencies at the Contractor's expense where the Contractor is determined by the Agencies to be non-responsible. In such event, the Agencies may complete the contractual requirements in any manner they deem advisable and pursue available legal or equitable remedies for breach.

## **PART 6**

### **REQUIRED DIVERSITY FORMS AND CONSTRUCTION REQUIREMENTS**

The following forms shall be completed and submitted by Contractor as required by the instructions set forth on the forms. Of note:

- (1) As part of the bidding process, Subrecipient shall collect the following forms from all bidders:
  - a. Form PROC-1 (EEO Staffing Plan);
  - b. Form PROC-2 (M/WBE Utilization Plan); and
  - c. Form PROC-3 (Request for Waiver Form) – if a waiver is sought.

Subrecipient shall appropriately consider in its award decision the information provided in the above referenced forms as indicia of the bidders' ability to comply with related terms of the prospective contract.

- (2) Upon execution of a contract, Contractor shall execute the following forms:
  - a. Form PROC-4 (M/WBE and EEO Policy Statement); and
  - b. Form PROC-8 (EEOC Statement).
- (3) Following execution of a contract, the following form is required to be completed weekly and retained:
  - a. Form WH-374 (Federal Payroll Form) – As of September 11, 2014, this form is available at <http://www.dol.gov/whd/forms/wh347.pdf>.
- (4) Following execution of a contract, the following forms have quarterly submission requirements, as set forth in their instructions (except as indicated below):
  - a. Form PROC-5 (Workforce Employment Utilization);
  - b. Form PROC-6 (MWBE Quarterly Report);
  - c. Form ADM-123 (Cumulative Payment Statement);
  - d. Form ADM-146 (Affirmation of Income Payments to MBE/WBE); and
  - e. Form HUD 60002 (Section 3 Summary Report) – which shall be completed quarterly notwithstanding the annual reporting requirement set forth in its instructions.
- (5) Following execution of a contract, the following form has monthly submission requirements, as set forth in its instructions:
  - a. Form ADM-136 (Monthly Employment Utilization Form).

(6) Following execution of a contract, the following form has annual submission requirements, as set forth in its instructions:

a. Form HUD 2516 (Contract and Subcontract Activity).

(7) There is no Form PROC-7.

## **PART 6A. HUD Diversity Forms**

OMB Approval No.: 2535-0117 (exp. 1/31/2013)

**Privacy Act Notice** - The United States Department of Housing and Urban Development, Federal Housing Administration, is authorized to solicit the information requested in this form by virtue of Title 12, United States Code, Section 1701 et seq., and regulations promulgated thereunder at Title 12, Code of Federal Regulations. It will not be disclosed or released outside the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development without your consent, except as required or permitted by law.

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| <p>This report is to be completed by grantees, developers, sponsors, builders, agencies, and/or project owners for reporting contract and subcontract activities of \$10,000 or more under the following programs: Community Development Block Grants (entitlement and small cities); Urban Development Action Grants; Housing Development Grants; Multifamily Insured and Noninsured; Public and Indian Housing Authorities; and contracts entered into by recipients of CDBG rehabilitation assistance.</p> <p>Contracts/subcontracts of less than \$10,000 need be reported only if such contracts represent a significant portion of your total contracting activity. Include only contracts executed during this reporting period.</p> <p>This form has been modified to capture Section 3 contract data in columns 7g and 7i. Section 3 requires that the employment and other economic opportunities generated by HUD financial assistance for housing and community development programs shall, to the greatest extent feasible, be directed toward low- and very low-income persons, particularly those who are recipients of government assistance for housing. Recipients using this form to report Section 3 contract data must also use Part I of form HUD-60002 to report employment and training opportunities data. Form HUD-2516 is to be completed during this reporting period.</p>  | <p>completed for public and Indian housing and most community development programs. Form HUD-60002 is to be completed by all other HUD programs including State administered community development programs covered under Section 3.</p> <p>A Section 3 contractor/subcontractor is a business concern that provides economic opportunities to low- and very low-income residents of the metropolitan area (or nonmetropolitan county), including a business concern that is 51 percent or more owned by low- or very low-income residents; employs a substantial number of low- or very low-income residents; or provides subcontracting or business development opportunities to businesses owned by low- or very low-income residents. Low- and very low-income residents include participants in Youthbuild programs established under Subtitle D of Title IV of the Cranston-Gonzalez National Affordable Housing Act.</p> <p>The terms "low-income persons" and "very low-income persons" have the same meanings given the terms in section 3(b)(2) of the United States Housing Act of 1937. Low-income persons mean families (including single persons) whose incomes do not exceed 80 per centum of the median income for the area, as determined by the Secretary, with adjustments for smaller and larger families, except that the Secretary</p> | <p>may establish income ceilings higher or lower than 80 per centum of the median for the area on the basis of the Secretary's findings that such variations are necessary because of prevailing levels of construction costs or unusually high or low-income families. Very low-income persons means low-income families (including single persons) whose incomes do not exceed 50 per centum of the median family income for the area, as determined by the Secretary with adjustments for smaller and larger families, except that the Secretary may establish income ceilings higher or lower than 50 per centum of the median for the area on the basis of the Secretary's findings that such variations are necessary because of unusually high or low family incomes.</p> <p>Submit two (2) copies of this report to your local HUD Office within ten (10) days after the end of the reporting period you checked in item 4 on the front.</p> <p>Complete item 7h, only once for each contractor/subcontractor on each semi-annual report.</p> <p>Enter the prime contractor's ID in item 7i, for all contracts and subcontracts. Include only contracts executed during this reporting period. PHAs/IHAs are to report all contracts/subcontracts.</p>   |
| <p><b>Community Development Programs</b></p> <p>1. <b>Grantee:</b> Enter the name of the unit of government submitting this report.</p> <p>3. <b>Contact Person:</b> Enter name and phone of person responsible for maintaining and submitting contract/subcontract data.</p> <p>7a. <b>Grant Number:</b> Enter the HUD Community Development Block Grant Identification Number (with dashes). For example: B-32-MC-25-0034. For Entitlement Programs and Small City multi-year comprehensive programs, enter the latest approved grant number.</p> <p>7b. <b>Amount of Contract/Subcontract:</b> Enter the dollar amount rounded to the nearest dollar. If subcontractor ID number is provided in 7i, the dollar figure would be for the subcontract only and not for the prime contract.</p> <p>7c. <b>Type of Trade:</b> Enter the numeric codes which best indicates the contractor's/subcontractor's service. If subcontractor ID number is provided in 7i, the type of trade code would be for the subcontract only and not for the prime contractor. The "other" category includes supply, professional services and all other activities except construction and education/training activities.</p> <p>7d. <b>Business Racial/Ethnic/Gender Code:</b> Enter the numeric code which indicates the racial/ethnic/gender character of the owner(s) and controller(s) of 51% of the business. When 51% or more is not owned and controlled by any single racial/ethnic/gender category, enter the code which seems most appropriate. If the subcontractor ID number is provided, the code would apply to the subcontractor and not to the prime contractor.</p> <p>7e. <b>Woman Owned Business:</b> Enter Yes or No.</p> <p>7f. <b>Contractor Identification (ID) Number:</b> Enter the Employer (IRS) Number of the Prime Contractor as the unique identifier for prime recipient of HUD funds. Note that the Employer (IRS) Number must be provided for each contract/subcontract awarded.</p> <p>7g. <b>Section 3 Contractor:</b> Enter Yes or No.</p> <p>7h. <b>Subcontractor Identification (ID) Number:</b> Enter the Employer (IRS) Number of the subcontractor as the unique identifier for each subcontract awarded from HUD funds. When the subcontractor ID Number is provided, the respective Prime Contractor ID Number must also be provided.</p> <p>7i. <b>Section 3 Contractor:</b> Enter Yes or No.</p> <p>7j. <b>Contractor/Subcontractor Name and Address:</b> Enter this information for each Previous editions are obsolete.</p> | <p>firm receiving contract/subcontract activity only one time on each report for each firm.</p> <p><b>Multifamily Housing Programs</b></p> <p>1. <b>Grantee/Project Owner:</b> Enter the name of the unit of government, agency or mortgage entity submitting this report.</p> <p>3. <b>Contact Person:</b> Same as item 3 under CPD Programs.</p> <p>4. <b>Reporting Period:</b> Check only one period.</p> <p>5. <b>Program Code:</b> Enter the appropriate program code.</p> <p>7a. <b>Grant/Project Number:</b> Enter the HUD Project Number or Housing Development Grant or number assigned.</p> <p>7b. <b>Amount of Contract/Subcontract:</b> Same as item 7b, under CPD Programs.</p> <p>7c. <b>Type of Trade:</b> Same as item 7c, under CPD Programs.</p> <p>7d. <b>Business Racial/Ethnic/Gender Code:</b> Same as item 7d, under CPD Programs.</p> <p>7e. <b>Woman Owned Business:</b> Enter Yes or No.</p> <p>7f. <b>Contractor Identification (ID) Number:</b> Same as item 7i, under CPD Programs.</p> <p>7g. <b>Section 3 Contractor:</b> Enter Yes or No.</p> <p>7h. <b>Subcontractor Identification (ID) Number:</b> Same as item 7h, under CPD Programs.</p> <p>7i. <b>Section 3 Contractor:</b> Enter Yes or No.</p> <p>7j. <b>Contractor/Subcontractor Name and Address:</b> Same as item 7j, under CPD Programs.</p>                    | <p><b>Public Housing and Indian Housing Programs</b></p> <p>PHAs/IHAs are to report all contracts/subcontracts. Include only contracts executed during this reporting period.</p> <p>1. <b>Project Owner:</b> Enter the name of the unit of government, agency or mortgage entity submitting this report. Check box as appropriate.</p> <p>3. <b>Contact Person:</b> Same as item 3 under CPD Programs.</p> <p>4. <b>Reporting Period:</b> Check only one period.</p> <p>5. <b>Program Code:</b> Enter the appropriate program code.</p> <p>7a. <b>Grant/Project Number:</b> Enter the HUD Project Number or Housing Development Grant or number assigned.</p> <p>7b. <b>Amount of Contract/Subcontract:</b> Same as item 7b, under CPD Programs.</p> <p>7c. <b>Type of Trade:</b> Same as item 7c, under CPD Programs.</p> <p>7d. <b>Business Racial/Ethnic/Gender Code:</b> Same as item 7d, under CPD Programs.</p> <p>7e. <b>Woman Owned Business:</b> Enter Yes or No.</p> <p>7f. <b>Contractor Identification (ID) Number:</b> Same as item 7i, under CPD Programs.</p> <p>7g. <b>Section 3 Contractor:</b> Enter Yes or No.</p> <p>7h. <b>Subcontractor Identification (ID) Number:</b> Same as item 7h, under CPD Programs.</p> <p>7i. <b>Section 3 Contractor:</b> Enter Yes or No.</p> <p>7j. <b>Contractor/Subcontractor Name and Address:</b> Same as item 7j, under CPD Programs.</p> |

## Section 3 Summary Report

### Economic Opportunities for Low- and Very Low-Income Persons

**U.S. Department of Housing  
and Urban Development**  
Office of Fair Housing  
and Equal Opportunity

OMB Approval No. 2529-0043  
(exp. 8/31/2007)

HUD Field Office:

See back of page for Public Reporting Burden statement

|   |  |  |   |  |                               |  |
|---|--|--|---|--|-------------------------------|--|
| 1. Recipient Name & Address: (street, city, state, zip) |  |  | 2. Federal Identification: (contract/award no.) |  | 3. Dollar Amount of Award:    |  |
|   |  |  | 4. Contact Person:                              |  | 5. Phone: (include area code) |  |
|   |  |  | 6. Reporting Period:                            |  | 7. Date Report Submitted:     |  |
| 8. Program Code: *                                      |  | (Use a separate sheet for each program code) | 9. Program Name:                                |  |                               |  |

**Part I: Employment and Training** (\*\* Include New Hires in columns E & F.)[illegible]

**\*Program Codes**

1 = Flexible Subsidy  
2 = Section 202/811

3 = Public/Indian Housing  
A = Development,  
B = Operation  
C = Modernization

4 = Homeless Assistance  
5 = HOME  
6 = HOME-State Administered  
7 = CDBG-Entitlement

8 = CDBG-State Administered  
9 = Other CD Programs  
10= Other Housing Programs

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**Part II: Contracts Awarded**

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**1. Construction Contracts:**

|   |    |
|---|----|
| A. Total dollar amount of all contracts awarded on the project                    | \$ |
| B. Total dollar amount of contracts awarded to Section 3 businesses               | \$ |
| C. Percentage of the total dollar amount that was awarded to Section 3 businesses | %  |
| D. Total number of Section 3 businesses receiving contracts                       |    |

**2. Non-Construction Contracts:**

|  |    |
|--|----|
| A. Total dollar amount of all non-construction contracts awarded on the project/activity | \$ |
| B. Total dollar amount of non-construction contracts awarded to Section 3 businesses     | \$ |
| C. Percentage of the total dollar amount that was awarded to Section 3 businesses        | %  |
| D. Total number of Section 3 businesses receiving non-construction contracts             |    |

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**Part III: Summary**

Indicate the efforts made to direct the employment and other economic opportunities generated by HUD financial assistance for housing and community development programs, to the greatest extent feasible, toward low- and very low-income persons, particularly those who are recipients of government assistance for housing. (Check all that apply.)

- ☐ Attempted to recruit low-income residents through: local advertising media, signs prominently displayed at the project site, contacts with community organizations and public or private agencies operating within the metropolitan area (or nonmetropolitan county) in which the Section 3 covered program or project is located, or similar methods.
- ☐ Participated in a HUD program or other program which promotes the training or employment of Section 3 residents.
- ☐ Participated in a HUD program or other program, which promotes the award of contracts to business concerns which meet the definition of Section 3 business concerns.
- ☐ Coordinated with Youthbuild Programs administered in the metropolitan area in which the Section 3 covered project is located.
- ☐ Other; describe below

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Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 2 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. This agency may not collect this information, and you are not required to complete this form, unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, as amended, 12 U.S.C. 1701u., mandates that the Department ensure that employment and other economic opportunities generated by its housing and community development assistance programs are directed toward low- and very low-income persons, particularly those who are recipients of government assistance for housing. The regulations are found at 24 CFR Part 135. The information will be used by the Department to monitor program recipients' compliance with Section 3, to assess the results of the Department's efforts to meet the statutory objectives of Section 3, to prepare reports to Congress, and by recipients as a self-monitoring tool. The data is entered into a data base and will be analyzed and distributed. The collection of information involves recipients receiving Federal financial assistance for housing and community development programs covered by Section 3. The information will be collected annually to assist HUD in meeting its reporting requirements under Section 808(e)(6) of the Fair Housing Act and Section 916 of the HCDA of 1992. An assurance of confidentiality is not applicable to this form. The Privacy Act of 1974 and OMB Circular A-108 are not applicable. The reporting requirements do not contain sensitive questions. Data is cumulative; personal identifying information is not included.

Form HUD-60002, **Section 3 Summary Report, Economic Opportunities for Low- and Very Low-Income Persons.**

**Instructions:** This form is to be used to report annual accomplishments regarding employment and other economic opportunities provided to low- and very low-income persons under Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968. The Section 3 regulations apply to any **public and Indian Housing programs** that receive: (1) development assistance pursuant to Section 5 of the U.S. Housing Act of 1937; (2) operating assistance pursuant to Section 9 of the U.S. Housing Act of 1937; or (3) modernization grants pursuant to Section 14 of the U.S. Housing Act of 1937 and to **recipients of housing and community development assistance in excess of \$200,000** expended for: (1) housing rehabilitation (including reduction and abatement of lead-based paint hazards); (2) housing construction; or (3) other public construction projects; and to **contracts and subcontracts in excess of \$100,000** awarded in connection with the Section-3-covered activity.

Form HUD-60002 has three parts which are to be completed for all programs covered by Section 3. Part I relates to **employment and training**. The recipient has the option to determine numerical employment/training goals either on the basis of the number of hours worked by new hires (columns B, D, E and F) or the number of new hires utilized on the Section 3 covered project (columns B, C and F). Part II of the form relates to **contracting**, and Part III summarizes recipients' **efforts** to comply with Section 3.

Recipients or contractors subject to Section 3 requirements must maintain appropriate documentation to establish that HUD financial assistance for housing and community development programs were directed toward low- and very low-income persons.\* A recipient of Section 3 covered assistance shall submit two copies of this report to the local HUD Field Office. Where the program providing assistance requires an annual performance report, this Section 3 report is to be submitted at the same time the program performance report is submitted. Where an annual performance report is not required, this Section 3 report is to be submitted by January 10 and, if the project ends before December 31, within 10 days of project completion. **Only Prime Recipients are required to report to HUD. The report must include accomplishments of all recipients and their Section 3 covered contractors and subcontractors.**

HUD Field Office: Enter the Field Office name forwarding the Section 3 report.

1. Recipient: Enter the name and address of the recipient submitting this report.
2. Federal Identification: Enter the number that appears on the award form (with dashes). The award may be a grant, cooperative agreement or contract.
3. Dollar Amount of Award: Enter the dollar amount, rounded to the nearest dollar, received by the recipient.
- 4 & 5. Contact Person/Phone: Enter the name and telephone number of the person with knowledge of the award and the recipient's implementation of Section 3.
6. Reporting Period: Indicate the time period (months and year) this report covers.
7. Date Report Submitted: Enter the appropriate date.

Submit two (2) copies of this report to the HUD Field Office of Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity, Program Operations and Compliance Center Director, at the same time the performance report is submitted to the program office. For those programs where such a report is not required, the Section 3 report is submitted by January 10. Include only contracts executed during the reporting period specified in item 8. PHAs/HAs are to report all contracts/subcontracts.

\* The terms "low-income persons" and "very low-income persons" have the same meanings given the terms in section 3(b)(2) of the United States Housing Act of 1937. **Low-income persons** mean families (including single persons) whose incomes do not exceed 80 per centum of the median income for the area, as determined by the Secretary, with adjustments for

8. Program Code: Enter the appropriate program code as listed at the bottom of the page.

9. Program Name: Enter the name of the HUD Program corresponding with the "Program Code" in number 8.

**Part I: Employment and Training Opportunities**

**Column A:** Contains various job categories. Professionals are defined as people who have special knowledge of an occupation (i.e., supervisors, architects, surveyors, planners, and computer programmers). For construction positions, list each trade and provide data in columns B through F for each trade where persons were employed. The category of "Other" includes occupations such as service workers.

**Column B:** Enter the number of new hires for each category of workers identified in **Column A** in connection with this award. New Hire refers to a person who is not on the contractor's or recipient's payroll for employment at the time of selection for the Section 3 covered award or at the time of receipt of Section 3 covered assistance.

**Column C:** Enter the number of Section 3 new hires for each category of workers identified in **Column A** in connection with this award. Section 3 new hire refers to a Section 3 resident who is not on the contractor's or recipient's payroll for employment at the time of selection for the Section 3 covered award or at the time of receipt of Section 3 covered assistance.

**Column D:** Enter the percentage of all the staff hours of new hires (Section 3 residents) in connection with this award.

**Column E:** Enter the percentage of the total staff hours worked for Section 3 employees and trainees (including new hires) connected with this award. Include staff hours for part-time and full-time positions.

**Column F:** Enter the number of Section 3 residents that were employed and trained in connection with this award.

**Part II: Contract Opportunities**

**Block 1: Construction Contracts**

Item A: Enter the total dollar amount of all contacts awarded on the project/program.

Item B: Enter the total dollar amount of contracts connected with this project/program that were awarded to Section 3 businesses.

Item C: Enter the percentage of the total dollar amount of contracts connected with this project/program awarded to Section 3 businesses.

Item D: Enter the number of Section 3 businesses receiving awards.

**Block 2: Non-Construction Contracts**

Item A: Enter the total dollar amount of all contacts awarded on the project/program.

Item B: Enter the total dollar amount of contracts connected with this project awarded to Section 3 businesses.

Item C: Enter the percentage of the total dollar amount of contracts connected with this project/program awarded to Section 3 businesses.

Item D: Enter the number of Section 3 businesses receiving awards.

**Part III: Summary of Efforts - Self-explanatory**

smaller and larger families, except that the Secretary may establish income ceilings higher or lower than 80 per centum of the median for the area on the basis of the Secretary's findings such that variations are necessary because of prevailing levels of construction costs or unusually high- or low-income families. **Very low-income persons** mean low-income families (including single persons) whose incomes do not exceed 50 per centum of the median family income for the area, as determined by the Secretary with adjustments for smaller and larger families, except that the Secretary may establish income ceilings higher or lower than 50 per centum of the median for the area on the basis of the Secretary's findings that such variations are necessary because of unusually high or low family incomes.

## **PART 6B. HTFC Diversity Forms**

# EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY STAFFING PLAN

Submit with Bid or Proposal – Instructions on page 2

|                                   |  |   |
|-----------------------------------|--|---|
| <b>Solicitation/Program Name:</b> |  | <b>Report includes:</b><br><input type="checkbox"/> Workforce to be utilized on this contract<br><input type="checkbox"/> Contractor/Subcontractor's total work force |
| <b>Offeror's Name:</b>            | <b>Reporting Entity:</b><br><input type="checkbox"/> Contractor<br><input type="checkbox"/> Subcontractor<br><b>Subcontractor's name</b> _____ |   |
| <b>Offeror's Address:</b>         |  |   |

| Enter the total number of employees for each classification in each of the EEO-Job Categories identified |                     |                  |   |               |                  |               |                         |                  |                 |
|--|---------------------|------------------|---|---------------|------------------|---------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| EEO-Job Category   | Workforce by Gender |                  | Workforce by Race/Ethnic Identification |               |                  |               |                         | Disabled (M) (F) |                 |
|  | Total Male (M)      | Total Female (F) | White (M) (F)                           | Black (M) (F) | Hispanic (M) (F) | Asian (M) (F) | Native American (M) (F) | Disabled (M)     | Veteran (M) (F) |
| Officials/Administrators   |                     |                  |   |               |                  |               |                         |                  |                 |
| Professionals  |                     |                  |   |               |                  |               |                         |                  |                 |
| Technicians  |                     |                  |   |               |                  |               |                         |                  |                 |
| Service Maintenance Workers  |                     |                  |   |               |                  |               |                         |                  |                 |
| Office/Clerical  |                     |                  |   |               |                  |               |                         |                  |                 |
| Skilled Craft Workers  |                     |                  |   |               |                  |               |                         |                  |                 |
| Paraprofessionals  |                     |                  |   |               |                  |               |                         |                  |                 |
| Protective Service Workers   |                     |                  |   |               |                  |               |                         |                  |                 |
| Totals   |                     |                  |   |               |                  |               |                         |                  |                 |

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|--|-----------------------|--------------|
| <b>PREPARED BY (Signature):</b>                    | <b>TELEPHONE NO.:</b> | <b>DATE:</b> |
| <b>NAME AND TITLE OF PREPARER (Print or Type):</b> | <b>EMAIL ADDRESS:</b> |              |
| <b>SUBMIT COMPLETED WITH BID OR PROPOSAL</b>       |                       |              |

**General instructions:** All Offerors and each subcontractor identified in the bid or proposal must complete an EEO Staffing Plan and submit it as part of the bid or proposal package. Where the work force to be utilized in the performance of the State contract can be separated out from the contractor's or subcontractor's total work force, the Offeror shall complete this form only for the anticipated work force to be utilized on the State contract. Where the work force to be utilized in the performance of the State contract cannot be separated out from the contractor's or subcontractor's total work force, the Offeror shall complete this form for the contractor's or subcontractor's total work force.

**Instructions for completing:**

1. Enter the Solicitation number or RFP number that this report applies to along with the name and address of the Offeror.
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4. Enter the total work force by EEO job category.
5. Break down the total work force by gender and enter under the heading 'Workforce by Gender'
6. Break down the total work force by race/ethnic background and enter under the heading 'Work force by Race/Ethnic Identification'. Contact the Designated Contact(s) for the solicitation if you have any questions.
7. Enter information on disabled or veterans included in the work force under the appropriate headings.
8. Enter the name, title, phone number and email address for the person completing the form. Sign and date the form in the designated boxes.

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  - has a record of such an impairment; or
  - is regarded as having such an impairment.
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- **GENDER** Male (M) or Female (F)

## M/WBE UTILIZATION PLAN

**INSTRUCTIONS:** This form must be submitted with any bid, proposal, or proposed negotiated contract or within a reasonable time thereafter, but prior to contract award. This Utilization Plan must contain a detailed description of the supplies and/or services to be provided by each certified Minority and Women-owned Business Enterprise (M/WBE) under the contract. Attach additional sheets if necessary.

**Offeror's Name:**

**Address:**

**City, State, Zip Code:**

**Region/Location of Work:**

**Federal Identification Number:**

**Solicitation Number:**

**Telephone Number:**

**M/WBE Goals in the Contract:** MBE      %      WBE      %

| 1. Certified M/WBE Subcontractors/Suppliers<br>Name, Address, Email Address, Telephone No. | 2. Classification   | 3. Federal ID No. | 4. Detailed Description of Work<br>(Attach additional sheets, if necessary) | 5. Dollar Value of Subcontracts /<br>Supplies/Services and intended<br>performance dates of each<br>component of the contract. |
|--|---|-------------------|---|--|
| A.   | NYS ESD CERTIFIED<br><input type="checkbox"/> MBE<br><input type="checkbox"/> WBE |                   |   |  |
| B.   | NYS ESD CERTIFIED<br><input type="checkbox"/> MBE<br><input type="checkbox"/> WBE |                   |   |  |

**6. IF UNABLE TO FULLY MEET THE MBE AND WBE GOALS SET FORTH IN THE CONTRACT, OFFEROR MUST SUBMIT A REQUEST FOR WAIVER FORM (PROC-5).**

**PREPARED and APPROVED BY:** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**NAME AND TITLE OF PREPARER (Print or Type):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Signature

**DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**TELEPHONE NO:** \_\_\_\_\_

**EMAIL ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**UTILIZATION PLAN APPROVED:** ☐ YES ☐ NO **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Contract No:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Contract Award Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Estimated Date of Completion:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Amount Obligated Under the Contract:** \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTICE OF DEFICIENCY ISSUED:** ☐ YES ☐ NO **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE ISSUED:** ☐ YES ☐ NO **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

SUBMISSION OF THIS FORM CONSTITUTES THE OFFEROR'S ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND AGREEMENT TO COMPLY WITH THE M/WBE REQUIREMENTS SET FORTH UNDER NYS EXECUTIVE LAW, ARTICLE 15-A, 5 NYCRR PART 143, AND THE ABOVE REFERENCED SOLICITATION. FAILURE TO SUBMIT COMPLETE AND ACCURATE INFORMATION MAY RESULT IN A FINDING OF NONCOMPLIANCE AND POSSIBLE TERMINATION OF YOUR CONTRACT.



# REQUEST FOR WAIVER FORM

|  |  |   |                |
|--|--|---|----------------|
| <b>INSTRUCTIONS: SEE PAGE 2 OF THIS ATTACHMENT FOR REQUIREMENTS AND DOCUMENT SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS.</b>  |  |   |                |
| Offeror/Contractor Name:   |  | Federal Identification No.:   |                |
| Address:   |  | Solicitation/Contract No.:  |                |
| City, State, Zip Code:   |  | M/WBE Goals: MBE      %      WBE      %   |                |
| By submitting this form and the required information, the offeror/contractor certifies that every Good Faith Effort has been taken to promote M/WBE participation pursuant to the M/WBE requirements set forth under the contract.   |  |   |                |
| Contractor is requesting a:  |  |   |                |
| 1. <input type="checkbox"/> MBE Waiver – A waiver of the MBE Goal for this procurement is requested. <input type="checkbox"/> Total <input type="checkbox"/> Partial<br>2. <input type="checkbox"/> WBE Waiver – A waiver of the WBE Goal for this procurement is requested. <input type="checkbox"/> Total <input type="checkbox"/> Partial<br>3. <input type="checkbox"/> Waiver Pending ESD Certification – (Check here if subcontractors or suppliers of Contractor are not certified M/WBE, but an application for certification has been filed with Empire State Development.)    Date of such filing with Empire State Development: _____ |  |   |                |
| PREPARED BY (Signature):   |  | Date:   |                |
| SUBMISSION OF THIS FORM CONSTITUTES THE OFFEROR/CONTRACTOR'S ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND AGREEMENT TO COMPLY WITH THE M/WBE REQUIREMENTS SET FORTH UNDER NYS EXECUTIVE LAW, ARTICLE 16-A AND 5 NYCRR PART 143. FAILURE TO SUBMIT COMPLETE AND ACCURATE INFORMATION MAY RESULT IN A FINDING OF NONCOMPLIANCE AND/OR TERMINATION OF THE CONTRACT.  |  |   |                |
| Name and Title of Preparer (Printed or Typed):   |  | Telephone Number:   | Email Address: |
| Submit with the bid or proposal or if submitting after award, submit to the MWBE Program Unit:   |  | ***** FOR AGENCY USE ONLY *****   |                |
| New York State Governor's Office of Storm Recovery<br>25 Beaver Street, 5 <sup>th</sup> Floor<br>New York, NY 10004  |  | REVIEWED BY:      DATE:   |                |
| Email to: MWBE_EEOCreports@stormrecovery.ny.gov  |  | Waiver Granted: <input type="checkbox"/> YES    MBE: <input type="checkbox"/> WBE: <input type="checkbox"/><br><input type="checkbox"/> Total Waiver <input type="checkbox"/> Partial Waiver<br><input type="checkbox"/> ESD Certification Waiver <input type="checkbox"/> *Conditional<br><input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Deficiency Issued<br>*Comments: _____ |                |

## REQUIREMENTS AND DOCUMENT SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS

**When completing the Request for Waiver Form please check all boxes that apply. To be considered, the Request for Waiver Form must be accompanied by documentation for items 1 – 11, as listed below. If box # 3 has been checked above, please see item 11. Copies of the following information and all relevant supporting documentation must be submitted along with the request:**

1. A statement setting forth your basis for requesting a partial or total waiver.
2. The names of general circulation, trade association, and M/WBE-oriented publications in which you solicited certified M/WBEs for the purposes of complying with your participation goals.
3. A list identifying the date(s) that all solicitations for certified M/WBE participation were published in any of the above publications.
4. A list of all certified M/WBEs appearing in the NYS Directory of Certified Firms that were solicited for purposes of complying with your certified M/WBE participation levels.
5. Copies of notices, dates of contact, letters, and other correspondence as proof that solicitations were made in writing and copies of such solicitations, or a sample copy of the solicitation if an identical solicitation was made to all certified M/WBEs.
6. Provide copies of responses made by certified M/WBEs to your solicitations.
7. Provide a description of any contract documents, plans, or specifications made available to certified M/WBEs for purposes of soliciting their bids and the date and manner in which these documents were made available.
8. Provide documentation of any negotiations between you, the Offeror/Contractor, and the M/WBEs undertaken for purposes of complying with the certified M/WBE participation goals.
9. Provide any other information you deem relevant which may help us in evaluating your request for a waiver.
10. Provide the name, title, address, telephone number, and email address of offeror/contractor's representative authorized to discuss and negotiate this waiver request.
11. Copy of notice of application receipt issued by Empire State Development (ESD).

**Note:**

**Unless a Total Waiver has been granted, Offeror/Contractor will be required to submit all reports and documents pursuant to the provisions set forth in the Contract, as deemed appropriate by the contracting entity, to determine M/WBE compliance.**

**MINORITY AND WOMEN-OWNED BUSINESS ENTERPRISES – EQUAL  
EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY POLICY STATEMENT**

**M/WBE AND EEO POLICY STATEMENT**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, the (awardee/contractor) \_\_\_\_\_ agree to adopt the following policies with respect to the project being developed or services rendered for (name agency/ies or project location) \_\_\_\_\_

This organization will and will cause its contractors and subcontractors to take good faith actions to achieve the M/WBE contract participations goals set by the State for that area in which the State-funded project is located, by taking the following steps:

- (1) Actively and affirmatively solicit bids for contracts and subcontracts from qualified State certified MBEs or WBEs, including solicitations to M/WBE contractor associations.
- (2) Request a list of State-certified M/WBEs from Agency(ies) and solicit bids from them directly.
- (3) Ensure that plans, specifications, request for proposals and other documents used to secure bids will be made available in sufficient time for review by prospective M/WBEs.
- (4) Where feasible, divide the work into smaller portions to enhanced participations by M/WBEs and encourage the formation of joint venture and other partnerships among M/WBE contractors to enhance their participation.
- (5) Document and maintain records of bid solicitation, including those to M/WBEs and the results thereof. Contractor will also maintain records of actions that its subcontractors have taken toward meeting M/WBE contract participation goals.
- (6) Ensure that progress payments to M/WBEs are made on a timely basis so that undue financial hardship is avoided, and that bonding and other credit requirements are waived or appropriate alternatives developed to encourage M/WBE participation.

(a) This organization will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status, will undertake or continue existing programs of affirmative action to ensure that minority group members are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination, and shall make and document its conscientious and active efforts to employ and utilize minority group members and women in its work force on State contracts.

(b) This organization shall state in all solicitation or advertisements for employees that in the performance of the State contract all qualified applicants will be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex disability or marital status.

(c) At the request of the contracting agency, this organization shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative for a statement that it will not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative will affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of this organization's obligations herein.

(d) Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the Human Rights Law, all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions. Contractor and subcontractors shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed (religion), color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, military status, age, disability, predisposing genetic characteristic, marital status or domestic violence victim status, and shall also follow the requirements of the Human Rights Law with regard to non-discrimination on the basis of prior criminal conviction and prior arrest.

(e) This organization will include the provisions of sections (a) through (d) of this agreement in every subcontract in such a manner that the requirements of the subdivisions will be binding upon each subcontractor as to work in connection with the State contract.

Agreed to this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2\_\_\_\_\_

By \_\_\_\_\_

Print: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ is designated as the Minority Business Enterprise Liaison

He/she is responsible for administering the Minority and Women-Owned Business Enterprises-Equal Employment Opportunity (M/WBE-EEO) program.

**M/WBE Contract Goals**

20% Minority and Women's Business Enterprise Participation

10% Minority Business Enterprise Participation

10% Women's Business Enterprise Participation

**EEO Contract Goals**

\_\_\_\_% Minority Labor Force Participation

\_\_\_\_% Female Labor Force Participation

## WORKFORCE EMPLOYMENT UTILIZATION

|   |   |
|---|---|
| <b>Contract No.:</b><br><input type="checkbox"/> Contractor<br><input type="checkbox"/> Subcontractor | <b>Reporting Period:</b><br><input type="checkbox"/> January 1, 20__ - March 31, 20__<br><input type="checkbox"/> April 1, 20__ - June 30, 20__<br><input type="checkbox"/> July 1, 20__ - September 30, 20__<br><input type="checkbox"/> October 1, 20__ - December 31, 20__ |
| <b>Contractor's Name:</b>   | <b>Report includes:</b><br><input type="checkbox"/> Work force to be utilized on this contract<br><input type="checkbox"/> Contractor/Subcontractor's total work force  |
| <b>Contractor's Address:</b>  |   |

Enter the total number of employees in each classification in each of the EEO-Job Categories identified.

| List the total number of employees in each subcategory in each of the EEO-998 categories identified. |                  |                      |            |  |           |           |           |              |              |           |           |                     |                     |              |              |             |             |
|--|------------------|----------------------|------------|--|-----------|-----------|-----------|--------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|---------------------|---------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|
| EEO-Job Category   | Total Work force | Work force by Gender |            | Work force by Race/Ethnic Identification |           |           |           |              |              |           |           | Disabled            |                     | Veteran      |              |             |             |
|  |                  | Male (M)             | Female (F) | White (M)                                | White (F) | Black (M) | Black (F) | Hispanic (M) | Hispanic (F) | Asian (M) | Asian (F) | Native American (M) | Native American (F) | Disabled (M) | Disabled (F) | Veteran (M) | Veteran (F) |
| Officials/Administrators   |                  |                      |            |  |           |           |           |              |              |           |           |                     |                     |              |              |             |             |
| Professionals  |                  |                      |            |  |           |           |           |              |              |           |           |                     |                     |              |              |             |             |
| Technicians  |                  |                      |            |  |           |           |           |              |              |           |           |                     |                     |              |              |             |             |
| Sales Workers  |                  |                      |            |  |           |           |           |              |              |           |           |                     |                     |              |              |             |             |
| Office/Clerical  |                  |                      |            |  |           |           |           |              |              |           |           |                     |                     |              |              |             |             |
| Craft Workers  |                  |                      |            |  |           |           |           |              |              |           |           |                     |                     |              |              |             |             |
| Laborers   |                  |                      |            |  |           |           |           |              |              |           |           |                     |                     |              |              |             |             |
| Service Workers  |                  |                      |            |  |           |           |           |              |              |           |           |                     |                     |              |              |             |             |
| Temporary /Apprentices   |                  |                      |            |  |           |           |           |              |              |           |           |                     |                     |              |              |             |             |
| Totals   |                  |                      |            |  |           |           |           |              |              |           |           |                     |                     |              |              |             |             |

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| <b>PREPARED BY (Signature):</b>  | <b>TELEPHONE NO.:</b><br><b>EMAIL ADDRESS:</b> |
| <b>DATE:</b>   |  |
| <b>NAME AND TITLE OF PREPARER (Print or Type):</b><br>Submit completed form to:<br>NYS Governor's Office of Storm Recovery,<br>25 Beaver Street, 5 <sup>th</sup> Floor, New York, NY 10004, or<br>MWBE_EEOReports@stormrecovery.ny.gov |  |

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3. Check off the box that corresponds to the reporting period for this report.
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Failure to submit this form will result in non-compliance

Is this a final report? Check one.  
 Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

M/WBE Quarterly Report  
of  
NYS AGENCY/AGENCIES Contract No. \_\_\_\_\_ Project No. \_\_\_\_\_

The following information indicates the payment amounts made by the grantee/contractor to the NYS Certified M/WBE subcontractor on this project. The payments as shown are in compliance with contract documents for the above reference project.

| Contractor's Name and Address |               | Federal ID#   |                                     | Goals/Dollar Amount                            |                   | Contract Type:  |     |
|-------------------------------|---------------|---|-------------------------------------|--|-------------------|---|-----|
|                               |               | Project Completion Date   |                                     | MBE ____ % = \$ _____<br>WBE ____ % = \$ _____ |                   | Paid to Contractor this Quarter:<br>Total Paid to Contractor to Date:   |     |
|                               |               |   |                                     | Work Location                                  |                   | Reporting Period:<br><input type="checkbox"/> 1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter (4/1-6/30) <input type="checkbox"/> 3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter (10/1-12/31)<br><input type="checkbox"/> 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter (7/1-9/30) <input type="checkbox"/> 4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter (1/1-3/31) |     |
| M/WBE Subcontractor/Vendor    | Product Code* | Work Status this Report   | Total Subcontractor Contract Amount | Payments this Quarter                          | Previous Payments | Total Payments Made to Date   |     |
|                               |               |   | MBE                                 | WBE  | MBE               | WBE   | WBE |
| Name:<br>Fed ID#:             |               | <input type="checkbox"/> Active<br><input type="checkbox"/> Inactive<br><input type="checkbox"/> Complete |                                     |  |                   |   |     |
| Name:<br>Fed ID#:             |               | <input type="checkbox"/> Active<br><input type="checkbox"/> Inactive<br><input type="checkbox"/> Complete |                                     |  |                   |   |     |
| Name:<br>Fed ID#:             |               | <input type="checkbox"/> Active<br><input type="checkbox"/> Inactive<br><input type="checkbox"/> Complete |                                     |  |                   |   |     |
| Name:<br>Fed ID#:             |               | <input type="checkbox"/> Active<br><input type="checkbox"/> Inactive<br><input type="checkbox"/> Complete |                                     |  |                   |   |     |
| <b>Total:</b>                 |               |   |                                     |  |                   |   |     |

\*See Next Page for Product Codes

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_



Use the following codes in the Product Code column to indicate the category of work for which the M/WBE was utilized:

**PRODUCT CODE KEY:**

|     |  |
|-----|--|
| A   | Agriculture/Landscaping (e.g., all forms of landscaping services)  |
| B   | Mining (e.g., Geological Investigation)  |
| C   | Construction   |
| C15 | Building Construction -- General Contractors   |
| C16 | Heavy Construction (e.g., highway, pipe laying)  |
| C17 | Special Trade Contractors (e.g., plumbing, heating, electrical, carpentry)   |
| D   | Manufacturing (production of goods)  |
| E   | Transportation, Communication and Sanitary Services (e.g., Delivery services, warehousing, broadcasting and cable systems)                     |
| F/G | Wholesale/Retail Goods (e.g., gravel, hospital supplies and equipment, food stores, computer stores, office supplies)                          |
| G52 | Construction Materials (e.g., lumber, paint, lawn supplies)  |
| H   | Financial, Insurance and Real Estate Services  |
| I   | Services   |
| I73 | Business Services (e.g., copying, advertising, secretarial, janitorial, rental services of equipment, computer programming, security services) |
| I81 | Legal Services   |
| I82 | Educational Services (e.g., AIDS education, automobile safety, tutoring, public speaking)  |
| I83 | Social Services (e.g., counselors, vocational training, child care)  |
| I87 | Engineering, architectural, accounting, research, management and related services  |



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of the  
New York State Housing Finance Agency,  
State of New York Mortgage Agency,  
New York State Affordable Housing Corporation,  
State of New York Municipal Bond Bank Agency,  
Tobacco Settlement Financing Corporation and  
Housing Trust Fund Corporation  
(individually, "Agency" and collectively, "Agencies")

It is the goal of the Agencies to ensure compliance with the federal Equal Employment Opportunity Act of 1972, as amended. Respondents with fifteen (15) or more employees responding to this solicitation, must submit a statement disclosing whether the Respondent is currently operating under or negotiating, or has at some time in the last five (5) years operated under or negotiated, a conciliation agreement with the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission ("EEOC"); has been, at some time in the last five (5) years, or is currently the subject of a civil action brought against it by the EEOC; has been, at some time in the last five (5) years, or is currently the subject of an action brought against it by the EEOC for permanent, temporary or preliminary relief; has operated, at some time in the last five (5) years, or is currently operating under an order of a court to take affirmative action as a result of a civil action brought against it by EEOC.

Please answer the above question either in the affirmative or negative.

\_\_\_\_\_ Respond YES or NO.

If YES, provide explanation:

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\_\_\_\_\_  
Respondent's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Respondent's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name of Respondent

**PART 6C. Construction Requirements and  
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**CUMULATIVE PAYMENT STATEMENT**  
(Instructions on Reverse Side)

| Contractors Name and Address:                       | Federal ID # | SHARS/Project # | Federal ID # | Type of Service Provided<br>(Select only one)   | Goals                    |                          |                                     | Reporting Period |  |
|---|--------------|-----------------|--------------|---|--------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------|--|
|   |              |                 |              |   | MBE %                    | WBE %                    | Quarter                             | Year             |  |
| <i>Name of Firm and Address</i><br>(List All Firms) |              |                 |              |   | NYS Certified MBE        | WBE                      | Payment This period                 | Contract Amount  |  |
| Federal ID#   |              |                 |              | <input type="checkbox"/> • Construction<br><input type="checkbox"/> • Supplier<br><input type="checkbox"/> • Consultant Service<br><input type="checkbox"/> • Service/Commodity<br><input type="checkbox"/> • Section 3 | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | No Payment <input type="checkbox"/> |                  |  |
| Federal ID#   |              |                 |              | <input type="checkbox"/> • Construction<br><input type="checkbox"/> • Supplier<br><input type="checkbox"/> • Consultant Service<br><input type="checkbox"/> • Service/Commodity<br><input type="checkbox"/> • Section 3 | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | No Payment <input type="checkbox"/> |                  |  |
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Signature of Company Official \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name of Company Official \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

# INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILING CUMULATIVE PAYMENT STATEMENT

This document pertains to **HCR funding only**. The form is to be completed and signed by the Company Official and submitted by the **10<sup>th</sup> of each quarter**. The form must include **ALL** (e.g. MBE, WBE and non-M/WBE) subcontractors or suppliers assigned to this contract. The Affirmation of Income Payments to MBE/WBE (ADM-146) must accompany this form for each MBE/WBE firm who has received payment.

| Quarter | Reporting Period        | Due Date   |
|---------|-------------------------|------------|
| 1st     | April 1 – June 30       | July 10    |
| 2nd     | July 1 - September 30   | October 10 |
| 3rd     | October 1 - December 31 | January 10 |
| 4th     | January 1 – March 31    | April 10   |

**Contractor's Name & Address:** Indicate name, address, city, state and zip code.

**Contractor's Federal ID #:** If Federal ID # not assigned, provide Social Security # of the owner.

**Goals:** Indicate HCR's assigned MBE and WBE participation goals.

**Reporting Period:** Indicate reported month and year.

**SHARS/Project #:** Indicate HCR's SHARS #/Project #.

**Subcontractor or Supplier Name & Address** Indicate the name, address, city, state and zip code.

**Federal ID #:** If Federal ID # not assigned, provide Social Security # of the owner.

**Description of Work:** Check the box that best describes the work performed. (CHECK ONE BOX ONLY)

**NYS Certified** Indicate if MBE or WBE. (CHECK ONE BOX ONLY) Only firms certified by NYS will be counted towards goals

**Payments This Period:** Indicate amount paid to each subcontractors or suppliers this reporting period.

**NOTE: IF THERE WAS NO PAYMENT THIS PERIOD, PLEASE CHECK THE BOX.**

**Contract Amount:** Indicate total contract amounts or purchase agreement(s) for each subcontractor or supplier.



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Web Site: [www.nyshcr.org](http://www.nyshcr.org)

**Affirmation of Income Payments to MBE/WBE**

*Each MBE and WBE FIRM must sign and submit this form to the Contractor. The Contractor/Vendor must submit this form to the Office of Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity by the 10th of each Quarter.*

**CONTRACTOR**

1. Name and Address of Contractor

2. SHARS/Project #

|              |                     |      |
|--------------|---------------------|------|
| Federal ID # | 3. Reporting Period |      |
|              | Quarter             | Year |

**M/WBE FIRM**

1. Name and Address

2. Date contract started:

|              |  |
|--------------|--|
| Federal ID # | 3. New York State Certified (Check One)                      |
|              | <input type="checkbox"/> MBE<br><input type="checkbox"/> WBE |

4. Type of Service Provider (Check one box only)

☐ Construction

☐ Supplier

☐ Consultant Service

☐ Service/Commodity

**5. Summary of Payments**

- a. Total MBE/WBE contract amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- b. MBE/WBE payment received for this reporting period \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Total MBE/WBE payments received as of this reporting period \$ \_\_\_\_\_

|                         |                          |      |
|-------------------------|--------------------------|------|
| Signature of MBE/WBE    | Print Name of MBE/WBE    | Date |
| Signature of Contractor | Print Name of Contractor | Date |

**Failure to submit this form will result in non-compliance.**



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## MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT UTILIZATION REPORT

(Instructions on Next Page)

|                                   |    |                                 |  |                                 |     |
|-----------------------------------|----|---------------------------------|--|---------------------------------|-----|
| <b>Project Name:</b>              |    | <b>Reporting Period:</b>        |  | From:                           | To: |
| <b>Contractor/<br/>Firm Name:</b> |    | <b>Address:</b>                 |  |                                 |     |
| <b>Federal ID/SS#:</b>            |    | <b>SHARS #:</b>                 |  | <b>Location of Work:</b>        |     |
| <b>Labor Amount:</b>              | \$ | <b>Construction Start Date:</b> |  | <b>Percent of Job Complete:</b> |     |

| TOTAL NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES FOR THIS REPORTING PERIOD |                           |   |                           |   |                    |   |   |   |                                   |   |       |   |
|---|---------------------------|---|---------------------------|---|--------------------|---|---|---|-----------------------------------|---|-------|---|
| Job or Trade Category                               | Total Number of Employees |   | Black or African American |   | Hispanic or Latino |   | Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander |   | Native American or Alaskan Native |   | Asian |   |
|   | M                         | F | M                         | F | M                  | F | M   | F | M                                 | F | M     | F |
| Professionals                                       |                           |   |                           |   |                    |   |   |   |                                   |   |       |   |
| Technicians   |                           |   |                           |   |                    |   |   |   |                                   |   |       |   |
| Office/Clerical                                     |                           |   |                           |   |                    |   |   |   |                                   |   |       |   |
| <b>Construction Trade - List Each</b>               |                           |   |                           |   |                    |   |   |   |                                   |   |       |   |
|   |                           |   |                           |   |                    |   |   |   |                                   |   |       |   |
|   |                           |   |                           |   |                    |   |   |   |                                   |   |       |   |
|   |                           |   |                           |   |                    |   |   |   |                                   |   |       |   |
|   |                           |   |                           |   |                    |   |   |   |                                   |   |       |   |
|   |                           |   |                           |   |                    |   |   |   |                                   |   |       |   |
|   |                           |   |                           |   |                    |   |   |   |                                   |   |       |   |
|   |                           |   |                           |   |                    |   |   |   |                                   |   |       |   |
| <b>Grand Totals</b>                                 |                           |   |                           |   |                    |   |   |   |                                   |   |       |   |

Company Official's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Company Official's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE: Failure to submit this form will result in non-compliance.**

### **INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILING MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT UTILIZATION REPORT**

The Monthly Employment Utilization Report (ADM-136) is to be completed and signed by the contractor or subcontractor and **submitted by the 10<sup>th</sup> of each quarter** for the duration of this contract. This report covers all hourly workers, including foremen, supervisors or crew chiefs, journey workers and apprentices or trainees working on the project. Professionals, technicians and office clerical field office staff working on the contract should also be reported.

|  |  |
|--|--|
| Name of Project:                                 | Indicate the Name of Assigned Project  |
| Reporting Period:                                | Indicate reported month and year.  |
| Contractor or<br>Subcontractor Name:             | Indicate name, address, city and zip code.   |
| Federal ID Number:                               | If Federal ID # not assigned, provide Social Security # of the owner.  |
| Labor Amount:                                    | Indicate dollar amount allocated for labor on the Detailed Estimate.   |
| SHARS Number:                                    | Indicate HCR assigned SHARS #.   |
| Location of Work:                                | Indicate county where project is located.  |
| Contract Start Date:                             | Indicate date construction actually began.   |
| Percent of Job Complete:                         | Indicate the estimated percentage of job completed.  |
| Job or Trade Category:                           | Indicate the total number of employees for the field office staff, including supervisory personnel and administrative staff at the job site. Indicate the number of employees for each construction trade.                                   |
| Total Number of<br>Employees:                    | Indicate the total number of <b>all</b> employees, regardless of ethnicity, under each trade category for all males (M) and all females (F). <b><i>Note: These two columns include the number of employees for the entire workforce.</i></b> |
| Total Number of Employees<br>Minority & Females: | Indicate the total number of employees for each minority group member(s) under each trade category for all minority males (M) and all females (F). <b><i>Note: These columns include only the minority workforce.</i></b>                    |
| Grand Totals:                                    | Total of columns under each trade category for all males (M) and all females (F).  |

**The company official's name, title and telephone number should be printed or typed at the bottom of the form.**



**Exhibit F**

**LIPA Supplementary Conditions for Contracts**

## **EXHIBIT F**

### **STANDARD CLAUSES FOR LIPA CONTRACTS**

For the purposes of this Exhibit F, the Long Island Power Authority and its operating subsidiary the Long Island Lighting Company d/b/a LIPA are hereinafter referred to as "LIPA."

The parties to the attached contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter, "the contract" or "this contract") agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the contract (the word "Contractor" herein refers to any party other than LIPA, whether a contractor, consultant, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or other party):

**NON-ASSIGNMENT CLAUSE.** In accordance with Section 138 of the State Finance Law, this contract may not be assigned by Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the previous consent, in writing, of LIPA, and any attempts to assign the contract without LIPA's written consent are null and void. Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payment without LIPA's prior written consent unless this contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Article 5-A of the State Finance Law.

**COMPTROLLER'S APPROVAL.** In accordance with Section 112 of the New York State Finance Law (the "State Finance Law"), if this contract exceeds \$50,000, it shall not be valid, effective or binding upon LIPA until it has been approved by the State Comptroller and filed in his office.

**WORKER'S COMPENSATION BENEFITS.** In accordance with Section 142 of the State Finance Law, this Agreement shall be void and of no force and effect unless Contractor provides and maintains coverage during the life of this Agreement for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

**NON-DISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS.** To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this contract shall be performed within the State of New York, Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 thereof, Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and

available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this contract. Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this contract and forfeiture of all moneys due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

**WAGE AND HOURS PROVISIONS.** If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 thereof, neither Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said statutes, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law and shall comply with all requirements set forth in Article 8 or Article 9 of the Labor Law whichever Article applies. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the State of any State approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

**NON-COLLUSIVE BIDDING CERTIFICATION.** In accordance with Section 2878 of the Public Authorities Law, if this contract was awarded based upon the submission of bids, Contractor warrants, under penalty of perjury, that its bid was arrived at independently and without collusion aimed at restricting competition. Contractor further warrants that, at the time Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to LIPA a non-collusive bidding certification on Contractor's behalf.

**INTERNATIONAL BOYCOTT PROHIBITION.** In accordance with Section 220-f of the Labor Law and Section 139-h of the State Finance Law, if this contract exceeds \$5,000, Contractor agrees, as a material condition of the contract, that neither Contractor nor any substantially owned or affiliated person, firm, partnership or corporation has participated, is participating, or shall participate in an international boycott in violation of the federal Export Administration Act of 1979 (50 USC app. Sections 2401 et seq.) or regulations thereunder. If such Contractor, or any of the aforesaid affiliates of Contractor, is convicted or is otherwise found to have violated said laws or regulations upon the final determination of the United States Commerce Department or any other appropriate agency of the United States subsequent to the contract's execution, such contract, amendment or modification thereto shall be rendered forfeit and void. Contractor shall so notify the State Comptroller within five (5) business days of such conviction, determination or disposition of appeal (2NYCRR 105.4).

**SET-OFF RIGHTS.** LIPA shall have all of its common law, equitable and statutory rights of set-off. These rights shall include, but not be limited to, LIPA's option to withhold for the purposes of set-off any moneys due to Contractor under this contract up to any amounts due and owing to LIPA with regard to this contract, any other contract with LIPA, including any contract for a term commencing prior to the term of this contract, plus any amounts due and owing to LIPA for any other reason including, without limitation, tax delinquencies, fee delinquencies or

monetary penalties relative thereto. LIPA shall exercise its set-off rights in accordance with normal State practices including, in cases of set-off pursuant to an audit, the finalization of such audit by LIPA, its representatives, or the State Comptroller. This provision shall survive the expiration or earlier termination of this Agreement.

**RECORDS.** Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertinent to performance under this contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records must be kept for six (6) years following the expiration or earlier termination of the contract. The State Comptroller, the Attorney General and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of Contractor within the State of New York or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the State, for the term specified above for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. LIPA shall take reasonable steps to protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute") provided that: (i) Contractor shall timely inform LIPA in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; and (ii) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (iii) designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the State's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation. This provision shall survive the expiration or earlier termination of this Agreement.

**DISCLOSURE OF LIPA RECORDS OR INFORMATION.** If any third party requests that Contractor disclose LIPA records or information, as defined in subdivision 4 of section 86 of the Public Officers Law, Contractor shall notify LIPA of such request and LIPA shall determine, in accordance with Chapter 39 of the Laws of 2010, whether such LIPA records or information may be disclosed.

**CONFLICTING TERMS.** In the event of a conflict between the terms of the contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Exhibit F, the terms of this Exhibit F shall control.

**GOVERNING LAW.** This contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal supremacy clause requires otherwise.

**LATE PAYMENT.** Timeliness of payment and any interest to be paid to Contractor for late payment shall be governed by Section 2880 of the Public Authorities Law and the guidelines adopted by LIPA thereto.

**SERVICE OF PROCESS.** In addition to the methods of service allowed by the State Civil Practice Law & Rules ("CPLR"), Contractor hereby consents to service of process upon it by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested. Service hereunder shall be complete upon Contractor's actual receipt of process or upon the State's receipt of the return thereof by the United States Postal Service as refused or undeliverable. Contractor must promptly notify the State, in writing, of each and every change of address to which service of process can be made.

Service by the State to the last known address shall be sufficient. Contractor will have thirty (30) calendar days after service hereunder is complete in which to respond.

**PROHIBITION ON PURCHASE OF TROPICAL HARDWOODS.** Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this contract award will be in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of State Finance Law §165 (Use of Tropical Hardwoods) which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted, by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the responsibility of Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the State. In addition, when any portion of this contract involving the use of woods, whether supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in §165 State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with the approval of the State; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the responsibility of Contractor to meet with the approval of the State. In addition, when any portion of this contract involving the use of woods, whether supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in §165 State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with the approval of the State; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the responsibility of the Contractor to meet with the approval of the State.

**MACBRIDE FAIR EMPLOYMENT PRINCIPLES.** In accordance with the MacBride Fair Employment Principles (Chapter 807 of the New York Laws of 1992), Contractor hereby stipulates that Contractor either (i) has no business operations in Northern Ireland, or (ii) shall take lawful steps in good faith to conduct any business operations in Northern Ireland in accordance with the MacBride Fair Employment Principles (as described in Article 165 of, the New York State Finance Law), and shall permit independent monitoring of compliance with such principles.

**OMNIBUS PROCUREMENT ACT OF 1992.** It is the policy of New York State to maximize opportunities for the participation of New York State business enterprises, including minority and women-owned business enterprises as bidders, subcontractors and suppliers on its procurement contracts. Information on the availability of New York State subcontractors and suppliers is available from:

NYS Department of Economic Development  
Division for Small Business  
30 South Pearl St – 7<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Albany, New York 12245  
Telephone: 518-292-5220  
Fax: 518-292-5884  
<http://www.empire.state.ny.us>

A directory of certified minority and women-owned business enterprises is available from:

NYS Department of Economic Development  
Minority and Women's Business Development Division  
30 South Pearl St – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor  
Albany, New York 12245  
Telephone: 518-292-5250  
Fax: 518-292-5803  
<http://www.empire.state.ny.us>

The Omnibus Procurement Act of 1992 requires that by signing this Agreement, Contractor certifies that:

- (a) Contractor has made commercially reasonable efforts to encourage the participation of New York State Business Enterprises as suppliers and subcontractors, including certified minority and woman-owned business enterprises, on this Project, and has retained the documentation of these efforts to be provided upon request to the State;
- (b) Contractor has complied with the Federal Equal Opportunity Act of 1972 (P.L. 92-261), as amended; and
- (c) Contractor agrees to make commercially reasonable efforts to provide notification to New York State residents of employment opportunities on this Project through listing any such positions with the Job Service Division of the New York State Department of Labor, or providing such notification in such manner as is consistent with existing collective bargaining contracts or agreements. Contractor agrees to document these efforts and to provide said documentation to the State upon request.
- (d) Contractor acknowledges that the State may seek to obtain offset credits from foreign countries as a result of this contract and agrees to cooperate with the State in these efforts.

**RECIPROCITY AND SANCTIONS PROVISIONS.** Contractor is hereby notified that if its principal place of business is located in a state that penalizes New York State vendors, and if the goods or services it offers are substantially produced or performed outside New York State, the Omnibus Procurement Act 1994 amendments (Chapter 684, Laws of 1994) require that Contractor be denied contracts which it would otherwise obtain. NOTE: As of May 15, 2002, the list of discriminatory jurisdictions subject to this provision includes the states of South Carolina, Alaska, West Virginia, Wyoming, Louisiana and Hawaii. Contact NYS Department of Economic Development for a current list of jurisdictions subject to this provision.

**PURCHASES OF APPAREL.** In accordance with State Finance Law 162 (4-a), LIPA shall not purchase any apparel from any Contractor unable or unwilling to certify that: (i) such apparel was manufactured in compliance with all applicable labor and occupational safety laws, including, but not limited to, child labor laws, wage and hours laws and workplace safety laws, and (ii) Contractor will supply, with its bid (or, if not a bid situation, prior to or at the time of signing a contract with LIPA), if known, the names and addresses of each subcontractor and a list of all manufacturing plants to be utilized by the bidder.

**PROCUREMENT LOBBYING.** To the extent this agreement is a "procurement contract" as defined by State Finance Law Sections 139-j and 139-k, by signing this agreement the contractor

certifies and affirms that all disclosures made in accordance with State Finance Law Sections 139-j and 139-k are complete, true and accurate. In the event such certification is found to be intentionally false or intentionally incomplete, the State may terminate the agreement by providing written notification to the Contractor in accordance with the terms of the agreement.

**CONTINGENT FEES.** Contractor hereby certifies and agrees that (a) Contractor has not employed or retained and will not employ or retain any individual or entity for the purpose of soliciting or securing any LIPA contract or any amendment or modification thereto pursuant to any agreement or understanding for receipt of any form of compensation which in whole or in part is contingent or dependent upon the award of any such contract or any amendment or modification thereto; and (b) Contractor will not seek or be paid an additional fee that is contingent or dependent upon the completion of a transaction by LIPA.

**COMPLIANCE WITH NEW YORK STATE INFORMATION SECURITY BREACH AND NOTIFICATION ACT.** Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa; State Technology Law Section 208). Contractor shall be liable for the costs associated with such breach if caused by Contractor's negligent or willful acts or omissions, or the negligent or willful acts or omissions of the Contractor's agents, officers, employees or subcontractors.

**IRAN DIVESTMENT ACT CERTIFICATION.** By signing this contract, each person (as defined in paragraph (e) of subdivision one of Section 165-a of the State Finance Law) and each person signing on behalf of any other party certifies, and in the case of a joint bid or partnership each party thereto certifies as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of its knowledge and belief that each person is not on the list created pursuant to paragraph (b) of subdivision 3 of Section 165-a of the State Finance Law. In addition, Contractor(s) agrees that no person on the list created pursuant to paragraph (b) of subdivision 3 of Section 165-a of the State Finance Law shall be utilized as a subcontractor on this contract.

**Non-Collusive Bidding Certification**  
**Required by Section 2878 of the Public Authorities Law**

By submission of this bid, bidder and each person signing on behalf of bidder certifies, and in the case of joint bid, each party thereto certifies as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of his/her knowledge and belief:

[1] The prices in this bid have been arrived at independently, without collusion, consultation, communication, or agreement, for the purposes of restricting competition, as to any matter relating to such prices with any other Bidder or with any competitor;

[2] Unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this bid have not been knowingly disclosed by the Bidder and will not knowingly be disclosed by the Bidder prior to opening, directly or indirectly, to any other Bidder or to any competitor; and

[3] No attempt has been made or will be made by the Bidder to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit a bid for the purpose of restricting competition.

A BID SHALL NOT BE CONSIDERED FOR AWARD NOR SHALL ANY AWARD BE MADE WHERE [1], [2], [3] ABOVE HAVE NOT BEEN COMPLIED WITH; PROVIDED HOWEVER, THAT IF IN ANY CASE THE BIDDER(S) CANNOT MAKE THE FOREGOING CERTIFICATION, THE BIDDER SHALL SO STATE AND SHALL FURNISH BELOW A SIGNED STATEMENT WHICH SETS FORTH IN DETAIL THE REASONS THEREFORE:

**[AFFIX ADDENDUM TO THIS PAGE IF SPACE IS REQUIRED FOR STATEMENT.]**

**Subscribed to under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of New York, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_ as the act and deed of said corporation or partnership.**

IF BIDDER(S) (ARE) A PARTNERSHIP, COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:

NAMES OF PARTNERS OR PRINCIPALS

LEGAL RESIDENCE

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

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IF BIDDER(S) (ARE) A CORPORATION, COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:

NAMES

LEGAL RESIDENCE

\_\_\_\_\_  
**President**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Secretary**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Treasurer**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**President**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Secretary**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Treasurer**

Identifying Data:

**Potential Consultant:**

\_\_\_\_\_

**Street Address:**

\_\_\_\_\_

**City, Town, etc.**

\_\_\_\_\_

**Telephone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Title:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
If applicable, Responsible Corporate Officer Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

**Joint or combined bids by companies or firms must be certified on behalf of each participant:**

|   |   |
|---|---|
| Legal name of person, firm or corporation | Legal name of person, firm or corporation |
| By _____<br>(Name)                        | By _____<br>... (Name)                    |
| _____                                     | _____                                     |
| Title                                     | Title                                     |
| _____                                     | _____                                     |
| Street Address                            | Street Address                            |
| _____                                     | _____                                     |
| City and State                            | City and State                            |

**Offerer Disclosure of Prior Non-Responsibility Determinations**

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Name of Individual or Entity Seeking to Enter into the Procurement Contract:

Address:

Name and Title of Person Submitting this Form:

Contract Procurement Number:

Date:

1. Has any Governmental Entity made a finding of non-responsibility regarding the individual or entity seeking to enter into the procurement contract in the previous four years? (Please circle):

No

Yes

2. If yes, was the basis for the finding of non-responsibility due to a violation of State Finance Law § 139-j? (Please circle):

No

Yes

3. Was the basis for the finding of non-responsibility due to the intentional provision of false or incomplete information to a Governmental Entity? (Please circle):

No

Yes

4. If yes, please provide details regarding the finding of non-responsibility below.

Governmental Entity: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Finding of Non-Responsibility: \_\_\_\_\_

Basis of Finding of Non-Responsibility: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

5. Has any Governmental Entity or other governmental agency terminated or withheld a procurement contract with the above-named individual or entity due to the intentional provision of false or incomplete information? (Please circle):

No

Yes

6. If yes, please provide details below.

Governmental Entity: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Termination or Withholding of Contract: \_\_\_\_\_

Basis of Termination or Withholding: \_\_\_\_\_

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Offerer certifies that all information provided to the Long Island Power Authority with respect to State Finance Law § 139-k in complete, true and accurate.

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### **CONTINGENT FEE CERTIFICATION**

In accordance with section F.2 of Article II of the Long Island Power Authority "Guidelines Regarding the Use, Awarding, Monitoring and Reporting of Procurement Contracts" (the "Guidelines"), Proposer, by submission of this proposal certifies the following with respect to the payment of contingent fees:

- (1) Proposer has not employed or retained and will not employ or retain any individual or entity for the purpose of soliciting or securing any Long Island Power Authority contract or any amendment or modification thereto pursuant to any agreement or understanding for receipt of any form of compensation which in whole or in part is contingent or dependent upon the award of any such contract or any amendment or modification thereto; and
- (2) Proposer will not seek or be paid an additional fee that is contingent or dependent upon the completion of a transaction by the Long Island Power Authority.

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FAILURE TO PROVIDE THIS CERTIFICATION WILL BE GROUNDS FOR DISQUALIFICATION IN THE PROCUREMENT PROCESS.

VIOLATION OF EITHER (1) OR (2) OF THIS CERTIFICATION SHALL RESULT IN:

- (i) disqualification of Proposer from the procurement process; and
- (ii) prohibition of the Proposer from being awarded any contract for a period of three years from the commencement of the procurement process.

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Certified as of the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of person, firm or corporation

By \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name and Title)

## **Exhibit G**

### **Standard Insurance Clauses**

#### **Insurance.**

##### **1. Coverage**

Prior to the start of Work, Contractor shall at its own expense, procure and maintain in effect during performance and until final completion and acceptance of any Work under the Contract the following minimum insurance coverage with carriers acceptable to Company and Grantee including:

a. Workers' Compensation insurance in accordance with statutory limits, as required by the state in which the Work is to be performed, and Employer's Liability insurance with limits of not less than one million dollars (\$1,000,000) per occurrence.

b. Commercial General Liability insurance (occurrence form) providing coverage for premises, bodily injury, property damage, personal injury, advertising injury, if applicable, blanket contractual liability, covering Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, products and completed operations for not less than three (3) years from the date the Company accepts the Work, coverage for independent contractors and broad form property damage coverage with limits of not less than one million dollars (\$1,000,000) for each occurrence with an annual aggregate of three million dollars (\$3,000,000) per project or per location where Work is performed.

c. Commercial Automobile Liability insurance providing coverage for all owned, non-owned, and hired automobiles used by the Contractor in the performance of the Work with a combined single limit of not less than one million dollars (\$1,000,000) for each occurrence of bodily injury and property damage.

d. Excess or Umbrella Liability insurance with a limit of not less than five million dollars (\$5,000,000) for each occurrence with an annual aggregate of five million dollars (\$5,000,000) per project or per location where the Work is performed. This limit applies in excess of each of the coverage set forth above in paragraphs 1.a (Employer's Liability), 1.b (Commercial General Liability insurance), and 1.c (Commercial Automobile Liability insurance), which are scheduled as primary.

e. Pollution/Environmental Liability insurance with a minimum limit of five million dollars (\$5,000,000) each occurrence where the Work involves or includes Contractor handling, transporting, disposing, or performing work or operations with hazardous substances, contaminants, waste, toxic materials, or any potential pollutants.

f. Professional Liability insurance with a minimum limit of five million dollars (\$5,000,000) per claim where the Work involves or includes Contractor providing or performing design, engineering, consulting, or any professional services. If the Contractor is providing software development, systems development or outsourced systems the insurance shall include cover for liability arising from intellectual property infringement, information technology and software development services.

g. If the Work involves privacy and network security aspects that involve access to personally identifiable data, the following insurance shall be provided: Computer Security and Privacy Liability insurance with a minimum limit of ten million dollars (\$10,000,000) per claim covering actual or alleged acts, errors or omissions committed by the Contractor, its agents or employees. The policy shall also extend to include the intentional, fraudulent or criminal acts of the Contractor, its agents or employees. The policy shall expressly provide, but not be limited to, coverage for the following perils: (i) unauthorized use/access of a computer system; (ii) defense of any regulatory action involving a breach of privacy; (iii) failure to protect confidential information (personal and commercial information) from disclosure; and (iv) notification costs, whether or not required by statute. If the policy is subject to an aggregate limit, the aggregate limit shall be per project or per location where Work is performed.

h. The Insurance coverage to be provided by Contractor under this Agreement shall not include any of the following: (i) except for Professional Liability, any claims made insurance policies; and (ii) any self-insured retention or deductible amount greater than two hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000) unless approved in writing by Company and Grantee. For self-insurance approved by the Company and Grantee, the Company retains the right at any time after its written approval of self-insurance, to require that Contractor provide commercial insurance as required by the terms of this Agreement. In such case, the Company will provide Contractor written notice of its requirement that Contractor supply a commercial insurance policy consistent with the terms of this Agreement. Within ten (10) days of the Company's or Grantee's written request, Contractor shall provide Company and Grantee of evidence of insurance as required by this Agreement, including, if requested, full and complete copies of all policies of insurance. The insurance coverage provided under this Agreement shall not contain any restrictions or limitations which are inconsistent with the Company's rights under the Agreement.

i. If any insurance is provided on a claims-made basis, the Contractor shall maintain continuous insurance coverage during the term of this Agreement and in addition to the coverage requirements above, such policy shall provide that: (i) the policy retroactive date coincides with or precedes the insured's initial services under the Agreement (including subsequent policies purchased as renewals or replacements); (ii) the policy allows for reporting of circumstances or incidents that might give rise to future claims; (iii) the Contractor shall maintain similar

insurance for at least three (3) years following completion of the Work, including the requirement of adding Company, Grantee and any of their agents as an additional insureds; and (iv) if insurance is terminated for any reason, Contractor agrees to purchase an extended reporting provision of at least three (3) years to report claims arising from work performed in connection with this Agreement.

j. All above-mentioned insurance policies shall: (i) be primary to any other insurance or self-insurance carried by the Company or Grantee; (ii) contain standard cross-liability provisions; and (iii) provide for a waiver of all rights of subrogation against Grantee, the Company and Agent by Contractor and its insurers.

**2. Additional Coverage.** Company reserves the right at any time, including after the Work has begun, to require Consultant to procure and maintain additional coverage or limits and Contractor shall furnish such additional insurance or limits and the associated increase, if any, in premium paid by the Contractor shall be reimbursed by the Company at cost without mark-up.

**3. Additional Insured Endorsement.** All liability insurance policies shall name Grantee the Company and Agent and their respective subsidiaries and affiliates and their respective successors and assigns, as additional insured and Contractor shall maintain the required coverage, naming Grantee the Company and Agent as an additional insured, for a period of not less than three (3) years from the date the Company accepts the Work. The following language should be used when referencing the additional insured status: Housing Trust Fund Corporation and the Governor's Office of Storm Recovery, and Long Island Lighting Company d/b/a LIPA, as well as any of their subsidiaries and affiliates, and their respective successors and assigns shall be named as additional insured.

**4. Evidence of Insurance.** Prior to the start of any Work, Contractor shall deliver to the Company and Grantee evidence of the required insurance coverage in the form of Certificates of Insurance acceptable to Company and Grantee. The Certificates of Insurance and the insurance policies required by this Agreement shall contain a provision that coverage afforded under the policies will not be canceled, allowed to expire or the limits in any manner reduced, until at least thirty (30) days prior written notice, ten (10) days written notice in the case of nonpayment of premium, has been given to Company. Company and Grantee may inspect and copy any or all policies of insurance at any time.

**5. Ratings.** All insurance coverage required under the Agreement shall be provided by insurance companies acceptable to Company and having ratings of A-/VII or better in the Best's Key Rating Insurance Guide (latest edition in effect at the latest date stated in the Certificates of Insurance referred to in paragraph 4 above (Evidence of Insurance)).



**6. Failure to Obtain and Maintain Insurance.** Failure to obtain and maintain the insurance required under the Agreement shall constitute a material breach of the Agreement and Contractor will be liable for any and all costs, liabilities, and damages, (including attorney's fees, court costs, and settlement expenses) resulting to Company or Grantee from such breach. In the event Contractor fails to provide the required insurance, Company may at its option, procure said insurance at Contractor's expense.

**7. Contractor's Obligations Not Limited.** The insurance requirements set forth above are to protect the Company and Grantee from any and all claims by third parties, including employees of the Contractor or Grantee, or any of their agents, subcontractors (and its employees and agents) and invitees. Said insurance, however, is in no manner to relieve or release Contractor, its agents, subcontractors and invitees from, or limit their liability as to, any and all obligations assumed under the Agreement.